

JAMES BALL

Software Developer



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ABOUT ME

Personable and dependable developer with 6+ years expertise in fast-paced e-commerce environments. I am a driven self-starter and fast learner who can learn new skills for a role. Experienced in server administration. Seeking new development opportunities to advance my career.



EXPERIENCE

May – Present
self employed

Software Development Contractor

JB Software Development

Clients include; Soft Focus, WhatsThat

PHP / Laravel / SQL / Vue / React / MongoDB / Redis

Feb 2022 – April
contract

Senior Software Engineer

Salesfire

While working at Salesfire I primarily worked on integrating dynamic notifications using Pusher to their existing dashboard. As well creating a health checker application that was used to monitor the existing Platform/API statuses.

PHP / Laravel / SQL / Vue

2021 – Jan 2022
ceased trading

Senior Software Developer

Northern Stable

I was responsible for planning and developing the referral platform *Referrey*. As well as working on their existing project *Sequencer*; an email video delivery SaaS.

PHP / Laravel / SQL / Vue

2020 – 2021
full time

Software Developer

TripIQ / Co-Wheels Car Club

While working at *TripIQ* I rebuilt the partially inaccessible server architecture and documented all of the changes. I Also redesigned and released the new branding for the website and web app. As well as developing the GDPR removal and export process.

PHP / Laravel / PostgreSQL / Angular / MongoDB / Redis

2019 – 2020
full time

Enterprise Developer

Visualsoft

At *Visualsoft* I primarily develop 3rd party integrations for their e-commerce platform including: CallFire, Bluecore, Nosto, Deepl, EurekaSage200, MailChimp, GFS. While also writing code for bespoke client feature request and additional platform features: Product Specifications, Data Integrity.

PHP / Javascript / MySQL / Kohana / API (JSON, SOAP)

2014 – 2019
full time

Full Stack Developer

Roxoa Group

While working at *Roxoa* I designed and developed a new store *rubyandoscar.com*. Additionally I redesigned *qpjewellers.com* and *goldboutique.com*. As my career progressed I directed my attention onto the development for API and 3rd party integrations including: Pay4Later, Assay Office, Amazon, Tesco and Trustpilot.

PHP / Magento / Javascript / CSS / MySQL / Sysadmin / Wordpress

2012 – 2014
full time

VLE & Web Developer

Ashington Learning Partnership

I was responsible for developing applications intergrated with the *FROG VLE* including: LEAP rewards system, Parents Evening Booking and the School Library.

I also developed the public facing websites for *Ashington High School*, *Bothal Primary* and *Central Primary* and maintained their intranet and VLE mini-websites.

JavaScript / PHP / MySQL / Frog

EDUCATION

2010 – 2012

BTEC Extended IT and Computing National Diploma

Tyne Metropolitan College

2007 – 2010

5 GCSE's from grade C including Mathematics and English

Whitley Bay High School