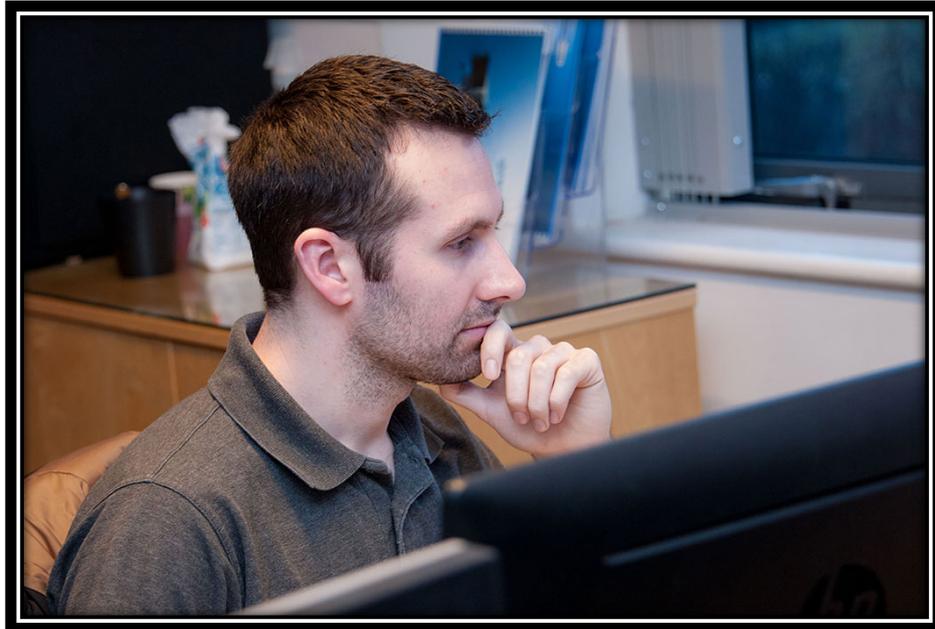




## Press Release

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Photograph: Nick Hunn.

Geostream's Sales Administrator Carol Ritchie says of him, "You couldn't wish for a better person to work with or have as a friend."

### **Nick reaches 10-year milestone with Geostream Solutions Ltd and receives surprise bonus!**

Geostream Solutions Ltd in Mansfield is celebrating one of its engineers, Nick Hunn who has racked up 10 years' service with the company.

Matthew Caunt, Director at Geostream said that Nick, who started as a junior engineer and has now risen to Senior Level 3 Project Engineer, is an invaluable member of the team. "Nick is a great asset to the company and always has been. He is a gifted and conscientious member of staff who consistently performs to the highest standards. He is an inspiration to all of us and a particularly good mentor to new members of our team."

In recognition of Nick's loyal service, the company has decided to give him a bonus of a months' salary. He said, "It was very generous and unexpected. It was very nice to think that I am appreciated enough to be recognised- a very nice gesture."

Long term colleagues Chris Forster and Mike Holmes said they both value Nick's friendship and work ethic. Chris said, "I joined Geostream 8 years ago and in that time Nick has become a good friend. It is a privilege to have worked with Nick over the years." Mike agrees, "He is knowledgeable and dedicated to the customers and the company. He never leaves a job until it is fully completed."

It is not only his work colleagues who recognise Nick's work ethic. Angelo Graci, IT Project Manager at Cool Milk Ltd, a client of Geostream, recently contacted Nick's bosses to thank them for his work. In his correspondence Angelo said, "I just wanted to thank Nick formally for his help throughout this time, his help has been second to none and as always he demonstrates a willingness to go that bit further than most, -a real asset to Geostream. You have not only my thanks but that of Cool Milk." Matt Baxter, System Analyst at Birley Manufacturing Ltd agrees with that description, "Nick is so meticulous and detail-oriented that it makes everything easier for me at our end and I wish everyone I worked with was like that!"

Back in 2010 Nick pulled off the rare feat of getting 100% in his Microsoft MCTS Windows server exam and hit the newspapers but he says there is no time to rest on laurels in the technology industry. "I am constantly learning new skills and have developed my networking and have improved in VMWare, Cisco appliances and their configuration and virtualisation. IT is forever evolving and I try to stay in touch with the changes. I believe in making sure that a job is done properly and to a high standard and work the hours necessary to achieve this. The customer must always be happy with the end result."

New member of the team Luke Fleet hasn't had much time to get to know Nick yet and is still working on a theory as to where his vigour comes from. "He seems to be working hard all the time and amazingly drinks less coffee than anyone else here so frankly I don't know where he finds the energy!"

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## **Praise for Nick Hunn**

### **Dee Morris of Hopkins Solicitors:**

“Nick has been a tremendous help to us over the years and his detailed knowledge of our systems has been outstanding and this has been of great benefit in resolving issues speedily. He is an asset to your company. Keep up the good work Nick!”

### **Matt Roberts at ESG Rail:**

“When we moved offices Nick came to help us set up a new segmented network to allow our business to expand and take on more staff. Unfortunately, our VOIP phones had been misconfigured and did not like the new setup. Despite this not being in Nicks remit, he stayed late making sure we could do business the next day and helped sort out all our problems.

It was a long hard day and could have been very tedious, but Nick and I soon found a shared love for films which we chatted about as we worked.

Nick’s drive to get the job done and in depth knowledge of 90’s films meant we had everything up and running in time and that I had spent the day with a friend rather than a 3<sup>rd</sup> party.

I would happily work again with Nick any time and recommend him to any business needing IT help!”

### **Carl Ellis, Geostream Solutions Ltd:**

“Nick is a unique, one and only, character. He is incredibly knowledgeable, which he does not mind sharing if asked or even when he is passing by and sees an easier method - you will get to know about it, making your life easier!

We are all lucky to have him apart of the team!”

### **Andy Parkin, Geostream Solutions Ltd:**

“I have had the pleasure of working with Nick for 4 years. I consider him to be a very good friend and he has certainly been a big influence on me during my time and I honestly don’t think I would be where I am without him! He is very meticulous and clearly takes care and pride in what he does which is great trait to have as clearly everyone tries to follow his footsteps.”

### **Carol Ritchie, Sales Administrator at Geostream Solutions Ltd:**

“I love Nick; he is a very special person to me. He has been so patient, supportive and has become a good friend and I don’t think my working days would be quite as enjoyable as they are without him.

Although a shy and sometimes blunt person, once you get under that shell and unlock his many good traits, you couldn’t wish for a better person to work with or have has a friend.”

### **Rich Mason, Geostream Solutions Ltd:**

“Nick is amazing! I’ve not been at Geostream for very long, but Nick has always been available for support and advice, and has never been unable to answer any question I’ve had. He’s a bit quiet at first, until he gets to know you, then his dry sense of humour comes out. He’s amazingly knowledgeable and it’s great having him around the office. You can always rely on Nick to get a job done.”

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**Notes to editors- More about the project:**

**1. For Geostream Solutions Ltd website please follow the link:**  
**[www.geostream.co.uk/news](http://www.geostream.co.uk/news)**

**2. What Geostream Solutions Ltd do:**

**Formed in February 2001, Geostream is thriving despite the frequently difficult financial climate to become one of the leading IT Specialists in the area. They have consistently improved the skills of their engineers and have won accolades reflecting their admirable ethos in the workplace. They provide Business IT Support and Consultancy services to many local and notable national companies, in many cases taking care of their entire IT infrastructures. Geostream's expertise acknowledges that each company is unique and may have different needs. For this reason Geostream create a bespoke solution for each business and its individual requirements.**

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