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CV

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CV ID: 75600049 **CV Headline:** 18 years of computer, net, broadcast, business and design experience.

OBJECTIVE:

Senior project manager responsible for development of interactive digital TV networks.

Eighteen years computer and broadcast experience and a strong business background with some of the world's leading companies. Instinctive knowledge of relevant computer, network and broadcast technologies and quality approach combined with lateral problem solving. Developer of real-time, full availability, secure computer systems that increase productivity, reduce staff, control support costs and meet customer requirements first time. Excellent planning skills, creative understanding, usability knowledge and technological foresight.

EXPERIENCE:

10/2005 - Present UK Free TV UK
Industry: Charity/Non-profit
Journalist/Programmer (part time)

Attend industry conferences (IPPR, Edinburgh TV festival), write articles and program web applications. This includes a Freeview reception prediction mathematical model with interactive maps. Contributed to Broadcast.

Implemented features such as RSS and Blogging. See <http://www.ukfree.tv/>

1/2002 - Present Career break - Various UK, Portugal
freelance projects
Industry: Internet/E-Commerce/New Media
Web consultant

Antidote vinyl – full function on-line shop implementation.
<http://www.antidotevinyl.com/>

Channel Digitek – promotional site for Digitek, includes content management, content streaming, and contact management. <http://www.channeldigitek.com/>

Subliminal Sounds – set-up of audio rental and service company in Lisbon, Portugal.

Other web-projects: Carbar (www.carbar.co.uk), CentreUnfair (bnb.bpweb.net/centerunfare).

(This time also includes other travel in Spain, Greece, Germany, Morocco, France, UK and Holland)

6/2001 - 6/2002 Clockwork Web London, UK
Industry: Internet/E-Commerce/New Media
Senior technical consultant

Analysed requirements then constructed and presented bid to Yorkshire Electricity/Seeboard for large-scale consumer customer service system. Recruited programming team to work with graphic designers and customers. Worked with all levels in the company to help win business and ensure delivery.

- Consultant problem solver for technical, computing and networking problems for BT Broadcast Services, Europe's leading supplier of global terrestrial and satellite services for international television and radio broadcasters with over 400 staff. Creative solutions for bids helped win many high-value contracts.
- As Special Project Manager I simultaneously managed many infrastructure and customer-facing projects.
- Implemented several hundred-node remote access secure ISDN systems, including one to win £60m ITV contract. Systems did not fail, saving contractual fines.
- Devised and managed implementation of first ever BT secure (SSL) web-based customer application. This lowered the cost of providing services by freeing call centre to deal with expanding customer base.
- Liaised with many external specialist Broadcast technology embedded software suppliers to ensure technical compliance, good working relationships, delivery to timescales and negotiated support contracts. Explained resulting systems to senior managers, users and support people to ensure maximum benefits. Systems have not failed to date, saving massive contractual fines. Proactive communication ensured that short-lived virtual teams could deliver upgrades or enhancements quickly.

3/1992 - 12/1995 BT Broadcast Services 125 Shaftesbury Avenue,
London WC2H 8BE

Industry: Telecommunications/Wireless
Systems specialist

Previously dealt with reconfiguration and upgrade of network to FDDI/Switched Ethernet and ATM. Researched and constructed ITV's data network and specified requirements of client server database to provide video network bookings (reducing staff through the automation) and electronic mail system. Awarded Chairman's Award for Quality for project. Constructed network for customer National TV switching system. Examined new technology, liaisons with suppliers. Delivered user and technical documentation. Negotiated corporate support contracts with WordPerfect. Edited documentation for BS5750/ISO9000 registration.

- Conceptualised technical design of stands at exhibitions and at BT Tower and co-ordinated many "instant win" customer demonstrations to senior management of companies such as BSkyB and Channel Four.
- Instigated for BT one of the first UK web servers in May 1995.
<http://web.archive.org/web/19961229132019/http://www.vbs.bt.co.uk/>
- Managed computing aspects of six large building relocation projects, a total of over 1000 staff movements. On-time relocation to buildings resulted in minimum disruption to business.

3/1992 - 2/1994 BT Broadcast Services 125 Shaftesbury Avenue,
London WC2H 8BE

Industry: Telecommunications/Wireless
Network designer

Prior to this I supported users in first and second line role. Analysed new user requirements. Recommended data communications products, databases, email and DTP system. Designed users' magazine. Constructed metropolitan area network. Assimilated knowledge of major PC software packages. Represented team as a Quality Champion

7/1991 - 3/1992 BT Syntegra Spitfire House, 141
Davigdor Road, Hove BN3
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Industry: IT- Software Systems & Design
Network Administrator

Installed and supported various UNIX, Netware, Windows and Tandem computer systems and integrated them into wide-area TCP/IP.

