

# Software Engineer

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## Profile

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I am a very hard working individual determined to succeed in my career. Indeed, I am passionate in computer science, and my goal for the future is to achieve a leading role in many diverse computing projects. I am a self motivated, highly organised person good to work under pressure and to deadlines. With the ability to adapt and to learn quickly, I am currently looking for a job, based in London, in a challenging environment preferably in an IT or financial company.

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## Qualifications

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- **Certification:** Microsoft .Net Framework 2.0 – Windows Based Client Development
  - **Programming Languages:** ASP.Net, C#, VB, PHP/MySQL, XHTML, AJAX, CSS, XML, XSLT, C, C++ (Borland C++), Java, Perl, CGI
  - **DBMS:** Microsoft SQL Server 2003/2005, Oracle 9i, PostgreSQL, MySQL
  - **O.S.:** UNIX Debian, Windows XP, Windows NT /2000
  - **Server:** IIS, Apache, JBoss, Glassfish, Microsoft Windows 2003 Server, Microsoft Exchange Server 2003
  - **Modelling language:** UML, Merise, Customer Centred Design
  - **Network:** TCP/IP (Cisco Certified Network Associate level 3)
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## Career History

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### Front End developer (November 2007 – April 2008)

- **Digivate 2.0:** Specialised in online marketing and ecommerce, Digivate is one of the biggest media agency in London. As a part time developer, I've been involved in different projects like the followings.
- ✓ **Moveme.co.uk :** Awarded by Yahoo for the first version, we developed a new interface much more interactive, using Ajax, Scriptaculous (Ajax framework based on prototype) HTML, and CSS.
- ✓ **Startriteshoes.com :** Based on Symfony (CMS), my work was to develop a Multimaps application allowing the user to find the nearest Startrites shop to the location he inputted.
- ✓ **Mydeco.com:** I created a tool in AJAX to estimate the cost of their products according to different parameters entered by the user.

### Web developer (July 2007 – October 2007)

- **Fifou-Galerie.com** Inspired from Google Picasa, this website is a picture gallery developed in PHP5, AJAX and CSS. In fact, the entire website is on one page even the administration interface and thanks to Ajax technologies the website is really user friendly.

### Junior .NET developer (August 2007 – November 2007)

- **Douglas and Gordon:** With 12 offices located mainly in west London, and 180 employees, this estate agent is one of the biggest in London. My role was to improve their main software Edge which is a system in ASP.NET 1.1 to manage all the properties, the contacts, the transactions... of the company. Secondly I worked on a software, Portals in .NET2 which transfer all their properties and pictures directly on different portals like right-move.co.uk, prime-location.co.uk, moveto.co.uk... I was responsible of that software.

### Web developer (July 2006 – November 2006)

- **Internship at Micrologik:** Based in Menton in France, this company creates websites for businesses all over the region. Their customers are mainly local companies like property agencies, artificers ... My job was mainly to develop and maintain websites but I was also in direct contact with the customers as a commercial. You can see above some websites that I have created during this placement.
- ✓ **SudEstImmobilier.com :** Developed for a Monaco's property agency in PHP/MySQL and Javascript. This website gathers a front and a back office system which allow the administrators to modify all its content. It also includes a Javascript tool to simulate a property financing.
- ✓ **Bonsignore-Olivetta.com :** Developed in HTML/ Javascript, it is a front office website to present the company, their products...
- ✓ **Tassone-Stores.com :** As the one above, it is also a front office website to present the company.

### Linux developer (2 days per week from December 2005 to April 2006)

- **Internship at Nouricia:** It is a huge agriculture cooperative located in Troyes which hired me to improve and create several shell scripts to replace human procedures by automated ones.

### Web developer (from April 2004 to June 2004)

- **Internship at the IUFM of Nice:** I worked on an intranet project for all the Institute of Education of Nice. The solution developed was in PHP and allowed students and teachers to share and search files on the web application according to many criteria.

### Other jobs (from 2005)

- Casual waiter/ **Team Leader** at the Savoy Hotel in London from December 2006 to December 2007
- Waiter at the Balmoral Hotel in Edinburgh during the summer 2005

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## Education and Training

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- **2005-April 2008:** 3 years in Supinfo – The International Institute of Information Technology  
7-8 Henrietta Street, Covent Garden London WC2E 8PW  
([www.Supinfo.co.uk](http://www.Supinfo.co.uk))  
  
Established 2 years ago in UK, Supinfo is the biggest computing university in France. It provides to the students a wide knowledge in IT by studying modules like Oracle, Microsoft Technologies, Cisco, Linux, Java, AI, Security, Data Warehouse, ITIL ...  
And in addition to IT modules, our formation contains business courses like Marketing, Law, IT Companies Strategies, Project Management, Performance Management, Resource Management, Economical Intelligence...
- **2004-2005:** Napier University, Edinburgh, Bachelor of engineering of computing
- **2002- 2004 :** Institut Universitaire de Technologies (Nice – France)  
D.U.T equivalent to a 2 year University degree in computer science with optional software engineering at the University Institute of Technology

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## Main University Projects

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- Developing a Java FTP server
- Developing a picture management system in C#.Net in a group of 3
- Developing a website in C#, ASP.NET calculating the shortest path between 2 points on a map
- Analysing and developing a restaurant management system in a group of 5 using Borland C++
- Developing an authenticated and secured code search engine in Perl and CGI in a group of 3
- Developing a component in VB
- Analysis of a conference management system involving the use of UML

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## Interests

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- **Hobbies** Computing and business reading
- **Sports** Football, pool, ping-pong, gym
- **Travelling** USA, United Kingdom, Italy, Switzerland, Austria, and Spain

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## References

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- **Mr. Michael Reed** Douglas and Gordon – IT Manager  
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- **Mr. Zaheed Haque** Digivate – Development Manager  
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