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Right to work in the UK & EU

# Software skills

## **Programming languages**

Python

JavaScript/Node.js

**PHP** 

Some experience with: R, Haskell, Java

#### **Development tools/environments**

Git, Docker, Linux, Bash, Apache, GitHub, GitLab, MS DevOps

### Audio & media tools

Reaper, MuseScore, Audacity, Inkscape, LaTeX

#### Other

HTTP, DNS, REST, JSON, Raspberry Pi, Wordpress, Microsoft Office (esp. Excel, Word)

### Certifications

**ISTQB** Combined Software Testing Foundation and Agile Extension

# Other skills

### Languages

German native English proficient (C2) CAE grade A

French advanced (C1)

Spanish elementary (A1)

# **Experience**

### **Motorola Solutions**

Java Software Engineer

Backend work on a suite of web services for public safety organizations. DevOps and Agile methodology.

- Java/Spring Boot application development
- Test automation with Python, Cucumber, Selenium
- Participating in 24/7 support rota
- · Automating development workflows with GitHub and Azure DevOps

Junior System Integration Test Engineer

02/22 - 10/22

10/22 - 05/24

Test automation and manual testing of Windows and Android apps

### Institute of Phonetics and Speech Processing (LMU Munich)

Research Assistant (speech technology)

09/19 - 11/19, 03/20 - 09/20

Design and implementation of specialized linguistic software

- Converter between speech annotation file formats (Python)
- Tool for standardisation of text files user-submitted through web interface (Bash)
- Tool for automatic assembly of a maximally diverse speech corpus sourced from pre-existing corpora (R + tidyverse)

Research Assistant (experimental research)

10/19 - 03/20

- · Implementing and conducting empirical psycholinguistics experiments (PsychoPy)
- Developing tools for test subject acquisition (PHP)
- Handling experiment result data confidentially and efficiently (Excel)

# **Education**

## University of the West of Scotland

10/20 - 10/21

MA Music (with Distinction)

Paolo Nutini Scholarship recipient. Focus of study on music technology Master's project: Programmatic Looping (see below, personal project laszlo)

### LMU Munich

BSc Computer Science (first year only)

10/19 - 09/20

Interim year before receiving scholarship for Master's degree. Focus of study on:

- Computational linguistics
- Formal language theory (grammars, parsing)
- · Programming language theory (esp. for Haskell, Java)

BA Phonetics and Speech Processing

10/15 - 09/19

Final grade: 1.7 (UK 2:1)

Thesis: The influence of paralinguistic sounds on the perception of synthesized speech, grade: 1.0 (UK 1st class)

Notable modules:

- Speech Technology (signal processing, speech recognition & synthesis)
- Statistics (statistical analysis & data visualisation using R)
- Databases (managing speech databases with R & emuDB)

### University of Strasbourg

09/17 - 01/18

ERASMUS exchange term

# **Personal Projects**

video showcase 2 github 2

A Python library + desktop app + programmable guitar effect pedal for creating highly flexible audio loopers. Includes an audio engine written in Python, a dedicated markup language (.laszlo) and a GUI written in HTML/Sass/JS

iotter github ♂ A web app for temporary storage of notes and files with a RESTful HTTP API. Written in PHP and HTML/CSS/JS

home server

My Raspberry Pi server through which I'm learning self-hosting. Hosts various services (such as Nextcloud) using Docker and

the Caddy web server as a reverse proxy.