

Zaynab Bathia

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Education and awards

BA Hons English, Worcester College, University of Oxford	2022 – 2025
First year exam results: 2.1 (65% average)	
St John's School, Milton Keynes	2015 – 2022
A levels: French A*, English A*, Chemistry A, Geography A	
GCSEs: 5 A*, 3 A, 1 B including A* in English and Maths	
Awarded School Prize for A-level results and Smith Prize for 'Contribution to School Life'	

Experience

Worcester College Wind Ensemble, Marketing Officer	2023 - 2025
- Responsible for promoting termly college concerts using social media and printed material - Organised charity event, liaising with multiple stakeholders and raising over £2,000 - Manage ticket sales, successfully increasing audience numbers by 30% in the first term	
WWOOF, Organic Farm in Haute Vienne, France, Volunteer (summer)	2023
- Independently planned and organised two months' work in France - Improved to near-fluent French, while learning organic food production chain processes - Developed good working relationships with 22 colleagues from 12 countries	
Student Consultancy, Team Leader, University of Oxford (8 weeks)	2022
- Led a team of five students to develop marketing strategy for local start-up - Designed and executed paper and phone surveys, engaging 250 participants - Presented recommendations to client; all implemented within 3 months and delivering 20% increase in sales within 6 months	
EGM Analysis, Market Research Assistant (1-month internship)	2022
- Responsible for producing eight data tables summarising previous field activities using SPSS - Presented daily key data summary to four senior managers, with a colleague - Developed knowledge and interest in marketing and consumer goods	
Red Lion Hotel, Newport Pagnell, Waitress (part-time summer work)	2021
- Provided professional, courteous dinner service in busy gastro-pub with 80 covers - Maintained positivity and good working relationships in high-pressure service environment	
Milton Keynes Hospital, Data Entry Clerk (part-time holiday work)	2021
- Developed administrative skills, and understanding of organisational processes - Ensured accurate classification of records and meticulous proof reading - Liaised with six hospital departments to compile datasets to tight deadlines	

Skills and interests

Languages: Bilingual Punjabi and English; French – near-fluent; German – conversational

IT: Advanced proficiency in Excel, WordPress, InDesign

Music: Lead clarinetist in Milton Keynes Youth Band; member of National Youth Orchestra

Sport: College football team, training twice a week

Travel: Extensive travel throughout Europe, including organising work placement in France