

CURRICULUM VITAE FOR NICHOLAS PIERCE

DETAILS

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Date of Birth: 27/12/1988

Gender: Male

Age: 22

Nationality: British

PERSONAL STYLE/STRENGTHS

- Thorough and meticulous approach to work, tenacious & able to solve problems
- Able to work on own initiative and conduct own research
- Self motivated
- Clear and structured writing and presentation skills
- Grasps new concepts quickly

EDUCATION & QUALIFICATIONS

UNIVERSITY OF BATH (SEPT. '08 – CURRENT)

First Year Modules:

Programming I 24 Credits	A year-long unit providing an introduction to programming techniques and technologies using Python and Java	89%
Software Engineering 12 Credits	A year-long unit looking at the application of software engineering including two group projects.	72%
Systems Architecture I 6 Credits	Looks at the history of computers, an overview of PC hardware, binary and how instructions are executed on CPUs.	84%
Systems Architecture II 6 Credits	History of operating systems and networking with focus on IP and other internet protocols.	74%
Maths for Computation 6 Credits	Looks at Boolean and algebraic theory for designing and building software algorithms.	76%
Maths for Applications 6 Credits	Provides the basis of the mathematical knowledge needed for 2 nd year, includes calculus and matrices.	72%
1st year average		80.6%

My 1st Year Result was within the top 10 of the year

2nd year Modules: Programming II, Systems Development, Interaction, Foundations of Computation 1, Computer Graphics, Foundations of Computation 2, Pattern Analysis

WORTHING SIXTH FORM COLLEGE (SEPT. '05 – JUNE '07)

Geography	AS Level	B
Computing	A Level	A
Physics	A Level	A
Maths	A Level	A

ST. ANDREWS HIGH SCHOOL, WORTHING (SEPT. '01 – JUNE '05)

GCSE Results: 2 A*s, 3 As, 5 Bs

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WORK EXPERIENCE

PROSPECTSOFT (2ND AUGUST '10 – PRESENT)

Assistant Solution Developer

Duties included: Performing tasks for Implementation Project Managers including installing software and writing bespoke reports and add-ons in Visual Basic.NET for the main CRM product the company sold.

SHOREHAM & LANCING CITIZEN'S ADVICE BUREAU (10TH JULY '09 – 18TH SEPT. '09)

Volunteer IT Support

Duties included: Maintaining IT Networks at two sites (one Windows 2003 Domain, the other a Windows XP Workgroup), installing new equipment, advising on merging and integrating IT across Shoreham, Lancing and Worthing Bureaux and prototyping a new website for the bureaux.

MGM ADVANTAGE (12TH JULY '07 – 22ND JULY '08)

Junior Business Analyst

Duties included: running daily and weekly reports from the sales systems, collating a Management Information Pack for board meetings and revising it based on feedback, maintaining an Access database, which integrated various systems to track incoming money and what funds it should go to.

FREELANCE (JAN. '06 – PRESENT)

I have created some Excel Spreadsheets for a local Quantity Surveyor, which makes use of graphs, VBA, conditional formatting and other advanced features of Excel.

PC HELP (SUSSEX) LTD. (30TH OCT. '04 – 6TH MAY '07)

Shop Assistant

Duties included: serving customers, advising customers on purchases and with basic software problems, booking in and out computers to be repaired, keeping the shop clean and professional.

INTERESTS

Computers	I have built many computers, I also enjoying gaming and programming in VB and Java. I own two desktop PCs and a Windows Server, which I built and constantly tinker with.
Church & CU	I am an active member of a church both at home and in Bath and the Christian Union.
Children's Work	I enjoy working with children. Over the past 5 years I have helped with Beavers, Sunday School, mid-week Children's Groups, summer camps and during my 1 st and 2 nd years at university I volunteered an afternoon a week in a Year 1 class.
Worthing Youth Council	I joined the Worthing Youth Council when I was 15 for 4 years. I found it interesting learning how the Council operates and helping to give a voice and representation to young people.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Python	Visual Basic.NET	C	C#
SQL	Java	SQL Server	MySQL
(X)HTML	CSS	ASP.NET	XML

REFERENCES

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