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| **Personal Profile:**  I am currently studying for a BA Hons Degree in Dance Practices at Liverpool John Moores University. I am currently in my final year, which is close to completion in July 2018. I completed secondary school education with a total of 9 GCSE’S I then went into further education to complete a national diploma in Performing arts (DANCE). During school, I remained involved with extra curriculum activities mainly including sports, such as rounder’s and netball. I also taught dance class after school for younger age and year groups within the school. I enjoyed teaching the younger year groups that had such passion for dance and its art form, which then led me to help in the schools dance performances, and performing art shows. This taught me how to become organized and punctual, I also had an insight for the first time of what it would be like if I was to eventually produce my own shows in my own company, this is what I aspire to do; doing this gave me the experience I needed. I have been dancing since I was eleven years old and I love how invested and passionate it made me about the art form. I love to work hard at everything I do in and out of dance and I enjoy working as part of a team or on my own. My ambition is to become a freelance dance performer and choreographer that specializes in urban and contemporary dance styles. I aim to work closely with fusing the two styles together. I am sociable, presentable and have a good attitude to learning. I am honest, reliable, and organized.  **Key Achievements:**   * I was handpicked to be a part of my college’s dance company – TWENTY10, only five people were chosen out of those who auditioned. * I had taken part in a professional show at the Lowry Theatre in Manchester as part of TWENTY10 Dance Company. * I was touring Manchester, UK in a show our college produced as part of an assessment. * I have performed for over 1000 people at the Queen Elizabeth Hall for my college’s prize night event. * I performed in the school and college shows, which includes musicals and dance performances like Oliver and Worzel Gummidge. * As part of my university course, I have worked with primary schools in Liverpool teaching dance, health and well-being. * I have taken part in community dance projects with university. * I had my own dance class teaching street dance at a local dance school. * Performing in many shows throughout my time at university.   **Education Summary:**  **September 2008 – May 2013 GCSE-**  **Oasis Academy Oldham English Language - B**  **English Literature - C**  **Mathematics - C**  **BTEC Science – Merit**  **BTEC Dance - Distinction \*\*\***  **BTEC Health and Social – Distinction\***  **September 2013 – May 2015 National Diploma – BTEC Performing**  **The Oldham College Arts ( DANCE) – Distinction\*\***  **Employment Summary:**  **K.M Dance - May 2015- September 2015**  My sibling created classes at a local studio where I taught street dance to ages between 7-13 years for the summer before I left Manchester to study.  References:  **Given upon request.** |