

# CURRICULUM VITAE

I have experience as a factory operative, however, my true passion has always been in programming and development, and I have strong attention to detail and inclination for problem-solving. To build upon this interest, I have recently graduated from a coding Traineeship as a full stack developer including completing 2 real-world projects successfully to specification using a wide range of programming languages. I have excellent customer service, communication, teamwork and organisation skills and a strong work ethic. I am looking forward to establishing a career in the development field where I can prove myself as an asset.

## PERSONAL DETAILS

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## CODING TRAINEESHIP

### **IT Career Switch Ltd**

Coding Traineeship – Full stack developer  
1-year program

During the traineeship I had to demonstrate a very competent level of the following programming languages and technical skills

- HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript
- PHP, SQL, React, jQuery
- Python, Node.js, Bootstrap
- Command line Git, Github
- Remote API access

## ADDITIONAL TECHNOLOGIES:

- Express.js

## DEVELOPMENT EXPERIENCE:

Below are the two briefs of development projects I completed with IT Career Switch which can be found in my bio: <https://www.bentimbrell.co.uk/>

### **Portfolio Project #1: “Gazetteer”**

The specification was to reply to a website specification for a map-based app to provide information on countries, with a focus on a “mobile-first” development. Preferably using a framework, to then develop HTML, CSS and JavaScript with JQuery modules that use PHP server-based components to source data from third-party APIs (Geonames, OpenWeather). The solution is assessed on its delivery to specification, functionality, and usability.

### **Portfolio Project #2: “Company Directory”**

A more rigorous reply to this specification was required as a user requirements document was needed to be prepared which, when signed off, triggers the release of SQL allowing to develop a “mobile-first” application to maintain a company personnel database (MySQL). Sign off is only achieved upon the student supplying an independently witnessed document providing confirmation of the system’s ability to perform error-free.

## **CAREER HISTORY:**

**Aug 2023 - Present**

### **Study Break**

During this time I focused on completing my Coding Traineeship at IT Career Switch.

**May 2016 – Jul 2023**  
**POSITION HELD:**

### **Bray Group Ltd** **Factory Operative**

- Helped with the production of caustic sticks
- Printed labels
- Packed products
- Cleaned the rooms

**EDUCATION:**  
**2012 – 2015**

### **Aberystwyth University**

BSc (Hons) Internet Computing and Systems Administration (*Grade: 2:2*)

**2005 – 2012**

### **Faringdon Community College**

Three A-Levels

Nine GCSEs (*Grade: A – C*)