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An accomplished and experienced Senior Analyst Programmer with a range of skills encompassing Development, Installation and Configuration of IT Hardware & Software, with a history of employment as an Application, Web and Mobile developer using the latest mainstream technology within an AWS Linux and Windows Azure Environment.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Windows / Embedded Development:	Microsoft Visual Studio (5+ years) Microsoft Mobile / Compact Framework (5+ years) Microsoft Embedded Visual Basic, Pi Pico (5+ years) Borland Delphi, MPLAB / MPASM Assembler (5+ years)
Apple Development:	Xcode, Objective-C, Swift / UI, WatchOS (5+ years)
Android Development:	Android Studio, Kotlin, Wear OS (2+ year)
Databases:	MS SQL, MySQL, SQLite, MongoDB and Redis (5+ years)
Web / Other Development:	MS Visual Studio, Dreamweaver, Flash, Asp.Net Node.Js, Php, Python, jQuery, JavaScript VbScript, PhoneGap, Wml, HTML5, CSS3, IIS and Ftp (5+ years)
Assembly Languages:	PIC RISC Micro-controller, 8086, 68000, 6502 (5+ years)
Microsoft Windows:	Windows 10 / 8 / 2012 / 2008 / 2003 / VISTA / XP (5+ years)
Cloud Computing:	Windows Azure and Amazon Web Services (5+ years)

SOFTWARE LABEL - INDEPENDENT APPLE APP STORE DEVELOPMENT

Apple iOS Developer Program,
(6 Apps available to download from the Apple Store)

Enrolled July 2009 – Present
<http://apps.zonktechnology.com/>

Been enrolled on the Apple iOS Developer Program since 2009, having successfully submitted and continue to update a variety of my own apps on the Apple Store through TestFlight.

iTracker *Prototyped in PhoneGap Migrated to Native Objective-C iOS6, updated for iOS 7 - 12*
Is a GPS based telemetry logger that stores real-time location data at user defined intervals. Journey information can be displayed on an interactive map or through the built-in CSV and GPX viewer. Routes exported via email and Dropbox can be imported into third party software that support both Comma-separated and GPS eXchange file formats. Waypoints can be graphically or manually bookmarked, then imported and exported via the clipboard.

iWeatherMap *Developed for iOS7, updated for iOS 8 - 17* iweathermap.zonktechnology.com
Hassle free, past and present weather forecasting with accurate short term and long term future predictions, anywhere in the world. The simple to use UI comes into it's own when choosing a geographical location within a specific point in time, making it ideal for a variety of forecasting requirements.

Other apps include... [iPicSolve®](#), [iWebSearch](#), [iColourPicker](#), [iTimeTable](#)

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EMPLOYMENT

Lead / Senior iOS Developer, (Freelance)
Silicon Roundabout
(Startups)

January 2016 – Present
www.techhub.com

Developing iPhone / Android based minimum viable products for the startup community, solutions consisting of server & client-side technology that are subject to non-disclosure agreements.

Chief Technology Officer, (Full Time)
MangoSteam LTD, Canary Wharf
(Startup)

January 2015 – December 2015
www.mangosteam.net

Developing and maintaining backend servers while providing instruction and guidance to off-shore outsourced front-end native mobile developers, ensuring coding standard & conformity.

Senior Developer, (Full Time)
Hitched LTD, Camberley
(Wedding and Leisure)

March 2014 – December 2014
www.hitched.co.uk

[hitched for Wedding Guests](#) (Available on the Apple App Store – Native iOS 8)

Brought on-board in order to turn around the time already invested developing the company's first iOS based mobile app. As a result of this, knowledge of iOS development is now in-house and the app has now been pushed to the Apple store within the allotted time.

