## MEL BAKER

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#### PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

I am a highly motivated Full Stack Software Engineer. I have taught myself the fundamentals of HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, React, Next.js, jQuery, Angular, Node.js, Express, MongoDB/PostgreSQL, AWS and Terraform alongside running my gardening business. I loved learning to code, and am looking for employment to further my skills.

#### **SKILLS**

HTML and CSS	Next.js	Node.js	TypeScript
JavaScript	jQuery	Express.js	MongoDB
React.js	Angular	AWS/Cloud	SQL

#### **EDUCATION**

**AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner** (2025)

# **The Odin Project** (2022 – 2024)

Intermediate Fullstack JavaScript
Intermediate HTML and CSS

(Plus many other web development courses from FreeCodeCamp, Codecademy, and more)

## University of Greenwich (2009 - 2012) BSc(Hons) Environmental Science - 1st

GIS, Databases, Data Analysis, Remote Sensing, Photogrammetry, Satellite Imagery

#### North West Kent College (2003 – 2005)

A Level ICT (B), A Level Psychology (D), A Level Sociology (C)

North Warwickshire and Hinckley College (2002 – 2003)

AS Level Theatre Studies (D), AS Level Psychology (B)

#### **Gravesend Grammar School for Girls** (1997 – 2002)

7 GCSEs Grade A\* to B (Inc. ICT, Higher Maths, Science Double, and English Lang. and Lit.)

# WORK HISTORY

## Manager - Utopian Gardens (2015 - Current)

Responsible for all aspects of business, including scheduling, invoicing and accounts. Cross-collaboration with external companies to outsource tree-cutting and landscaping jobs, Experience of working closely with customers, as part of a team and managing staff. Manicuring large rural gardens to satisfy client requirements. Garden design and planning. Fixed/serviced own van, mower and tools where possible

# Researcher - University of Greenwich (2012 - 2015)

Using GPS and Google Maps to record sites of value in small-scale fishing communities, exploring ways o using digital mapping to convey qualitative data for fisheries management decision making