

## Curriculum Vitæ

### Personal:

Surname: SMITH  
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Date of Birth: ----- 1981  
Sex: Male  
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Driving Licence: Full

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Postgraduate University: University of Birmingham,  
Edgbaston, Birmingham, B15 2TT.  
Undergraduate University: Girton College, University of Cambridge,  
Huntingdon Road, Cambridge, CB3 0JG.

Secondary School: Devonport High School for Boys,  
Paradise Road, Stoke, Plymouth, PL1 5QP.  
Primary School: Meavy C of E Primary, Meavy, Yelverton.  
Other Education: Spanish language courses in 1999 and 2000 at CLIC, C/Albareda 19,  
41001 Seville, Spain (Two months) and in 2001 at Academia Mester,  
Vázquez Coronado 5, 37002 Salamanca, Spain (One month)

### Qualifications:

PhD: Currently at end of second year.  
*Topic: 'Corpus-driven analysis of the discourse of Venezuelan President H. Chávez'.*

MPhil (7/2006):  
Corpus Linguistics (Mode B) Pass  
*Thesis title: 'A diachronic corpus analysis of the concept of work'.*

BA (Hons.)(Cantab.) (6/2004); MA (Cantab.) (3/2007):  
Modern & Medieval Languages 2.1  
*Included French and Spanish language papers and scheduled papers on Romance Linguistics. A first-class mark was awarded for my dissertation on Aranés.*

A-Level (6/1999):  
French A  
German A  
History A  
General Studies A

GCSE (6/1997):  
French A\* English Lit. A  
German A History A  
Double Award Science AA Mathematics B  
Information Systems A Latin B  
English Lang. A Ancient Greek C

Other Examinations:  
Cambridge Univ. Certificate in Humanities Computing Distinction  
for Languages (6/2002)  
ABRSM Grade VI Pianoforte (12/1997) Merit  
ABRSM Grade VI Violoncello (12/1997) Pass  
ABRSM Grade V Music Theory (12/1996) Pass  
City & Guilds Radio Amateurs' Examination (12/1995) Pass  
Radio Soc. of GB 12 words/minute Morse Code (11/1997) Pass

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**Foreign Languages:**

English (Native speaker)  
French  
Spanish  
German (Basic)

**Recent Work Experience:**

- 10/2005 – Department of Hispanic Studies, University of Birmingham  
Edgbaston, Birmingham. B15 2TT.  
Sir Henry Thomas Scholarship.  
Up to six hours per week teaching Spanish grammar and translation.
- 3/2005 – 5/2005 Department of English, University of Birmingham  
Edgbaston, Birmingham. B15 2TT.  
Research assistant on a corpus-based project to investigate allegations of plagiarism in the work of the economist Adam Smith.  
Fifty hours.
- 6/2004 – 8/2004 Faculty of Modern and Medieval Languages, University of Cambridge,  
Sidgwick Avenue, Cambridge. CB3 9DA.  
Research assistant investigating random-access digital video for language-learning.
- 5/2004 – Islands on the Air, Radio Society of Great Britain,  
Lambda House, Cranborne Road, Potter's Bar, Herts. EN6 3JE.  
Server-side developer, writing web-based software for the management of the international 'Islands on the Air' award scheme.
- 7/2003 – 9/2003 Camping La Paillotte, 40140 Azur, France.  
Receptionist.
- 10/2002 – 5/2003 Lycée Louis Barthou, Rue Louis Barthou, 64015 Pau Cedex, France.  
English language teaching assistant for the year-abroad element of my BA degree.  
Employer: Rectorat, Académie de Bordeaux, 5 rue Joseph de Carayon-Latour, BP935, 33060 Bordeaux Cedex.
- 7/2002 – 8/2002 Analysys Group Ltd., St. Giles Court, 24 Castle St., Cambridge.  
Marketing Department of a telecommunications research firm. Mainly involved in database work and wrote the P3P privacy policy for their website.
- 5/2000 – 9/2000 Camping La Petite Camargue, BP21, 30220 Aigues-Mortes, France.  
Children's Courier.  
Employer: French Life, International Life Leisure, Kerry House, Kerry Street, Horsforth, Leeds.

**Outside Interests:**

- Advanced Class Licence Amateur Radio Operator.
- Computing – I have taught myself XML, XSL, XHTML, JavaScript, AJAX, PHP with MySQL, SMIL and Perl. I am interested in Internet accessibility, regulatory and standards issues.
- Cycling and Walking
- Singing and playing the 'cello

**Positions of responsibility held:**

- Chairman, Birmingham University Postgraduate & Mature Students' Association
- Committee Member (formerly Treasurer), Birmingham University Liberal Democrats
- Lead Instructor and Course Organiser for the Amateur Radio (Foundation) Licence
- Formerly Girton College Chapel Warden (Organising and preparing for services)
- Formerly Chairman of the Cambridge University Wireless Society