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### **Education and Qualifications**

- 2005-2009 **University of Portsmouth**  
BSc (Hons) Computer Network Management and Design
- 2003-2005 **Alton College**  
'A' Levels: Computing (C), Electronics (D)  
'AS' Levels: Music Technology (C)
- 2000-2003 **Perins Community School, Alresford**  
GCSEs: Information Technology (A\*), Music (A), English Lang (A), Science  
Double Award (AA), Spanish (B), Geography (B), Maths (B), English Lit (B)

### **Experiences**

- 2003-Today **Denness Networks**  
For two years I have run a company that designs and maintains websites, as well as providing hosting for many different customers from around the world. This includes writing HTML, CSS, and PHP/MySQL content management systems for clients, as well as building, maintaining and administrating my own server.
- 2000-Today **Stage Lighting**  
Starting in school I budgeted, designed and rigged many plays and events, and now co-own a lighting company Blackout Lighting doing local events, shows, charity events and disco or gig lighting. This includes using computer based lighting programs programming in timelines, scenes, and cues.
- 2004-Today **Tesco Express Four Marks/Tesco Portsmouth**  
Working for Tesco I have been performing various tasks such as customer assistant and performing some administrative tasks. This has taught me how to deal with customers in a professional manner and helped build my self confidence talking to people. At Tesco Express where the store is only small, I built a strong relationship with my peers and even gained a "Value Award" which is given out for great achievements. I achieved this by creating a barcode book of produce thus speeding up checkout times considerably. I also performed administrative tasks such as cashing up tills at the end of the night, and issuing refunds, showing I can be trusted with money and to deal with customers in a professional manner.  
At Tesco, in only 3 months I have already fulfilled many duties including standing in for the security guard.

2001-2003 **Croudace Homes**

I worked during the summer for two years helping with network administration, user support and writing Visual Basic programs to ease day to day tasks.

2001 **IBM (UK) Labs Ltd.** Hursley, Winchester

I worked in the labs with a number of employees for two weeks. During this time I learnt personal skills, help with Java stress testing and learnt more about Linux and how the computer industry works.

### **Skills**

I have a wide variety of computer skills ranging from networking to software to hardware. I have been building computers to client's specifications for over 3 years, including budgeting, planning, building and installing software to the user's requirements. These machines are branded under my "Denness Networks" name. I have been designing, building, and maintaining websites in HTML and JavaScript for over 6 years, and have now had a large experience with PHP and MySQL designing from simple code to entire content management system driven sites.

I have been using Visual Basic 6 to program small personal applications to applications used in day to day business use for clients for 5 years, including two years summer work writing programs to help monitor routers, parse databases, and mass file renamers. Setting up networks is something that has always interested me, and I have been practising it for 2 years now, setting up home networks for local people, as well as administrating my own network, and setting up Windows 2003 domain controllers and other services.

I have vast experience in using Microsoft Office applications, Photoshop, Macromedia Dreamweaver and Flash.

I also have a large knowledge of setting up, configuring and running Linux servers, having built one for my business and hosting many websites. Also have a large experience with configuring and tuning the Apache HTTPD web server.

### **Interests**

Many of my hobbies involve things I do day to day, such as programming, building websites, maintaining servers, and lighting. When I'm not busy doing all of those things, I love music and enjoy playing the drums, offroading, and music technology.

### **Referees**

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**Croudace Homes:** Adrian Timms, Croudace House, Caterham, Surrey, CR3 6XQ

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