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<education>

1996 Bergvliet High School - Science(c), Maths(a), Biology(c), Geography(d)

1997 University of Cape Town - 1st Year BSc - Maths(d), Physics(d), Chemistry (e), Applied Computing(d)

2000 Training Connection - MCSE completed and certified

2004 CTI - Java Developer Diploma - incomplete

2012 Westlake Tech - N2 Electrical Engineering - Maths(a), Engineering Science(a), Electrical
Trade Theory(c), Industrial Electronics(b)

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<experience>

1997 - 2003 Butlers Pizza

- Part-time pizza delivery and later full time branch management
- Telephonic order taking, daily cashups, stock control, QA

2001 - Old Mutual

- Travelled around Gauteng and Kwazulu-Natal to the Old Mutual Branches (~10) installing new PCs onto the network

2004 - Jakes Restaurant

- Waiting on clients

2005 - Debt Management Company (no longer extant)

- Installation of network points throughout the office

2005 - 2017 - La Colombe Restaurant (2010 - 12th in the world)

- Waiter, Assistant Front-of-House Manager
- Food and Wine Service, Customer Service, Daily Cashups

2010 - River Cafe Restaurant

- FOH Manager - The owners of La Colombe employed me to help relaunch the restaurant
- Waiter, Barista, Receptionist training, Customer service, Stock control, Financial reporting, Wages, Daily cashups and HR compliance

2017 - 2018 - Siris Vintners

- Sales Rep
- Liaising with clients continually, Finding new business, Waiter training sessions

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Simonvangend.com - *paid project (Internet Archive)*

This is Wordpress website for a local band my Fiance and I really love and so they hired me to put their website together. It has since been redesigned but still with my original theme.
Used: Wordpress, Php, PSD to HMTL & CSS

Dalebotha.com & Curiousdale.com - personal pr*ojects*

I love walking in Tokai Forest and I wanted a way to identify the trees in the Arboretum. I captured the data manually and created a small Angular site containing the database of their common and scientific names.
Used: Angular

Holistichub.co.za - Me and my Fiance's my project

My Fiance and I built a directory for all things holistic and healing in Cape Town. I used a wordpress theme but I had to do a *lot* of work to get it to look and behave the way we needed!
Used: Wordpress, Digital Ocean servers

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Tokai Arboretum SPA - *passion project*

I love walking in Tokai Forest and I wanted a way to identify the trees in the Arboretum. I captured the data manually and created a small JS array containing the database of their common and scientific names.
Used: Angular 1

The Drake Equation SPA - *passion project*

I love astronomy and I wanted an easier way of using the Drake Equation to work out how many possible civilizations there might be in the galaxy by changing the values of the terms of the Equation.
Used: JQuery, JQuery UI, HTML & CSS preprocessing

The D3 Visualization Tester - passion project

I was learning to use the D3.js library by building various visualizations just as an introduciton to using D3.. I've recently been exploring visualisation options using Python and it's related libraries eg. Seaborn and Bokeh, so I'm probably going to use those libraries to flesh out and complete this project.
Used: D3.js

The Dish Generator SPA - *passion project* **(in progress)**

I wanted to create an SPA for chefs to use to help create novel dish ideas using ingredient and preparation restrictions and also store these for later retrieval. This one needs a mockup and redesign and logic flow redone.
Used: Angular

Know Your Fallacies SPA - *passion project* **(in progress)**

I wanted a way to learn the logical fallacies so I started building one using Angular 1. I plan get back to it soon. But probably using Vue.js. I also need to rethink how I structure the logic and then I need to construct a small database of questions and answers.
Used: Angular

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