

# **Peter Andrew**

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### **Profile**

I am an enthusiastic and dedicated individual with a diverse skill set always looking to learn new things and share my knowledge. I try to find creative solutions to problems if obvious solutions are not present.

My goals is to continue to build and refine my existing skill set and to become a professional programmer with a broad understanding of several programming languages, with a strong portfolio of work to demonstrate this.

## Programming Languages and related skills:

JavaScript, HTML, CSS, React, Node.js

My programming work can be seen on GitHub: <a href="https://github.com/Pete-Andrew">https://github.com/Pete-Andrew</a>

#### Software:

CAD (SolidWorks), Unreal Engine, Excel, Photoshop, Blender, Zbrush

#### **Work Experience:**

#### **Livewell Southwest**

Clinical systems facilitator Clinical systems facilitator: April 2023 - Present

I am currently working within the clinical records team to resolve issues with digital medical records, primarily using the clinical records software SystmOne.

- In my current role I have been instrumental in planning for robotic process automation (RPA) at Livewell. The most financially significant RPA process I have mapped is predicted to have a net gain benefit projection of over £200,000 over a five year period.
- I have created spreadsheets that utilise the visual basic programming language to manipulate specific data sets, this has resulted in a substantial time saving for staff.
- I have helped train and continue to support new staff in our team.
- I have built a comprehensive working document of our team's main technical processes which did not exist previously. This saves time and allows processes to be standardised.

### Freelance Web Designer

March 2024 - Present

- I designed, built and still maintain, a website for a client working closely with her to achieve her vision.
- This required a strong knowledge of Html, CSS and JavaScript as well as being able to translate my client's ideas into code.
- I took the project from concept to completion working as a solo developer whilst also working a full time job, this required good time management as well as clear and regular communication with my client.

### **Self Employed Artist and Childcare**

March 2010 - April 2023

In order to support my wife's career, I opted to look after my small children. During this time:

- I worked as a freelance designer of 3D print models and of 2D artworks and worked with client specifications to create unique and outstanding artworks.
- I continued to learn a variety of software and completed a 3 month JavaScript bootcamp in this time.
- I also created a selection of 3d print models which I continue to sell online.

### The Marine Biological Association

Marine Life Education and Recording Trainee: Mar 2010 - Dec 2010

- Working with the Marine life information network and the education team on heritage surveys and events e.g. Seashore Safaris, National Science week and other scientific education and engagement projects.
- Marine species identification, validation of recording scheme information for the Sealife and the Shore Thing surveys.
- Working with huge data sets to analyses how marine species distribution is changing in response to global warming.
- Working with the National Biodiversity Network and undertaking species research, specifically into nonnative species and biofouling.

#### Education

### University of Plymouth (2007-2008)

MSc Biological Diversity (grade equivalent to merit)

### University of Exeter (2004-2007)

BSc Biological Sciences (2:1)

### Tavistock College (1996-2003)

A levels:

Biology (B), Art (A), Chemistry (C)

AS levels:

Physics (C)

10 GCSEs:

Biology (A), Chemistry (A), Physics (A), Art (A\*), Graphic Design (A), History (B), Maths (B), English Language (C), English Literature(A), French (B)

#### Additional Qualifications

### **Duchy College (2009-2010)**

Level 2 NVQ Environmental Conservation

### **Scientific Publications**

Benefer, C., Andrew, P., Blackshaw, R., Ellis, J., Knight, M. 2010. The spatial distribution of phytophagous insect Larvae in grassland soils. Applied Soil Ecology. 45, 269-274.

#### Interests

- In my spare time I like to use coding for useful tasks such as environmental control systems for my greenhouse, sheds and home.
- I have a long-term interest in keeping tropical insects and carnivorous plants and have created systems
  that allow me to look after them with minimal input. I enjoy the challenge of making my hobbies as self
  sufficient and low input as possible so I can spend more time enjoying them and less time maintaining
  them.
- I have always had a love for nature and have been involved in voluntary roles in woodland and heathland conservation.
- I am also an avid amateur musician and enjoy composition and home recording.
- Making models for 3D printing and for use in games is also a hobby, I have a VR headset and like to create models from the fantasy novels and comics I enjoyed as a child so that I can bring them to life in VR.
- Lastly, I enjoy exploring the Atlantic rainforests on Dartmoor with my family and wild swimming/snorkelling
  in the summer.