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Objective:

To obtain a position at a company where I can combine and utilize my education, professional computing experience and customer service skills for mutual benefit.

Experience:

Jul 2010 - Present **Best Buy – Computing Sales Associate / Asset Protection**
Aintree, Liverpool

- Responsible for helping customers with queries and solutions to their computing needs.
- Operate the POS system.
- Controlled logs and handled security issues throughout the store.
- Focused on learning as much as possible about the latest technologies available.

Feb 2010 - Apr 2010 **Accolade – IT/ Delivery Driver**
Glasgow, Scotland

- Responsible for transit van delivery service around the Glasgow area.
- Created and maintained <http://tax-back.me.uk>, also carried out PC repairs.

Dec 2008 – Present **Freelance Web Developer**

- Responsible for developing customer websites.
- Work includes using development languages/tools such as XHTML, CSS, PHP and MySQL.
- Websites I have developed include www.curtis-computing.com/bio.php, www.lucasjoinery.com, www.two-of-us.co.uk

Oct 2007 – Present **Freelance Computer Technician**

- Responsible for customer computer support and maintenance.
- Work includes computer hardware, software and network installation, configuration and repair.

Oct 2001 – Sep 2007 **General Store Worker, Morrisons Supermarkets,**
Stranraer, Scotland

- Customer service, stock handling, stock ordering and store maintenance.

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Education:

Aug 2007 – June 2009

**BSc (Hons): Computing & Networks (Grade 2:1)
Abertay University, Dundee**

- Modules included group project management, solo projects, legal issues, computer networks, software engineering, website development, database design and computer forensics.
- **Honours Project:** "A Study of Internal Threats to a Company's Computer Network and Guide to Security against these Threats" – Produced a 65-page report and a website as part of the security guide (www.curtis-computing.com/sobek).

Aug 2004 – June 2006

**HND Computing: Technical Support
Heathhall College, Dumfries**

Aug 2003 – June 2004

**NC Computing
James Watt College, Greenock**

Aug 1995 – June 1999

Stranraer Academy, Stranraer

Skills:

IT Skills

- Over 10 years experience in working with, building, repairing and maintaining computers.
- My college and university education included:
 - Network Administration (MS Server 3003 & Apache)
 - Windows OS and MS Office suite (Word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint, Project... etc).
 - Internet Development (XHTML, CSS, PHP & MySQL).
- My interest in computer security and forensics has led me to studying:
 - Backtrack, FTK, Helix and many security implementations.
- I have also studied Linux OS, Adobe Photoshop and VMware amongst other IT skills.

General Skills

- I have developed a reliable and flexible attendance record, great customer service skills and the ability to think and work quickly both independently and in a team setting.

References available upon request.