

KYLE ELLISON-BEATTIE

SOFTWARE ENGINEER | PHP / LARAVEL / FULL-STACK

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PROFILE

Associate Software Engineer with 2+ years of commercial software and web development experience, backed by a First Class BSc (Hons) in Computer Science. Currently working primarily with PHP and Laravel on API-driven software, combining hands-on development with technical troubleshooting, testing, codebase maintenance and customer-facing support. Trusted to take ownership of complex technical issues, support colleagues and help onboard newer engineers. Comfortable working independently and collaboratively across the development lifecycle, with additional experience in JavaScript, React, SQL and C#.NET.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Core: PHP, Laravel, SQL, RESTful APIs, Git, GitHub, AI assisted coding (Claude Code), Docker, PHP Unit

Front end / JavaScript: JavaScript, TypeScript, React, jQuery, HTML5, CSS3, Bootstrap

Back end / Data: Node.js, Express, MySQL, PostgreSQL, remote API integration

Additional: C#, .NET, ASP.NET, Python, Agile methodology, testing, refactoring

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Associate Software Engineer | Wonde Nov 2024 – Present

- Own and investigate technical support issues involving customer API integrations, diagnosing problems and working through solutions across application code, data and integration behaviour.
- Develop and refine features in PHP and Laravel, contributing to shared production codebases with a focus on maintainability, reliability and clear engineering standards.
- Work with senior and core engineers through planning, implementation, testing and deployment, contributing technical context from both development and customer-support perspectives.
- Maintain, optimise and refactor existing code and infrastructure, helping improve the quality and reliability of software used by customers.
- Test new functionality before release, identify defects and provide feedback to improve behaviour and user experience.
- Help onboard and train newer engineers, sharing system knowledge, reviewing technical approaches and supporting their progression towards independent ownership of support work.
- Regularly support colleagues with technical problems and act as an informal point of contact for more complex development-support issues.

Web Developer | GB Create Mar 2024 – Nov 2024

- Gathered user requirements and translated them into project specifications and practical designs.
- Developed and deployed a company website using HTML, CSS, JavaScript and PHP.
- Built and deployed a full-stack database management application using React, Laravel and MySQL.

Graduate IT Incident Manager | DXC Technology Sep 2023 – Mar 2024

- Worked with technical teams to investigate and resolve reported IT incidents, tracking issues and coordinating ownership through to resolution.
- Created and presented client reports, maintained internal reporting and contributed to service improvement planning.
- Built strong client relationships while providing clear communication around technical incidents and progress.

Web Developer | Freelance Dec 2022 – Aug 2023

- Delivered web development work for clients, applying front-end and back-end development skills to small business and web projects.

EDUCATION & TRAINING

BSc (Hons) Computer Science — First Class | Liverpool John Moores University 2018 – 2021

Coding Traineeship — Full-Stack Developer | IT Career Switch Ltd 1-year programme

- Practical training across HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, TypeScript, PHP, Laravel, SQL, React, jQuery, Python, Node.js, Bootstrap, Git/GitHub and API integration.

PORTFOLIO

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