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EMPLOYMENT

Sound Engineer (Voluntary)   **2002-Present**
at St. John's Church, Whorlton, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, UK
- Setting Up Mics
- Working with a 16 Channel Sound Desk
- Recording/Editing/Mastering Services

Web Design and Server Administration (Voluntary)   **2003-Present**
at Home, on my personal website: http://www.op-ezy.co.uk/
- Building a webserver
- Installing and configuring server software
- Managing server updates
- Writing (X)HTML/PHP code

Open Source project joint admin / forum moderator for the S1MP3 Project **2005-Present**
at www.s1mp3.org
- Moderating the forum
- Answering questions asked about the MP3 player's current firmware
- Beta Tester

Work Experience – Computer Hardware Department   **2005**
at Northumberland County Council
- Testing networking in schools
- Diagnosing and fixing computers

IT Infrastructure Technician (Apprentice)   **2009**
at Aspire Technology Solutions Ltd., 11 Blue Sky Way, Monkton Business Park, South Tyneside, NE31 2EQ
- Answering support calls
- Installing software
- Installing hardware

EXPERIENCE

Very computer literate:
Familiar with office packages like:
- Microsoft Office (4.3 to 2007)
- Open Office (1.0 to 3.0)

Familiar with the following Operating Systems:
- Microsoft Windows (From 3.X to Server 2008)
- DOS (Primarily MS-DOS 6.22)
- Mac OS (10.4 and 10.5; little experience with System 7, 8, and OS 9)
- GNU/Linux (Various systems both in Graphical (KDE [3 and 4] and Gnome 2) and Command Line Environments (Primarily BASH))

Web Development:
- Able to write XHTML, CSS and (Limited) PHP
- Familiar with the Apache HTTP server

Graphics, Video, and Sound Editing:
- Adobe Photoshop (6 – CS3)
- Adobe Flash (5 – CS3)
- Sony Vegas
- Final Cut Pro
- Audacity
- Magix Audio Cleaning Lab

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

Playing piano
Web design and server administration (www.op-ezy.co.uk)
Graphic design
Video editing
Audio editing (including remastering [vinyl records and cassettes to CD etc.])

EDUCATION

Ponteland Community High School, Ponteland, Northumberland, NE20 9EY
Head Teacher: Mr S. J. Prandle
GCSE/A-Levels   **2003-2008**

GCSEs:
Science (Dual Award) [AQA] (AA)
Mathematics [OCR] (A)
Media Studies [AQA] (A)
Systems and Control [Edexcel] (B)
History [OCR] (B)
English [AQA] (B and C)
French [AQA] (C)
Engineering (Dual Award Vocational) [Edexcel] (EE)

A-Levels:
Media Studies [AQA] (C)
Physics [OCR] (E)
ICT (AS level only) [Edexcel] (C)
Mathematics (AS level only) [MEI OCR] (E)

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

"Save A Life" - British Red Cross, First Aid   **3rd May 2007**

Clean Full UK Driving Licence   **October 2007**

ABRSM (Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music): Between 1999 and 2007
Grades: 1, 2, 3, and 4 Practical Piano
Grades: 2, and 3 Theory

AWARDS

Awarded "Highest Achiever in AS ICT"   **2007**
by Ponteland Community High School

PERSONAL QUALITIES

- Very Computer Literate (can use Windows, DOS, Mac OS X and various GNU/Linux systems [In Graphical and in a Command Line environment])
- Love music (oldies)
- Good sense of humour
- Copes well under pressure
- Completes tasks with enthusiasm
- Trustworthy

REFERENCES

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