# **Alain Gorrand**

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## **Education**

### St Thomas More Language College

(2009-2014)

GCSE results: 10 A\* -B

Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Maths, Business Studies, Religious Education, Geography, English Language, English Literature, French

### St Michael's Catholic Grammar School

(2014-2016)

A Level results: 3As

Economics, Biology, Chemistry

# University of Nottingham – Tropical Biology

(2016-2019) Results: 2:1

# **Work Experience**

## NHS Cancer Research, St Bartholomew's Hospital

Senior research assistant

# (Easter 2013)

- Shadowed a key member of laboratory staff, observing their day-to-day work and research
- Spending a few morning doing several tests with a blood sample, as a group and individually
- Demonstrated team work in the laboratory and also in the research centre
- Attended a lecture to find out more about cancer and cancer research
- Gained knowledge of key health and safety standards used within the industry
- Proficiency in all areas of Microsoft Office, Excel, Word and PowerPoint
- Ability to take the initiative and work well under pressure, ensuring strict deadlines were met

### RSPCA Central London

### (3<sup>rd</sup> -14<sup>th</sup> August 2015)

- Played an essential role in the welfare and wellbeing of over fifty cats, including intense cleaning of individual pods
- Judging whether someone and their home are able to take care of adopted animals
- Communicating and working alongside the local council, veterinary surgeons, police and members of the public
- Taking control in situations and hands on with rescuing neglected animals from homes, as well as handling confrontational situations

• Observing veterinary surgery in person

#### Deliveroo

### (October 2015 - March 2016)

- Collecting takeaway from restaurants and delivering them to homes
- Improved customer service skills
- Communicating and working alongside the restaurant, the customer and the office

### Flair Events

## (20<sup>th</sup> August 2016 – Present)

- Bar work at Sunfall Festival, 51st State & Moondance Festival, Fling Festival, Olly Murs Festival and Wembley Stadium
- Steward at The Suffering, Dirty Dozen Races
- Baggage Handler at JP Morgan Chase Corporate Challenge

### Seed Staff

## (28th August 2016 – Present)

- Steward at Robin hood Marathon
- Bar work at numerous festivals including Love Box Festival

## Studying in Malaysia

# (1st September 2018 – 31st July 2019)

- Completed multiple field studies in the tropics, including river, fish, bird and mangrove surveys at Tioman Island (totalling 4 weeks)
- Tree and bat survey at Krau Wildlife Reserve (totalling 2 weeks)
- Studying in a foreign country for almost a year with a focus on primarily on conservation and research

# References

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