- The overseeing of an outsourced offshore team of mobile developers
- Ensuring a comprehensive scalable and maintainable programming library
- Implementation of bespoke Storyboard UI's for an enhanced and optimal UX
- Dependency management by means of CocoaPods
- Mobile communication via a C# ASP.NET, JSON and RESTful based Web API
- The integration of 3rd party libraries such as AFNetworking, Parse push notification, FMDB, Google Analytics / Interstitial / Monetisation, Objective-Zip and Zbar
- Arc Development, Forecast.io Weather Web API, Grand Central Dispatch (GCD)

Full stack development in a Windows / Mac / iOS / AWS and SQL Development environment using Xcode Objective-C, Visual Studio C#, MS SQL Server, SQLite, Core Data, DOT NET, Instruments, GitHub, SVN, TestFlight, Local and Remote Push Notification.

Senior Analyst Programmer, (Full Time)
Simplyhealth (Groupama Healthcare), Letchworth
(Private Medical Insurance)

March 2011 – February 2014
www.simplyhealth.co.uk

Having recently been acquired by Simplyhealth, I found myself discussing with the then CEO about what mobile technology could bring to the company. The conversation moved on to an idea that he had for a mobile passive fitness tracking app which would encourage people to invest time in walking part way towards their daily commute. As a result of our 20 minute meeting,

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the company provided myself and a colleague with the latest Apple technology in order to investigate how this platform could bring their business services closer to their customers' needs.

Mobile Santé (A member's guide) Prototype and Proof of Concept

Designed and developed in a Windows / Mac / iOS / Cloud and SQL Development environment using Windows Azure, AWS, Visual Studio 2012, MS SQL Server / Reporting Services 2012, DOT NET Framework 4.5, Xcode Objective-C (iOS6), TestFlight, Dreamweaver CS6, PhoneGap 2.7, Hybrid, jQuery Mobile and Html5.

Web / Software Developer, (In-House)
Acwebserve, Maidenhead

December 2009 - February 2011
www.acwebserve.com

Hosted a collocated Dell PowerEdge 650 web and database server at RapidSwitch to assist and work in tandem with the following in-house development technology...

- Pic-Microcontroller
- Visual Studio 2010, ASP.NET 4
- Windows Mobile 6.5 VB.NET 3.5
- MS SQL 2008

Web Developer, (Volunteer)
Berrygrove School, Watford

December 2008 - July 2012
www.berrygroveschool.co.uk

Design, development & maintenance of a bespoke website and web-content management system using MS Visual Studio 2010 / SQL Server 2008, ASP.NET4.5, IIS 7.5, MySQL 5, Dreamweaver / Flash CS6, Html5, PHP5, jQuery Mobile, jScript, CSS3, Crystal Reports 10.

Web / Software Developer. (Full Time)
Holstein UK Ltd, Rickmansworth, Hertfordshire
(Pedigree Society)

February 2006 - November 2009
www.holstein-uk.org

Software Development

Coding and Testing, Product Maintenance, Maintaining In-house Software Standards, Performance Tuning, Customer Support, Ad-hoc Queries & Documentation.

Development Platforms, Applications and Languages

Win Server 2003 / XP / Mobile 5, MS SQL Server & Visual Studio 2008, Crystal Reports 10, ASP.NET, VB.NET, DOT NET 1.1-3.5, T-SQL, IIS 7, WAP / GSM, Access 2003, SVN, Adobe Captivate / Dreamweaver / Flash / Photoshop CS3.

Mobile Type Classification Service

In a team involved with the design, development and implementation of a Windows Mobile 5 Professional VB.NET 3.5 based solution in order to classify cows for the farming industry using the Symbol MC9094 hand held device. Gathered Information is validated and processed using a compact version of SQL, this is then transmitted back to in house servers via a GSM based web service. Classification reports are generated and printed at the client's site via a Bluetooth printer.

Real Time Inbreed Co-Efficient Calculator

Developed T-SQL Stored procedures to reflect the co-efficient algorithms researched by our company geneticist in order to allow clients to accurately predict inbreed co-efficiency in existing and mating cattle. The Stored Procedures are called through a data access and business logic layer by an ASP.NET 2 based web and mobile phone based solutions.

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Network Engineer, (Contract)

**Cheeky Munkey Ltd, Bricket Wood, Hertfordshire.
(PC Network Installations)**

December 2004 - January 2006

www.cheekymunkey.co.uk

Designing, planning, installing, configuring, maintaining and fault finding Cat 5 Peer-to-Peer, workgroup and domain networks using Cisco Aironet 1200 Wireless Access Points.
Replaced paper job sheets with a digital version.

