

# Sean Stevens

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## *Personal Statement*

I am a third year student at Sheffield Hallam University studying MComp Games Software Development. During my studies and through prior work experience, I have been able to gain and develop essential skills such as leadership, team working, time management and problem solving abilities; whether logically or mathematically based. As a motivated and well organised individual, I relish in new opportunities and always strive to succeed to the best of my ability, in order to gain new skills and experience when working in new environments.

## *Education*

### **University**

Sheffield Hallam University September 2013 – 2017

#### **Year Two Modules (71.8%)**

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Object-Oriented Programming (77%)</li><li>Programming for Games (75%)</li><li>Software-Hardware Optimisation Techniques (73%)</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Mathematics for Modelling and Rendering (61%)</li><li>Professional Development Project (77%)</li><li>Web Application Development (68%)</li></ul> |
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### **Sixth Form**

John Leggott College September 2011 – July 2013

#### **Qualifications (Sixth Form Education):**

<b>Subject</b>	<b>A/AS/BTEC grade</b>
A Maths	E
AS Physics	E
Computer Science	Distinction*
Media	Distinction*

### **Secondary School**

St Bede's Comprehensive September 2006 - June 2011

#### **Qualifications (Comprehensive Education):**

#### **11 GCSEs at grade C or above including**

<b>Subject</b>	<b>GCSE/BTEC grade</b>
Mathematics	A
Additional Science	B
Core Science	B
English	C
BTEC ICT	Distinction*

## *Work Experience*

### **Boam's Industrial Transport Training Services Ltd October 2010 (1 week)**

Through completing one week experience at a forklift training centre through secondary school, I gained an insight into how a training centre operates. I was able to work as an active member of the team; developing my knowledge on health and safety in a work place environment.

### **November 2011 – Present, Asda Stores Scunthorpe, North Lincolnshire**

#### **Frozen Food Assistant 2011 – 2012 (Seasonal)**

#### **Checkout Operator 2012 – 2016 (Part-time)**

#### **Checkout Operator 2016 – Present (Seasonal)**

Originally, I started as an ASDA Grocery Colleague throughout the busy Christmas and Easter periods, enabled me to be an active team member; working at a fast pace to ensure the shelves were correctly filled and were presented in a customer friendly manner. Here, I developed my communication skills when conversing and engaging with customers; answering any of their questions in a helpful manner. Being motivated, and through my hard work, I was offered a part-time job on checkouts; giving me the opportunity to deliver excellent customer experience and put the customer at the heart of everything I do.

When required, I would partake in over-time, actively assisting in other departments, which included; working in the kiosk, self-scan checkouts, portering, security, customer service desk, music and video desk and as a shop floor assistant.

## *Interests*

**Reading:** Reading enhances my own knowledge, giving me a deeper insight into my chosen area of study, whilst staying up to date with the latest development in technology.

**Piano:** Having learnt to play the piano, I am able to express myself creatively; where I revel in creating my own music and playing pieces from composed sheet music.

**Golf:** As a keen golf player, I appreciate the level of patience it requires to achieve the best possible outcome; a skill vital to the gaming industry when debugging and re-compiling code.

**Computing:** Out of personal interest, I self-taught myself how to use the Lua programming language, this enabled me to design and create games on ROBLOX. Whether learning programming, video editing, 3D modelling or image manipulation skills, I feel each individual project I accomplish is an achievement.

**Logical puzzles:** I relish the challenge of solving logical puzzles; particularly in finding the solution(s). In programming logical based problems arise; therefore it is necessary for me to have the relevant skills be able to provide a solution to these problems.

## *Skills*

- **Computing:** My main skill is computing, having the knowledge of multiple programming languages to include C++, C#, Lua, C, PHP and JavaScript. I am confident in using Microsoft Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Visual Studio, Blender and Unity.
- **Adaptable:** I have the ability to transfer my skills across different areas without limiting myself to a specific role/task.
- **Customer service:** The knowledge of delivering excellent customer service.
- **Team Work:** The ability to work as an active team member to successfully complete required tasks.

## References

### ***Sheffield Hallam University***

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