

# **Curriculum Vitae – Daniel Nicholls**

## **Personal Details:**

**Full name:** Daniel Alan Derek Nicholls  
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**Month / Year of Birth:** Jan 1988  
**Education:** Hazelwick School, Crawley 9 “GCSE” grades A\* to C, 3 “A” levels  
Middlesex University 2.1 in Professional Aviation Pilot Practice  
Unfrozen Airline Transport Pilots Licence  
Full driving licence  
**License Info:** A320 IR/LV/PBN Unfrozen ATPL Expiry: 31st August 2021  
English Language Proficiency: ICAO Level 6 - Native  
State of Issue: EASA  
Medical Class One Expiry Date: 22nd July 2021  
**Flight Time:** Total Flight Time: 2110 Hours  
Hours on A320 Series: 1957  
**Recency:** 3 Take Off and Landings in BA FFS: 18th august 2020  
Last Passenger Flight flown: 26th July 2020  
**Interests:** Football, piano, cooking, cycling, travel, scuba diving and golf

## **Personal statement**

I am a hard-working, enthusiastic, and trustworthy person with a passion to succeed. I work well both as an individual and as part of a team. I am a former British Airways pilot who was recently made compulsory redundant due to Covid-19. Prior to being a pilot, I have worked in two major banks providing both personal banking advice and customer service. I have also travelled extensively, enjoy playing football and am currently learning to play the piano.

## **Employment:**

### **Sept 2020 - present day, Alcodigital - Training and sales consultant**

- Arranging and carry out group and individual training sessions teaching drug and alcohol testing in the workplace. Updating and improving current lesson plans along with developing online platforms for interactive learning.
- Teaching history, laws, policy and practical alcohol and drug testing.
- Selling training days and testing equipment.

### **Jan 2019 – 20th nov 2020, British Airways – Pilot First Officer**

- Assist the captain in flight preparation and operation of an aircraft
- Carry out preflight briefings including preparation of route, aircraft and weather checks.
- Carry out extensive pre-flight checks of aircraft and effective monitoring of aircraft performance to ensure health and safety for crew and passengers
- Carry out flight all phases of flight including take-offs and landings
- Act and control operations and procedures in the event of an emergency
- Maintain excellent communication with cabin crew, ground crew and air traffic control to ensure highest standards of health and safety and excellent customer service
- Determine optimum fuel load to ensure primarily aircraft safety but also commercial viability
- Carry out post flight briefings to asses how successful each sector was and if we could learn anything from it to take forward.

- Key competencies required for role are:
  - Leadership, communication, organisational skills
  - Teamwork
  - Decision making
  - Commercial awareness

**May 2017 – Jan 2019, Easy Jet – Pilot First Officer**

- Similar responsibilities to that shown above for British Airways

**Aug 2015 – May 2017 – Training to acquire airline transport pilot licence**

- All theory tests, instrument rating and commercial licence passed first time with excellent grades

**March 2014 – Aug 2015, Airline Services and Aviator - Dispatcher**

- Safely and promptly co-ordinate complete aircraft turnaround process, plan loading and complete load-sheets for a number of different airlines
- Responsibility for ensuring on time performance of flight departures through effective communication with flight deck, loaders, refuelers, gate staff, operations and passengers

**Jan 2014 – March 2014, Euro Car Parts – Account Manager**

- Providing a large number of garages with the correct product in a timely manner
- Regular communication with garages to ensure their needs were met

**Sep 2013 – Dec 2013, Cordek Ltd – Sales Administrator**

- Processing orders and data entry

**Apr 2013 – July 2013, Synergize consulting ltd – Recruitment Consultant**

- Providing a full recruitment service to ensure appropriate candidates are selected with effective follow up of candidate performance

**Jan 2012 – Dec 2012, travelling in Australia**

**Mar – Oct 2011 – Royal Bank of Scotland – Customer Advisor**

- Providing a full face to face customer service through understanding personal needs, processing applications, identity and money laundering checks and cheque issuing

**Feb 2007 – Mar 2011 – Santander**

- Carried out various roles including personal banking and customer services advisor
  - Providing a full face to face customer service through understanding personal needs, processing applications, identity and money laundering checks and cheque issuing