Software Developer, (Freelance)

**Zonk® Technology, Wilbury Way, Hitchin
(ActiveX and Pocket PC Development)**

January 2003 - January 2006

www.zonktechnology.com

PDA Digital Job sheet - Microsoft Embedded Visual Basic

Designed, developed and implemented with Cheeky Munkey, a Pocket PC 2000 based digital job sheet solution as an alternative to the previously used paper system. The Network Engineer fills out the job sheet on their PDA which is checked and then signed digitally by the Customer, using a stylus and a touch screen. The Engineer's completed and signed job sheets are then sent electronically to a webserver, where they can be viewed on-line.

GPS Telemetry Recorder – Visual Basic 6

Developed to display real-time Global Positioning Information direct from a GPS connected to a Laptop via Bluetooth or a Standard Serial Port. The data stream record received from the GPS can be streamed to a Text File or placed into a Table on a Database hosted on SQL Server. The data can be in turn displayed in a Web Page and hosted through IIS or Apache enabling a live feed to Users online.

Visual Basic Consultant, (Contract)

**CJL Computers Ltd, Axminster, Devon.
(MultiValue and PICK Based Systems)**

November 2002 - December 2002

www.cjlcomputers.co.uk

Designed and developed a bespoke database system in Visual Basic 6 to access information stored on a MultiValue Database System using OLEDB connectivity. The original database system used green screen and command line driven menus and needed to be developed in Visual Basic to make full use of the Windows graphics user interface.

Software & Database Developer. (Full Time)

**Analogue and Digital Technology PLC, Dunstable.
(Apple Authorised Service Provider)**

April 1999 - October 2002

www.euro-adt.com

Software Database Development

As part of the IT Department my job was to develop in house software and database systems using Borland Delphi 7, FileMaker 5 and Microsoft Transact-SQL 2000.

Developed a clocking system in Delphi allowing employees to clock in and out by simply swiping an ID card with a barcode printed on it. The personnel and clocking data were stored on SQL Server 2000 accessed via ADO using Stored Procedures to prepare and process employee clocking reports.

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OPEN SOURCE REPOSITORY / PUBLIC DOMAIN

Code Monkeys (*Organiser*)
Open Source, Online

February 2014 - Present
<https://github.com/code-munkeys>

A meet up for software developers interested in learning new technologies with like minded people. We meet every 3 weeks on Thursday evening to discuss a topic in the software engineering genre. Members can vote on which topic they would like to discuss. There will be web links to suggested learning in preparation for the meet up. Explored coding techniques and tutorials are available on GitHub.

iTodo (*Available on-line*)

<https://github.com/code-munkeys/itodo>

A full stack approach to integrating mobile and server side technology.

Project open source code includes...

1. Mobile App (Xcode13 Objective-C iOS16)
2. Restful Webservice C# WebAPI (MongoDB.Net Driver 1.8.3.9)
3. Database (MongoDB 2.4.9)

Archive.Org (*Contributor*)
Community Software, Online
(Public Domain)

March 2021 - Present
<https://archive.org/details/@franzayestaran>

A collection of legacy MS-DOS applications that I developed back in the 90s.

EDUCATION / PERSONAL

The Open University	BSc (Honours) Degree in Computing and IT	Studying
City & Guilds	Website Software – Dreamweaver Level 3	March 2011
City & Guilds	Communication & Information Technology	July 1987
CRB Enhanced Disclosure	001219712606	May 2013
Data Protection	Groupama Insurances	October 2011
Forklift License (<i>Counterbalance & Reach</i>)	RTITB 100231108	September 2010
Health & Safety	Level 2 Award – In the Workplace	September 2010

UK CAA - Drone & model aircraft: A1 & A3 OSC / GBR-RP-KZVMMXMTKZBK **July 2021-26**

Other Roles: Fire Warden **Resident:** UK **Driving Licence:** Full UK Car & Motorcycle

Interests: Rebuilding Car and Motorcycle Engines, Motorcycle / Single Seater Track Days