

# Nikolaos Gkatzoulis (Nick Gatzos)

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## Full Stack Developer

Front End Web Development • Back End Web Development • eCommerce Solutions • Coding Instructor

*I'm a full stack developer who started writing code at the age of 7. I am very familiar with Web Development technologies and I have also worked on large projects from scratch. I have worked for Creative Agency and also freelanced before. I have experience in teaching other students to code.*

## Technical Skill Set

### Technologies

- HTML, CSS (Sass)
- JavaScript (jQuery, Vue.js framework)
- PHP (Laravel)
- Ajax (PHP & JS)

### Databases

- MySQL
- MariaDB

### Operating Systems

- MacOS
- Windows
- Ubuntu

### Other Technologies

- Wordpress
- WooCommerce
- Git

## Professional Experience

### [DevelopGreece](#) Web Developer

Jan 2018 – Mar 2019

*It was my responsibility to develop projects for clients from scratch using Wordpress and a WP Bakery support. I was able to deliver on average 2 medium-sized projects per month. I was also consulted on client specifications and budget appropriation.*

- Evaluate clients' project specifications and come up with appropriate budgets
- Transform mockups received in Adobe XD into fully functioning Wordpress (and WooCommerce) websites
- I usually worked alone on those projects as far as the Web Development part is concerned
- I worked on 12 projects
- HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, PHP, MySQL and Wordpress (+WooCommerce) were used during the development.

### Freelancing Web Developer

Sep 2016 – Jan 2018

*During this period I was self-employed and I was building my own clientele. I was also working on my own personal projects in order to build up my portfolio.*

- I managed to acquire a handful of clients for whom I developed Shopify stores and personal websites.
- I also managed to develop projects such as Instagram Clone, Mini MVC Framework for PHP, Sass Starter Project, Personal Portfolio (vCardify) and the Essex Chatbot which won the Essex Challenge Week award at the University of Essex
- Technologies used: HTML, CSS, JavaScript (jQuery, Vue.js), PHP (Laravel), MySQL, Python and Git

# Education and Training

## Education:

**2017-2020** University of Essex: BSc in Computer Science (First Class Expected; Dean's List and SU Leader)  
**2013-2016** 2<sup>nd</sup> Upper Secondary General School of Komotini – Graduated with A+ Distinction (93%)

## University of Essex Roles:

**2018-2019** President of the Essex Computer Society  
**2018-2019** CSEE\* Department Student Representative  
**2018-2019** Departmental Societies Convenor  
**2018-2019** CSEE\* Student Ambassador

\*Computer Science & Electronic Engineering Department

## Other

- **Coding Instructor on YouTube and Udemy** : <https://www.youtube.com/c/NickGatzos>, <https://www.udemy.com/user/nickjonathan/>
- **I made an official presentation for Web Development industry**: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q6N7YEQMSHA>
- **Cycling Enthusiast**: Last year I rode around 1000 miles!
- **Computer Games Enthusiast**
- **Ex-Public Relations Manager at Entrada Interactive for Miscreated Game**

References are available upon request.