

KRZYSZTOF KIERZKOWSKI

Quality Engineer

Driven and dedicated Quality Engineer with over 6 years of hands-on experience in both automated and manual testing. Originally trained in Logistics, I discovered my true passion in Quality Assurance area, where I developed a keen eye for detail, a task-oriented mindset, and adaptability to various environments. Committed to continuous learning, I actively expand my expertise in new technologies and project management field to gain a deeper understanding of project workflows. With a conscientious approach and strong soft skills, I am motivated to enhance software quality and contribute to more efficient development.

EXPERIENCE

Remote, Short-term assignment for 5 months <i>Jan 2025 - May 2025</i>	<div>QA Engineer</div> <div>Netguru S.A.</div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Scope definition and maintenance of manual test scenarios, ensuring alignment with project goals and proper coverage of CRUD operations for SSL certificate management app.</li><li>Ownership of the automated tests repository, maintaining test stability, modularity (POM model), and clarity for cross-team collaboration.</li><li>Coordination of the code review process on the client side, actively participating in discussions, proposing improvements, and ensuring all automated tests meet quality standards before merging.</li><li>Close collaboration within a small cross-functional team, supporting successful delivery of new functionalities and contributing to agile sprint goals.</li><li>Continuous improvement of test processes and documentation, fostering transparency and traceability across manual and automated test efforts.</li></ul></div> <div>Tools: Visual Studio Code, Playwright, GitLab, Git, Postman, Figma, YouTrack, Slack, Linux (Ubuntu),</div>
Remote <i>Nov 2023 - Nov 2024</i>	<div>QA Engineer</div> <div>Centralny Ośrodek Informatyki</div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Team leadership, managing an interdisciplinary team focused on test automation, ensuring smooth coordination and task distribution across team members.</li><li>Automation coverage of critical paths, repository supervision, overseeing the development and execution of automated tests to ensure comprehensive test coverage, guaranteeing high-quality and reliable software delivery.</li><li>Review of pull requests, ensuring all test cases and test scripts are up-to-date, organized (POM model) , and aligned with project requirements.</li><li>Providing guidance and mentorship to a junior qa engineer, ensuring their smooth onboarding and continuous skill development.</li><li>Actively contributing to the development and testing of multiple web forms used by citizens across Poland, ensuring they meet the highest quality standards.</li></ul></div> <div>Tools: Jira, Jira Xray, Confluence, Visual Studio Code, Cypress, GitHub, Git, Stash, PostgreSQL, pgAdmin, BrowserStack, Windows</div>
Remote <i>Oct 2022 - Oct 2023</i>	<div>QA Engineer</div> <div>HTD Polska Sp. z o.o.</div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Defining the entire test process, including the creation of test strategy, test plan, and evaluation procedures to meet stringent project requirements, ensuring compliance with ISO and FDA standards.</li><li>Leading efforts in manual testing within web and mobile (iOS and Android) applications, including the creation of automated tests to improve efficiency and test coverage.</li><li>Overseeing the development and execution of API tests, integrating them with Jira Xray, and setting up CI/CD pipeline in GitLab to streamline automated API tests.</li><li>Preparing comprehensive test plans, test scenarios, data, and test cases to ensure full coverage and alignment with project objectives and certification requirements.</li><li>Managing two major projects in the medical and wellness software domains, ensuring they met ISO and FDA certification standards, which involved successful completion of a external audit process.</li></ul></div> <div>Tools: Jira, Jira Xray, Testcaselab, Confluence, Visual Studio Code, Cypress, Playwright(with Cucumber/Gherkin for new repository), Postman, GitHub, GitLab, BrowserStack, MacOS</div>
Remote <i>Sep 2021 - Sep 2022</i>	<div>QA Engineer</div> <div>Droptica Sp. z o.o.</div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Conducted manual, automated, and CMS-specific testing (Drupal), ensuring robust validation of functionalities, integrations, and performance for Drupal-based applications.</li><li>Led efforts in visual testing (using Visualception) and API testing, ensuring both front-end and back-end components were tested thoroughly to meet project requirements.</li><li>Developed detailed test scenarios and organized bug bash sessions to proactively identify and resolve issues across multiple testing stages.</li><li>Played a key role in multiple Scrum teams, contributing to several e-commerce projects by ensuring high-quality testing and providing valuable feedback throughout the development lifecycle.</li></ul></div> <div>Tools: Jira, Testlodge, Drupal (CMS), Codeception, Visualception, PHP Storm, Jenkins, Git, Github, BrowserStack, Docker, Docker-compose, Linux CLI, Linux (Ubuntu)</div>
Remote <i>Aug 2019 - Aug 2021</i>	<div>QA Specialist / Support Analyst</div> <div>Asseco Poland S.A.</div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Temporarily replaced the Test Lead, taking full responsibility for managing the project scope and deployment processes, leveraging in-depth knowledge of the application to ensure smooth execution and delivery</li><li>Prepared and executed test plans, test scenarios, data, and test cases for a large-scale software project, ensuring thorough validation and adherence to project requirements.</li><li>Reported and monitored analysis and system defects, collaborating closely with analysts and developers to ensure timely resolution and prevent issues from reoccurring.</li><li>Analyzed and handled incidents from production and UAT environments, providing support and feedback to both end-users and development teams.</li><li>Conducted training sessions for client and end-users, presented new functionalities during project reviews, writing detailed user manuals and documentation to ensure smooth user adoption.</li><li>Worked closely with developers, analysts, project managers, and product owners to align testing efforts with overall project goals and timelines, contributing to the success of a high-stakes software project for a European Union agency in the military/law enforcement sector.</li><li>Incidents handling and analysis from PROD/UAT (support)</li></ul></div> <div>Tools: SQL Server Management Studio, Azure DevOps, Enterprise Architect (analysis), Bitbucket, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Word, SharePoint, Postman, VS Code, Cypress, Git, Windows</div>
Remote <i>Feb 2019 - Aug 2020</i>	<div>Manual Tester - Freelance</div> <div>uTest</div> <div><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Manual testing of mobile (iOS, Android) and web applications</li><li>RWD testing for e-commerce websites</li><li>Preparation and maintenance of test plans, test scenarios, test cases and test scripts with further execution</li><li>Participation in many software projects (mostly e-commerce)</li><li>Providing defect reports and documented recovery plans to ensure high-quality deliverables.</li></ul></div> <div>Tools: uTest Project Management tool, Browser DevTools, Windows</div>

