

# Efe Katircioglu

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## About

Penultimate year Computer Science student at King's College London, specializing in full-stack development. Driven to solve meaningful, real-world problems by building user-centric applications, focusing on designing and implementing scalable and secure server-side architecture.

## Education

**King's College London**  
Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

Expected Graduation date: June 2027

**King's College London**  
International Foundation, Computer Science & Mathematics  
Achieved First-Class Honours

June 2024

## Experience

**King's Labs Academy** | Project Developer

February 2025 - April 2025

- Engineered a full-stack Next.js app with NextAuth-based user authentication. Developed custom API endpoints to manage user-specific tasks on a serverless Neon PostgreSQL database, ensuring complete data isolation.

## Projects

**Vibe Generator** | Full-Stack Music Analytics Web App

June 2025 - September 2025

- Built a full-stack security system using Spotify OAuth 2.0 for authentication and JWTs for session management, achieving secure, stateless user sessions and complete data privacy via an encrypted PostgreSQL database.
- Leveraged Node.js to engineer a batch processing system that aggregates data from 6+ music APIs, achieving a 23x performance improvement through optimized asynchronous data fetching logic.
- Developed and deployed a responsive, mobile-first frontend with Next.js, managing the application's lifecycle and ensuring high availability on cloud infrastructure with PM2

## Certificates

**Web Development Bootcamp - Udemy**

November 2024 - June 2025

- Full-stack web Developer Certification
- Experience in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Node.js, React, PostgreSQL, Web3, and DApp development.
- Experience building and testing responsive websites using React and Node.js.
- Focused on modern technologies like Web3 and DApps to stay aligned with industry trends.