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Job: Principal Cloud DevOps and Security

Company: Slalom Build

Principal Solution Architect in the Cloud, DevOps and Security space. Work as Cloud Engineer on variety of projects with specialism in containers, Kubernetes and Terraform.

Inquisitive

Helpful

Motivated

The skills I use most in my job...AWS, Azure, GCP

- Terraform
- Kubernetes
- Security
- Cloud architecture

The most interesting thing I've worked on in my career so far...Fiit - Lead DevOps engineer on largest fitness app in the UK. Migrated the infrastructure to ECS Fargate in AWS.

What inspired me into digital and tech...Ability to always be learning. Being able to see the value in what you are creating. Teaching others. Fast paced and fun.

My educational background is... Degree in Economics, masters in Computer science after deciding to change my career to tech.

What advice I'd give to girls thinking about a career in digital and tech... Go for it! If you are keen to learn new things, are inquisitive and enjoy problem solving then it's such a rewarding career and definitely not as scary as you think. You should consider it because it's got so much variety and potential, if you decide you don't like coding then there is so much more you can do still in tech, there is no one career path and you can switch around based on what you enjoy, I guarantee there will be something in tech space you love!