

## Robert COOPER - Summary CV

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***A highly motivated and competent graduate with good oil company work experience, looking to develop a career in the petroleum industry.***

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### WORK EXPERIENCE

July – November 2005: **GDF Britain, London.**  
Technical assistant to Exploration and Operations departments, primarily involved with operations geology within UK SNS Carboniferous projects. Responsibilities including drilling hazard assessments, prospect well data package, tender evaluation, drilling programme compilation and contractor liaison.

Summer Industry Placement 2004: **GDF Britain, London.**  
Exploration technical assistant, primarily involved with UK SNS Carboniferous projects. Input to well data package for proposed well. Geological drilling hazard assessment. Overburden well correlations. Role in well planning team involving close liaison with operations and drilling department. Well path sensitivity modeling in Petrel.

Summer Industry Placement 2003: **GDF Britain, London.**  
Exploration technical assistant. Overburden seismic interpretation and well correlations. Data compilation and integration of offset well data for drilling hazards analysis.

July – Sept 2002: **GDF Britain, London.**  
Exploration technical assistant. Compilation of Tigress UK SNS database including loading of log curves, deviation, core and RFT data.

June 1999: **Arco British Ltd (now BP):**  
Work experience as a technical assistant primarily helping organise well-site location in Algeria.

### EDUCATION

2001 – 2005: **University of Southampton**  
**Undergraduate Master of Geology, 2:1**  
4th year group research project. Do deformational structures of the Culm Basin fit a transpression model? One week fieldwork followed by structural interpretation of the region's geology to test the model.  
4<sup>th</sup> year independent research project. Geochemical evolution of Soufriere Hills, Montserrat, W.I. Using Pb-Pb, Sr-Nd and REE's to identify geochemical variations in composition. Assessment by journal style report and final presentation. First class mark attained.  
3<sup>rd</sup> year mapping project: 10km<sup>2</sup> area in the Cantabrian Mountains, NW Spain. Silurian to Carboniferous strata, area affected by major thrust faulting. Development of invaluable fieldwork and mapping skills. During the 3<sup>rd</sup> year, courses in petroleum & mineral exploration, sedimentology and structural geology were completed.

1994 – 2001: **Reigate Grammar School, Reigate, Surrey.**  
A-Levels: Geography, Economics, Biology, General Studies.  
GCSE: Geography, Maths, I.T., Biology, Chemistry, Physics, French, English, Latin.  
Key skills gained: Extensive communication skills, both written and verbal. Development of computer literacy. Fieldwork skills and methodology, laboratory skills and use of scientific methods and techniques.

#### COMPUTER LITERACY

Experience of Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint. Good use of Corel Draw package & basic use of Dreamweaver website design software.

Tigress training course covering data loading, mapping and petrophysics modules (July 2005).

Basic use of Petrel geological modelling software.

#### OTHER WORK

December 2005 – January 2006 – Wasteland Ski Ltd head resort representative

Easter 2005 – Wasteland Ski Ltd resort representative.

Easter 2004 – British University Snowsports Championships resort representative.

June 2003 – Feb 2004: Barman, SOBar, Portswood, Southampton.

1997 – April 2001: Sales assistant, Cycleworks, Leatherhead, Surrey.

Having part time employment whilst studying has improved my time management skills.

#### INTERESTS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

University of Southampton Club Colours awarded May 2004.

Southampton University Ski & Snowboard Club

May 2004 – May 2005: Holiday organiser

May 2003 – May 2004: President

May 2002 – May 2003: Treasurer/secretary

Positions of responsibility have developed my communication, leadership and organisational skills.

Duke of Edinburgh Award:

Gold (2002), Silver (2000), Bronze (1999).

Through the award scheme, I have developed valuable leadership, communication, adaptability and planning skills.

September 2000 – June 2001: Upper 6<sup>th</sup> form prefect.

Travelling:

Key role in organising a month long trip to Peru with a group of 15. (Summer 2001)

Organised a three week trip travelling around Morocco for four people (Summer 2002)

Travelled to many destinations including Australia, Canada and America.

Travelling developed my planning, time and money management skills, and gave an insight into new cultures and environments to which I have needed to adapt.

Skiing: Skied for 20 years in Europe. Part of the University ski team, competing in the UK and abroad.

Other interests include photography, windsurfing, sailing, mountain biking, hill walking and reading.

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Academic, petroleum industry and personal referees available on request.