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#### **Personal information**

Nationality: Australian

Place and date of birth: Sydney, Australia, May 10<sup>th</sup> 1978

#### **Profile**

I am a motivated expert of international cargo trade with a strong analytical mind and efficient communication skills.

### **Experience**

## 2003 - present Cargo trade manager, Inverness Airport, United Kingdom

- Responsibilities: communication with US partners, development of business plan for pan-Atlantic trade, negotiation of international contracts.
- Achievements: helped to increase business activity by 11% in one year.
- Skills: strong communication skills, team leader

#### 2001 – 2003 Junior Import / Export Analyst, Manchester Airport, United Kingdom

- Responsibilities: Analysis and research in the domain of international trade.
- Skills: autonomy, public speaking

#### **Education & Training**

## 1997 – 2001 MA Financial Economics, Manchester University, United Kingdom

- Modules include: Financial accounting, Management accounting, Business information systems, Finance, Financial markets, Business economics.
- Development of skills to: 1) conceptualise economic problems concerning the financial system in a tractable form; 2) critically review and synthesise published work on a range of financial issues; and 3) assess the performance of financial institutions.
- Dissertation: International Business Transactions at Manchester Airport: an Economic History.

# Extra-curricular activities

## 1998 – 2001 Captain of the University Volleyball Team, Manchester University, United Kingdom

- Responsible for the organisation, training and motivation of the women's team.