6/1990 - 7/1991 BT Syntegra Spitfire House, 141
Davigdor Road, Hove BN3
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Industry: IT- Software Systems & Design
Computer technician

Designed and provided office and email applications for development teams with Internet integration.

9/1988 - 6/1990 Kelly Temporary Services Brighton
Industry: Publishing/Broadcasting/Media
DTP operator

Produced, proof-read and designed documents for BT

1/1988 - 12/1989 Personal Computer World London
Industry: All
Author

Wrote published articles on operating system programming for leading computer publication.

1/1988 - 7/1988 STC Technology Harlow, Essex
Industry: All
Technical author

Technical librarian on GPS project

1/1988 - 6/1988 Office Angels Central London
Industry: All
Temporary worker

Various office roles.

EDUCATION:

9/1996 Technical Training UK-Variou-Variou
Professional
TECHNICAL

Computer communications, UNIX for systems administrators, Advanced UNIX system administration, Hands on X25, Introduction to ISDN, Frame relay cell relay and ATM, X400 structure and operation, SNMP, OSS and concert introduction, High-speed networks, Netware 4.0 intensive training, Windows 95, Updating from Netware 3.X to Netware 4.X.

9/1996 BT Management Training UK-V-Variou
Professional
MANAGEMENT

BT induction, Interpersonal skills, The winning edge, Quality champions, Introduction to management, Time management, QMS awareness, The winning edge II, Presentation skills, Running an effective helpdesk, Finance for non-financial people, Presentation skills, The engineer as a manager, Influence skills, effective management.

3/1993 Novell UK-London-London
Professional
Novell Certified Netware Engineer

12/1988 University of Essex UK-Essex-Colchester
Some College Coursework Completed
Computer Science (unfinished due to financial reasons)

6/1987 Wakefield District Collage UK-West Yorkshire-Wakefield
'A' Level/Higher
A-level: B Computer Science, General Studies; D Mathematics; E Physics

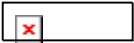
6/1986 Queen Elizabeth Grammar School UK-West Yorkshire-Wakefield
Secondary School or equivalent

O-level: A Maths, Physics; B French, Biology, Chemistry, Geography; C English, Engineering Drawing; OA Levels: A Science In Society; C Further Mathematics.

SKILLS:	Skill Name	Skill Level	Last Used/Experience
	PHP	Expert	Currently Used/3 years
	HTML	Expert	Currently Used/9 years
	TCP/IP	Expert	Currently Used/15 years
	UNIX system administration	Expert	Currently Used/15 years
	Windows administration	Expert	Currently Used/10 years
	Microsoft Office	Expert	Currently Used/10 years
	SQL	Expert	Currently Used/13 years
	X25	Expert	4+ years ago/14 years
	ISDN	Expert	4+ years ago/13 years
	broadcast technologies (MPEG, DVB-T, DVB-S)	Expert	3 years ago/10 years
	local/wide-area (including TCP/IP, ATM, broadband)	Expert	Currently Used/14 years

LANGUAGES:	Languages	Proficiency Level
	French	Conversational - Advanced

REFERENCES:	Reference Name:	Peter Cavanagh
	Reference Company:	Digital Interactive Television Group Ltd
	Reference Title:	Director of IT
	Phone:	020 7942 7942
	Email:	Peter.Cavanagh@ditg.co.uk
	Type:	Professional



SUMMARY

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Desired Salary:	60,000.00 GBP Per Year	
Current Career Level:	Senior Executive (Chairman, MD, CEO)	
Years of relevant work experience:	More than 15 Years	
Management Experience:	> 5 Years	
Project Leadership Experience:	> 5 Years	
Date of Availability:	Immediately	
Location Status:	UK - I am authorised to work in this country for any employer.	
Target Job:	Target Job Title:	Interactive system designer
	Alternate Target Job Title:	Senior project manager
	Desired Job Type:	Permanent
	Work Load:	Full-time
Target Company:	Company Size:	No Preference

	Category:	Telecommunications
	Industry:	IT- Software Systems & Design
Target Locations:	Selected Locations:	UK
	Relocate:	Yes
	Willingness to travel:	Up to 100% travel