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Personal info

I am a QA professional with **10 years of experience**. I started working as a part-time QA during studies, moved to the UK in 2015 and gained knowledge in **test automation**, agile methodology, **cloud technology** and engineering management.

My **commercial experience** includes working for clients/companies all over the world. I would consider myself as an excellent QA thanks to a solid **development background** (it's so beneficial to understand what went wrong when you find a defect!) Team success and customer satisfaction mean so much to myself.

In my free time I enjoy spending time with **my daughter**, good live music, homebrewing **ales and lagers**, walking in woods, all sorts of DIY, and **photography** (see gallery.) I also used to be a scout!

Experience

Lead Test Engineer @ James and James Fulfilment (Northampton, UK) 2021 - now

- Founded the QA process – including **CI/CD** and **test automation** from scratch
- Acting as an **Engineering Manager**, hiring QAs, developers and product owners
- Strong agile advocate – always promoting **agile delivery methods** and helping to implement correct **delivery workflow** in JIRA
- Actively contributing to **Python/Robot Framework** test automation framework that uses **Playwright** as a webdriver
- Working with business stakeholders on **efficient UAT**

Technical Test Lead @ Virgin Media (Hemel Hempstead, UK) 2019 - 2021

- Played a key role in **agile transformation**
- **Directly managed** team of 5
- Kicked off new automation strategy using **Python/Robot Framework** and **Selenium**
- Introduced advanced estimation techniques and **development KPIs**
- Implemented **visual regression** testing library
- Acted as a **scrum master** on a key project

Technical QA Analyst @ Access Group (Harpenden, UK) 2016 - 2019

- **Project QA lead** responsible for scoping, planning, design and execution of manual QA
- Owner of the **Selenium** and **REST API** automation packs
- Developed into a company go-to person for **test automation**
- **Agile advocate**, helped the team to follow correct principles and **increase the delivery**
- Implemented **latest technical aspects** to existing automated test packs
- Coached junior team members to gain both **technical and non-technical skillset**

(more experience is on the [website](#) - I aim to keep my CV on 2 pages)

Education

Google Cloud Platform Fundamentals 2020
ISTQB Certification - Foundation Level 2018

BSc in Business Information Systems 2011 - 2014
Faculty of Business and Economics, Mendel University in Brno
(I left school during 6th semester – feel free to ask if you want to know why!)

Czech A-levels in General studies, Czech, English and Information systems 2007 - 2011
Gymnázium Křenová 36, Brno, CZ
(It's a different country so please ask me if you want to know more about this!)

Skillset

Test Automation

Robot Framework
Selenium
Playwright
Python
Data-driven Testing
API Automation
Visual Automation (screenshot comparison)
Vulnerability Scanners
Load and Performance Test Automation

Test Analysis

Requirement Analysis
Test Design
Test Execution
UI/UX testing
Functional Testing
Non-functional Testing
Black-box testing
White-box testing
Load and Performance Testing
Vulnerability Testing

Development

Python
C++/C#
HTML
Javascript
PHP
Perl
Pascal
CSS
Windows Command Line
Unix Bash/Shell
MySQL, PostgreSQL
Git and BitBucket

Other systems and platforms

JIRA, Confluence
Drupal
WordPress
Git and SVN
Salesforce
Agile and its frameworks

Please note that I'm fully able to work in the UK as a settled status holder.