

KARA WHITE

PHOTOGRAPHER SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

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PROFILE

Software engineer and photographer with five years' experience, blending technical problem-solving with a creative eye to deliver high-quality digital and visual work.

PROJECTS

Exhibition Luna, Care & Defiance, Centrala, Birmingham | 1-27 May 2026. Holding balance a mother glaze of finding the balance between tech and outdoor play.

Hood Futures Studio, The ends through the lens exhibition Hippodrome | 21-23 Nov 2025. Patches Photo documentary 2025 That explores the entrepreneur ship of young people growing up in Aston.

REACT – QUIZ APP 2023 |

<https://github.com/karacodes88/reactphase4> Developed a Spice Girl Quiz app using React, building a custom database using a JSON file.

REACT API 2022 |

<https://github.com/karacodes88/mediastore> Developed a React-based iTunes play store with a sleek and responsive design. Leveraged iTunes API to fetch and display a vast collection of music, albums, and artists, providing an immersive user experience.

Work Experience

Retail Specialist | 2025 — February 2026

Apple, Birmingham

- Provided personalised product demonstrations that highlighted Apple's ecosystem and helped customers make informed decisions.
- Created Apple product owners and brand advocates by delivering exceptional in-store experiences.

Software Engineer | 2022 – Sept 2024

MindWeaver, London

- Working as part of team using Kanban Framework to complete tickets with a one-week turnover.
- Used Employed Lambda functions within AWS to create scalable and efficient batch size to run a call every 10 services it runs, using Java Script.
- React, Java

SKILLS

- HTML and CSS
- NodeJS, JavaScript
- Database (MongoDB, SQL, MySQL)
- Communication, Lightroom Classic, Problem Solving.

EDUCATION/CERTIFICATION

Create Central Units Stills Photography Workshop | 14-15 March 2026. Completed Central Units Stills Photography Workshop

- Learned on-set protocols and working alongside cast and crew
- Developed skills in capturing stills without disrupting live scenes
- Improved techniques in composition, lighting, timing, and continuity

Cloud Practitioner | 2023

AWS She Builds CloudUp

Implement OOPs using Java with Data Structures and Beyond | 2023 Simplilearn

Become a Backend Expert Certification | 2023 Simplilearn

Implement Frameworks the DevOps Way | 2023 Simplilearn

Testing in a DevOps Lifecycle | 2023 Simplilearn

Full Stack Developer Bootcamp | 2022

Niyo Bootcamps x Black Codher

CITY UNIVERSITY OF LONDON — BSC RADIOTHERAPY AND ONCOLOGY | 2008-2010

ADULT LEARNING COURSE — COUNSELLING LEVEL 1 & 2. 2011- 2012

SUTTON COLDFIELD COLLEGE — BTEC NATIONAL IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE STUDIES: MERIT AWARD

ACHIEVEMENTS Successfully presented a business case that identified improvement opportunities, leading to the implementation of Equity, Diversity, Inclusion, and Accessibility policies being implemented.