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Date of Birth: 17/07/1999
Date Joined WSC: 1st June 2016
University (Dates): August 2017-May 2021
Degree: BA in Psychology

My Time at Woking Swimming Club:

I joined Woking Swim Club in May 2016, and instantly felt welcomed by everyone associated with the team. My coaches were Vince Ayling and Mark Staiger, but I also had the pleasure of being trained by Alex Counsell, Louise Hargrave and Liz Robbings. I loved the training environment as it was competitive yet still friendly, and the coaches as well as swimmers were able to push me into becoming a better athlete. I competed at both the 2016 and 2017 British Nationals for Woking in the 50 and 100 freestyle as well as relays. My favourite memory was from British Nationals 2017, when I was a part of the 4x100 freestyle relay alongside Anna Maine, Hannah Burvill and Hazel Ferguson, I have always admired these three girls so I was really excited and proud to be racing with them.

My time at University:

My time at the University of Cincinnati has been filled with many memorable moments. I've enjoyed working towards my Psychology degree as well as being a part of the Varsity swim team. My greatest swimming achievement was competing at the US winter National meet in Atlanta, this was the fastest meet I have ever been to and I loved being amongst Olympians racing against each other.

During my time at Cincinnati, the women's team came 2nd in the American Athletic Conference, which was the highest placing in the school's history. My 50, 100, and 200 free times have placed me in the University of Cincinnati's top ten fastest times in history.

Aside from school and athletics, I am grateful that swimming has enabled me to experience a different culture and make friends for life from all over the world.



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I am a Student-Athlete going into the final year of my Psychology degree and I swim the 50, 100, and 200 freestyle for the University. I am currently unsure about what I would like to do once I graduate, but I hope to stay involved with swimming.