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## **Personal Statement**

Motivated and adaptable graduate with a Level 6 qualification in Business Management (Finance) and a strong passion for software development. I am currently enrolled in a software development bootcamp, learning full-stack technologies including JavaScript, Next.js, React and Express, with hands-on experience using Postman and Insomnia for API testing. Recently, I've also been working with MongoDB to expand my database skills.

I focus on developing practical skills through hands-on projects. I enjoy creating things that are not only technically solid but also intuitive and useful for users. I'm looking for a chance to be part of a team where I can keep learning, get experience on real projects, and become a well-rounded software developer.

## Skills

- Languages & Frameworks: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Next.js, React
- Databases: MongoDB, Mongoose
- Tools & Platforms: Postman, Insomnia, Git & GitHub, Visual Studio Code
- Concepts: RESTful APIs, DOM Manipulation, Responsive Design, CRUD Operations
- Productivity Tools: Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint), Google Suite
- Soft Skills: Effective communicator, team player, organized, self-motivated, problem-solver

## **Projects**

## **Weather Forecast App**

**GitHub:** https://github.com/NicoletaGheorghe/weather-app | Live Demo: https://weather-app-wine-phi-95.vercel.app/

Built as part of a team project using Next.js and Tailwind CSS. The app allows users to search weather forecasts for up to three cities and view a 7-day forecast using the Open-Mateo API. Focused on responsive design, API integration, and collaborative development.

# **Caesar Cipher Encryption Tool**

**GitHub:** <a href="https://github.com/NicoletaGheorghe/Caesar-Cipher">https://github.com/NicoletaGheorghe/Caesar-Cipher</a> | **Live Demo:** <a href="https://nicoletagheorghe.github.io/Caesar-Cipher/">https://nicoletagheorghe.github.io/Caesar-Cipher/</a>

Built a Caesar Cipher tool in JavaScript using Test-Driven Development. Wrote unit tests before implementation to ensure reliable, modular code. Handled upper/lowercase and special characters while strengthening skills in string manipulation and control flow.

#### **Candles Website**

**GitHub:** https://github.com/NicoletaGheorghe/Candles-website | Live Demo: https://nicoletagheorghe.github.io/Candles-website/

Created a simple, responsive website to showcase candle products using only HTML and CSS. Focused on building a clean, user-friendly design. Used media queries to ensure a good experience across all screen sizes.

#### Education

Software Development Skills Bootcamp (Full-Stack Web Development)

# The Developer Academy | April 2025 - June 2025

An intensive, full-time 12-week program focused on modern web development.

- Learned front-end development using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript, with a strong emphasis on DOM manipulation, UX, and accessibility.
- Practiced Object-Oriented Programming (OOP), Test-Driven Development (TDD), and Agile methodologies.
- Built and tested RESTful APIs using Node.js, Express, and MongoDB (Mongoose).
- Worked on collaborative group projects, applying version control with Git and using Agile methodologies.

**Bachelor's degree in business management (Finance)** 

## Regent College in partnership with University of Bolton | 2022

- Gained foundational knowledge in business processes, financial management, and organizational skills.
- Developed analytical thinking through coursework, with a focus on budgeting, financial statements, and business strategy.

# Work experience

#### Cleaner

Various Companies | 1 November 2022 - Present

- Performed cleaning duties in various environments, including offices and public spaces.
- Ensured cleanliness and organization by dusting, vacuuming and sanitizing surfaces, ensuring high hygiene standards.
- Managed cleaning supplies and equipment, ensuring safe handling and proper storage.
- Worked independently and as part of a team to meet client needs, maintaining a safe and tidy environment.
- Followed health and safety guidelines to ensure a safe working environment for both staff and visitors.

# Retail Assistant

TK Maxx | 15 June 2019 - 20 September 2021

- Provided excellent customer service by assisting customers with product inquiries and processing transactions efficiently on the tills.
- Maintained the tidiness of the shop floor, ensuring that products were neatly displayed and easily accessible for customers.
- Organized and ensured the cleanliness of changing rooms and store displays, creating a positive shopping environment.
- Worked collaboratively with team members to ensure smooth store operations during busy periods.

#### Packer

The Recruitment Shop Ltd | 24 May 2018 – 23 September 2018

- Packaged products efficiently and accurately according to company guidelines, ensuring products were prepared for shipment with minimal errors.
- Checked the quality and condition of products before packing, ensuring compliance with company standards.
- Worked collaboratively with the team to meet production and shipping deadlines.
- Ensured proper labelling and documentation for shipments to guarantee timely delivery and inventory accuracy.
- Maintained a clean and safe work environment, adhering to health and safety guidelines.