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ABOUT ME

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A Level Computer Science (A*), Mathematics(A),
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7 Cambridge Outstanding Learner Awards

BSc Computer Science with Business (First Class
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Professional Member of British Computer Society

Senior Analyst Programmer, DICT



WHAT DOES A SENIOR ANALYST PROGRAMMER DO?



Requirement Analysis

study current systems and workflows to find pain points or bottlenecks.

Prototyping

designing systems

Coding, Testing & Training

how the system looks
the logic, database, and APIs
Training users





CAREERS IN TECH

Software
Developer

Cybersecurity
Specialist

Data Analyst

Compliance
Specialist

Fintech
Developer

IT Support

Network
Engineer

UI/UX Designer

Project Manager



SKILLS YOU NEED IN TECH

- Problem solving
- Critical thinking
- Patience
- Resourcefulness
- Information retrieval



SOFT SKILLS

- Communicate clearly
- Explain technical work in simple terms
- Understand what the client cares about
- Showcase value added





WHAT IF YOU DON'T KNOW SOMETHING?

It's okay to say 'I don't know' — as long as you go and find the answer, then come back informed.

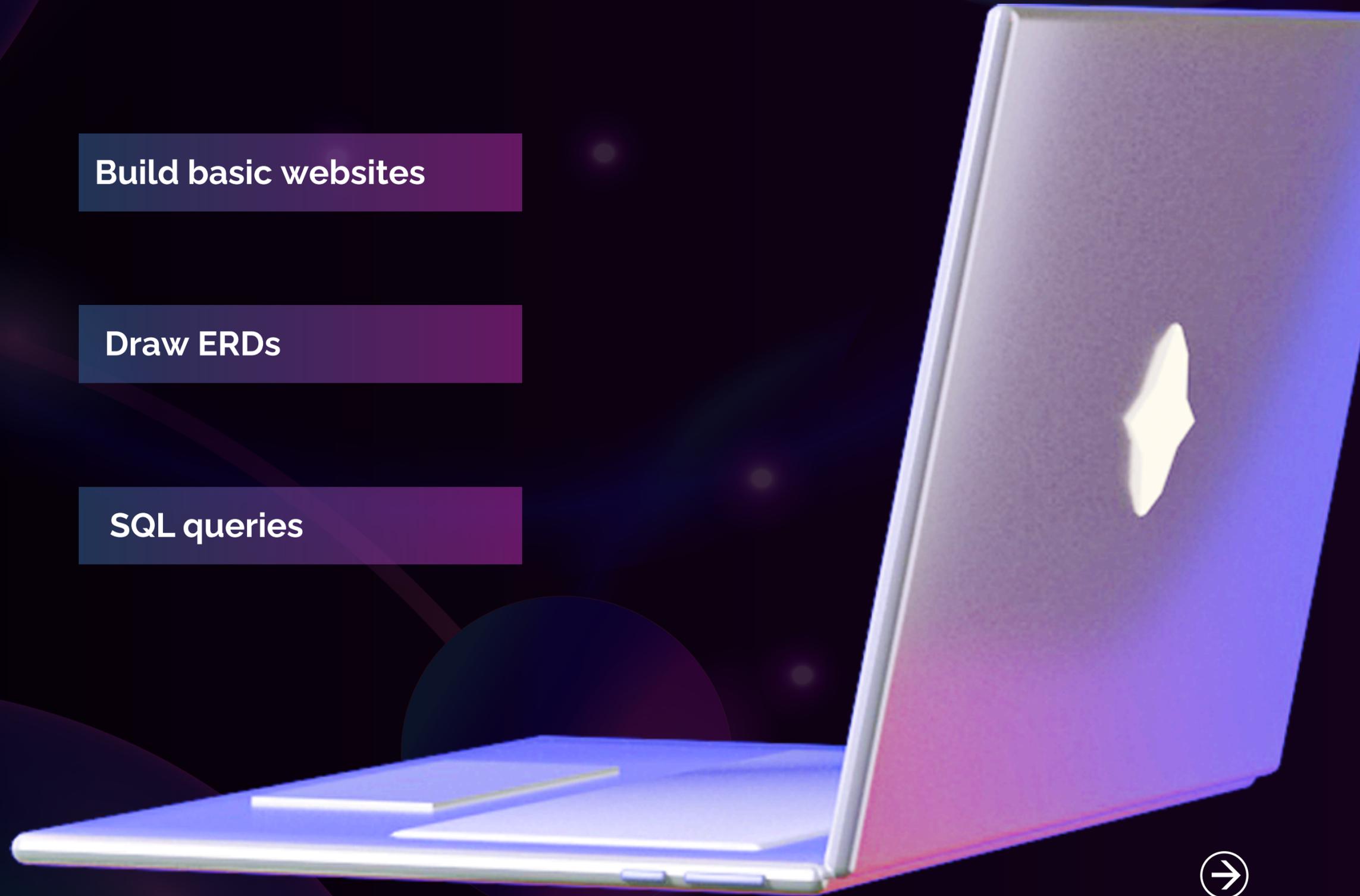


SKILLS YOU CAN START DEVELOPING NOW

Build basic websites

Draw ERDs

SQL queries



RESOURCES

W3Schools

Learn programming languages
Interactive exercises and quizzes

FreeCodeCamp

Responsive Web Design
Relational Databases

Microsoft Learn

Administrator, AI Engineer, Developer
Access Microsoft tools through sandbox environments

Growth With Google

Machine Learning
IT Support
Data Analytics



TIPS TO EXCEL AT A LEVEL AND UNIVERSITY

1. Planning
2. Past Papers
3. Ask for help
4. Identify how you learn best
5. Make notes
6. Use online resources



HEALTH AND BALANCE



Your well-being affects your performance more than you think. Take care of yourself, or your body will force you to later.



BELIEVE IN YOURSELF.

**YOU'RE CAPABLE OF MORE
THAN YOU THINK.**



THANK YOU!

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