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English & Philosophy

Class of 2015 Alumni

Higher Education

English & Philosophy
Liverpool

Studied at Carmel

Computer Science	A
Mathematics	A
Further Maths	A

High School

Lord Derby Academy

I still look back on my time at Carmel with amazing memories. From the atmosphere every Friday when Carmel Radio was on, to the best friends I met on campus, I absolutely loved it.

I graduated with a 1st class degree from the University of Liverpool in 2018 and afterwards I completed an 18 week fast-track NCTJ journalism course at the City of Liverpool college, from Sept 18 to Jan 19. Before completing the course I got a job writing for the Merseyside weekly papers with Reach Plc - the Southport Visiter and the Ormskirk Advertiser, before working full time after my NCTJ course was completed in Feb 19.

I worked on the weeklies till June 19 when I got a new job writing for the Liverpool Echo as a Knowsley community reporter. My role is in partnership with Facebook and NCTJ and covers underrepresented communities. Through this I have had training at Facebook HQ, had stories picked up by the nationals eg Mirror, BBC and the likes of LadBible, been shortlisted for a Regional Press Award in 2020 and I am currently working towards my NQJ exams to become a senior reporter, which will be completed in March 21.

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