

Christian Barcelona

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EDUCATION

Keele University

Bsc (Hons) Computer Science (2:1)
Graduated May 2018 | Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs

City of Stoke-on-Trent Sixth Form College

A-levels: Computing (B), Mathematics (B)
BTEC: Level 3 Interactive Media (Distinction*)
Graduated May 2015 | Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs

St. Thomas More Catholic College

GCSE: 9 A*-C including Maths, English and Science
Graduated May 2012 | Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs

SKILLS

Programming Languages/Technologies

Javascript (ES6) · React · Angular · Vue · Nuxt · PHP · Laravel · Express · MySQL · Node · HTML5 · CSS3 · SASS · GIT · Docker

Software

VSCode · Windows · WSL2 · Ubuntu · Windows/Linux terminal

Hardware

Android Phone · Tablet · Printer · Windows/Linux machine

WORK EXPERIENCE

Ice Communications Ltd.

Web Developer
Jan 2021 - Present | Crewe, Cheshire

I am currently working as a full-stack web developer for Ice communications ltd, a fast-growing startup telecommunications company. Working for a startup company gave me the opportunity to fully grow as a developer by having more control over my projects and writing solutions in modern tools such as Nuxt and Laravel. My responsibilities within Ice communications include:

- Developing and maintaining the company's internal CRM.
- Mentoring a junior developer which involves frequent code reviews and providing feedback on how code and project structure may be improved.
- Liasing with other departments on a weekly basis to gather feedback and ensure that our software is working as expected.

Click Dealer Ltd.

Junior Web Developer
March 2019 - July 2020 | Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs

I worked closely alongside proficient and experienced web developers to develop and maintain the award-winning and industry-leading dealer management system currently being used by over 1200 car dealerships across the UK. My responsibilities within Click Dealer include:

- Developing websites for external clients
- Developing own products through the use of the latest web technologies
- Building and maintaining of core PHP based applications.
- Designing and developing relational database systems and their web interfaces.
- Assisting the technical team in the planning of overall strategy regarding product development.

One Stop Computers

Computer Technician
June 2011 | Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs

I have gained work experience within a computer shop. In this I learnt a variety of new skills. These include excellent customer service skills, by dealing directly with the customer to determine the problem with their computers. Alongside this I learnt to maximize my communication skills by dealing with the customers to find out the problems they had, and relaying this information back to team members to configure a solution. I also had the chance to work within a group to fix problems; I found this useful as it gave me the opportunity to listen to other people's thoughts and ideas.

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Visit my portfolio website at christianbarcelona.co.uk to see my personal projects with live demo and source code links.

POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

Basketball Coaching - City of Stoke-on-Trent Sixth Form College

January 2014 | Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs

- Coached primary school students the fundamentals of basketball (e.g. passing, shooting, posture, dribbling, etc.).
- Received a UKCC level 1 coach award certificate - giving me the ability to assist more qualified coaches and deliver coaching drills under supervision.

INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES

Club - Hanley Hustlers

Member of the Hanley Hustlers basketball club. I attend weekly meetings and actively participate in training/games. This helped me to develop my leadership skills, as well as working with other people to achieve a common goal.