

# Kyle Powis

Front End Software Developer  
Manchester (Open to relocation)

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## Education

**HND Media Production:**  
University of Salford, United Kingdom

**BTEC Level 3 Music Technology  
National Diploma:**  
Bury College

**Nine GCSEs Achieved:**  
St. Monica's RC High School

## Profile

Having discovered a deep-rooted passion for software development, I have used my experience during the Northcoders bootcamp to pivot my career into the industry. Coding allows me to harness my innate creativity and technical aptitude honed from my music experience to master programming languages and software development methodologies. My past work experience has given me exceptional people skills, allowing me to seamlessly adapt to various settings. I am eager to contribute my diverse skill set, enthusiasm and adaptability to a thriving software development team.

## Technical Skills

**Languages:** JavaScript, using Node.js, browsers and expo go as environments.

**Testing:** TDD, Jest, Supertest.

**Back-end:** Express.js, SQL, PSQL, seeding, migrations, database optimisation.

**Front-end:** React, React Native, Tailwind CSS, HTML, CSS, UI UX.

**Hosting:** Supabase, Vercel, Render, Netlify.

**Soft skills:** Paired programming, technical communication, SDL, agile and SCRUM methodologies, adaptability, creativity, responsibility, accountability and attention to detail.

## Experience

**Kaizen Development:** Founder and developer of my own web agency dealing with building landing pages, shopify stores, setup and managing google ads for clients.

**Pairsniper Development (Freelance) Project Manager and Developer:** PairSniper is a customised trading analytics platform that automates data aggregation from market exchanges. It visualises real-time data to help users focus on strategy and capitalise on opportunities efficiently. Designed for scalability, it initially catered to a specific client's trading strategy.

**Northcoders:** Developed a strong foundation in both front-end and back-end development during an intensive coding bootcamp. Successfully completed comprehensive projects showcasing proficiency in various technologies and programming languages. Full stack development within my team focusing on UI UX and back end functionality for a community book swapping app. Solo project utilizing NASA API's to dynamically fetch and display real time data of meteorite landings on planet earth. Created a full stack news application with database using JS and PSQL.

**Freelance Music Production (2012-present):** Including working on MTV's the Real World, Keeping up with the Kardashians, Footasylum, amongst others.

**DJ'ing for various UK venues (2015-present):** Including working with WDC Agency.

**NHS Test and Trace (2020):** Contact Tracer dealing with the general public and handling important data.

**Further experience on request**

## Hobbies & Interests

I spend a lot of my spare time with loves ones, working my health & fitness through exercise and the gym, and fun tech projects. My creativity and health come naturally to me, and it has become a channel of relaxation.