EDUCATION

Warsaw <i>2019 - 2023</i>	<div>Bachelor of Engineering</div> <div>Wyższa Szkoła Bankowa</div> <div>Field of study: Logistics Specialization: International forwarder</div>
Warsaw <i>2021 - 2021</i>	<div>Agile Tester (ISTQB)</div> <div>Sii Poland</div>
Warsaw <i>2019 - 2020</i>	<div>Manual Tester (ISTQB)</div> <div>Coders Lab IT School</div>
- Present	<div>JavaScript / Node.js / Cypress / Playwright / TypeScript</div> <div>Udemy</div>

CERTIFICATIONS & COURSES

- 2020-01-04 **ISTQB Foundation Level**
- 2018-07-25 **Driving license**
- 2024-09-15 **Sailing License**
- 2024-09-15 **Motorboat License**

LANGUAGES

- English (Advanced)
- Polish (Native)

INTERESTS

- Frontend / Backend development ( mainly JS and Node.js)
- Cryptocurrencies and day trading
- General Aviation
- PC and mobile games (sandbox, RPG, strategy, tower defense)

CONFIDENTIALITY CLAUSE

I hereby agree for my personal data, included in my job application, to be processed in the line with the needs of recruitment for the position I applied for.

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SKILLS

- Developing comprehensive test strategies and test plans aligned with project objectives.
- Leading and mentoring testing teams to achieve goals.
- Application testing in Scrum or Kanban methodology (Agile)
- Overseeing defect lifecycle, from identification to resolution.
- Identifying and mitigating potential testing risks.
- BDD, TDD
- Experience with automation tools and frameworks (Page Object Model)
- Working closely with development, product, and QA teams.
- Tracking team performance and ensuring quality delivery.
- Promoting process improvements and best practices in testing.
- Communicating clearly with stakeholders and team members.

LANGUAGES

**Project Management:**  
**Confluence, Jira, Jira Xray**  
**Cloud, Azure DevOps**

**Test Management:**  
**Testlink, Testlodge,**  
**TestCaseLab, Testrail,**  
**Xray, Azure DevOps**

**API Testing: Postman**  
**(REST, GraphQL)**

**Automation Testing:**  
**Cypress, Playwright,**  
**Cucumber-JS/Gherkin**

**Programming Language:**  
**JavaScript (ES6+),**  
**TypeScript (in progress)**

**Database Communication:**  
**SQL**

**Version Control System:**  
**Git**

**IDE: Visual Studio Code,**  
**PHP Storm**

**Documentation:**  
**Enterprise Architect**  
**(UML), SharePoint**

**CMS: Drupal, Webflow, (No-Code)**

**Communication: Slack,**  
**Discord, MS Teams, Zoom**

**Operating System:**  
**Windows, macOS,**  
**Linux(Ubuntu)**

**Other: HTML, CSS,**  
**Sass(SCSS), Bootstrap,**  
**Microsoft Office, Browser**  
**DevTools, BrowserStack,**  
**GenAI**