

Athletes Profile



Nathan Ellington **Football**

Club: Watford

D.O.B: 02.07.81

Nathan studied engineering at the college for a year in 1998. He moved here from Bradford after signing for non league side Walton and Hersham, before being signed in February 1999 by Bristol Rovers.

He then moved to Wigan in 2002 for a club record fee of £1.2 million. He helped the club secure promotion to the Championship at the end of his first season and again in 2004-5 when Wigan were promoted to the Premier League. In the 2004-5 season he was the Championship's top scorer and was named in the PFA Championship team of the season. He was sold to West Bromwich Albion in August 2005 for £3m. He won West Brom's goal of the season competition in 2006-7.

Watford paid a record club amount for him of £3.25m in 2007. He went on loan to Derby County in May 2008 and remained on loan to them for the 2008/9 season, where he was joint top scorer in the League Cup. He returned to Watford and in January 2010 went on loan to Super League Greece side Skoda Xanthi FC.

