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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Dynamic and adaptable personality with a love of Research, Policy, Computers & Programming. Skilled in both qualitative and quantitative research methodologies, data analysis, Python and C#. Proven ability to tackle complex projects and adapt to new areas.

CORE SKILLS

- **Technical Skills**: Python, C#, Data Analysis, Data interpretation, Data Visualization.
- **Expertise**: Problem-solving, Logic, Qualitative & Quantitative research methods, communication

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Governance and Risk Officer
The Duke of Edinburgh's Award Charity – Bristol & London | *Jul 2023 – Present*

- Using AI, PowerBI, PowerAutomate and other tools to make governance streams and processes more efficient, leading to the charity becoming more efficient in completing its mission.
- Identifying, analysing and mitigating key risks at the charity.
- Drafted and published high-impact reports and papers at Trustee Board level, utilising evidence-based conclusions to influence strategic decisions.
- Translated complex information into actionable strategies for internal stakeholders.
- Delivered data-driven assurance to support project success.

Record Curation and Research Manager (formerly executive)
Guinness World Records – London | *Sep 2021 – Jul 2023*

- Conducted innovative research into new world records for the commercial aspect of the business in Japan and China.
- Focused on emerging and world-leading sustainable technologies
- Collaborated with academic consultants and ESOMAR-certified agencies to produce data-rich research reports.
- Streamlined record management database, enhancing record curation processes through trend analysis.
- Presented findings and workshops to global stakeholders, including senior leaders and non-native English speakers.

Research Analyst
Blue Marble Research Ltd – Bath

- ***Aug 2021 – Oct 2021:*** Involved in observational research on water usage during summer periods for private water companies, analysed and coding /interpreting datasets in Excel.
- ***Jun 2020 – Sep 2020:*** Involved in mixed methods research, transforming qualitative survey

responses into quantitative data for analysis, contributing to DEFRA's Environmental Land Management Scheme research.

EDUCATION

MSc Public Policy
University of Bristol | 2020 – 2021 (awarded in 2023 due to COVID-19 pandemic)

- Research Masters, specialised in environmental, health, migration and international policy.
- Mastered advanced research techniques in qualitative and quantitative methods, including discourse analysis, interviews, focus groups, surveys and statistical modelling.
- Dissertation: *The Language of Migration Policy: A Qualitative Discourse Analysis of Narratives towards Migrants and Migration within the UK Department of Health and Social Care.*

A-Levels
Chew Valley Sixth Form, Bristol | 2015 – 2017

- ICT: A* - Coursework Projects included designing and programming a website using HTML, CSS; Video editing using Adobe Premiere Pro and Photoshop.
- Mathematics: B
- Psychology: C

Certifications

- **Python Programming MOOC 2025** *University of Helsinki| 2025* -Qualification in advanced Python skills. Learning core concepts, theory and application of programming.
- **CS50 - Harvard University** - Programming skills with a focus on Python, SQL, HTML, CSS
- Completed all coursework modules, with an exam in March/May.
- **Data Analysis - IBM**

EXTRACURRICULAR & INTERESTS

- **Marathon Runner**: Fundraised over £5,000 for local charities through the Three Peaks Challenge.
- **Community Engagement**: Active volunteer at park runs in Clapham and Tooting.
- **Self-Development**: Currently advancing programming skills in my free time.
- **Entrepreneurship:** Ran a small successful eBay business building computer units from scratch and selling for profit between age 13-17