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## EDUCATION

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- 2013 – 2016 BA Hons English, Balliol College, University of Oxford
- First year exam results: 2.1 (65 average)
  - Researched and delivered on time twelve 3,000 word essays on new topics in each eight week term for discussion with peers and leading academics
- 2006 – 2013 St John's School, Milton Keynes
- A levels: French A\*, English A\*, Chemistry A, Geography A  
GCSEs: 5 A\*, 3 A, 1 B including A\* in English and Maths

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

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- 2015 Organic Farm WWOOF Volunteer, Haute Vienne, France (summer)
- Independently planned and organised two months' work in France
  - Improved to near-fluent French, while learning food production chain process
  - Developed good working relationships with 22 colleagues from 12 countries
- 2015 Team Leader, The Student Consultancy, Oxford University (8 weeks)
- Led a team of five students to develop marketing strategy for local start-up
  - Designed and executed paper and phone surveys, engaging 250 participants
  - Presented recommendations to client; all implemented within 3 months and delivering 20% increase in sales within 6 months
- 2014 Market Research Assistant, EGM Analysis (1 month internship)
- Produced eight accurate data tables to summarise previous field activities using SPSS
  - Presented daily key data summary to managers with a colleague
  - Developed knowledge and interest in marketing and consumer goods
- 2013 Customer Assistant, Pies-R-Us (part-time summer work)
- Communicated in a professional manner with up to 80 customers per day
  - Maintained positivity in high-pressure service environment
- 2011-14 Data Entry Clerk, Milton Keynes Hospital (part-time holiday work)
- Developed administrative skills, and understanding of organisational processes
  - Ensured accurate classification of records and meticulous proof reading
  - Liaised with six hospital departments to compile datasets to tight deadlines

## OTHER SKILLS AND INTERESTS

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- Languages: English – native; French – near-fluent; German – conversational
- IT: Proficient in Excel and SPSS, WordPress, InDesign and MS Office
- Music: Lead clarinetist in Milton Keynes Youth Band; member of National Youth Orchestra Marketing Officer for Balliol College wind ensemble. Promoted concerts and managed ticket sales, increasing audience numbers by 30% in the first year
- Sport: Balliol College football team; training twice a week  
Captain of St John's School women's football team (under 18s)
- Travel: Extensive travel throughout Europe, including organising work placement in France