

To whom it may concern,

I'm currently a Senior GIS Consultant with Atkins Geospatial Solutions (Atkins Global Limited) the largest engineering consultancy in the United Kingdom. I have been with the company two and half years working in a secondment position at Metronet who maintain 8 eight of the eleven rail lines in London and who is part of London Underground. My initial role was to coordinate the implementation of a Geographic Information System (GIS) within the Metronet Civils division. I delivered a successful project having overcome initial resistance within parts of the organisation towards the concept of GIS implementation (resulting from an earlier failed project). After the success of this project I have expanded the system through the business. I have established excellent working relationships with stakeholders at all levels: my team, Atkins managers, Metronet managers and Metronet directors. My team have set up a web-based system that can now be accessed by the 5000 staff within the company on their desktops. Through this role I have been heavily involved with enhancing business processes across the different groups with the use of GIS. I have held numerous presentations/workshops to obtain business requirements and used these to develop systems and procedures around the company. The current project is focused on system integration with document management systems and other databases that the company maintains, so that the Web GIS becomes a single portal of information.

During this project I have got involved with the Intergraph User Group and through my committee responsibilities I helped organise and chaired the 2008 annual UK conference. In my role in Metronet I have also set up a GIS rail technical forum for London, which includes, Cross Rail, Tubelines, London Underground and DLR. This forum has been very successful and now there are plans in place to expand the forum and invite all Intergraph rail users throughout the world to be involved.

I have 9 years professional work experience in GIS and was initially exposed to GIS through my undergraduate degree in Geography and continued to expand this interest by completing a Graduate Diploma in GIS while working as a GIS Operator at Rodney District Council. After completing my studies I moved into Flood Asset Management and was responsible for developing a GIS/Asset Management system at Environment Waikato.

Since moving to the UK I have continued to advance my experience through numerous Consultancy roles with Local and County Councils which in turn has been instrumental in the delivery of high-quality solutions to my Clients. My key experience involves implementing GIS systems and web interfaces, business analysis and requirement gathering, data analysis and manipulation, and establishing and maintaining asset management systems across numerous business sectors. My technical competencies include knowledge in Intergraph GeoMedia Professional and GeoMedia Webmap, ESRI ArcGIS and ArcIMS and interfaces with Oracle and Microsoft Access.

I have excellent interpersonal skills, I'm able to present my technical work to internal and external clients and I'm a team player.

I'm currently working in London and want to move back to New Zealand this year once I have found employment. My interest in sports and the outdoors and having a good work life balance is drawing me back to my home, New Zealand. My notice period in my current position is two months.

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Thanks and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Regards,

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