

Yordan Ganev | Software Engineer

Fullstack Engineer with 5+ years of experience developing web applications, with a strong backend focus and hands-on experience in CI/CD automation, cloud infrastructure, and web frontend.

EXPERIENCE

Mid Fullstack Engineer @ OVO Energy via TechPods

Feb 2023 - Present

OVO Energy is one of the UK's leading retail energy suppliers, pioneering smart-home technologies. At OVO, I develop colleague-facing applications that enable on-site teams to install smart meters.

- Built and deployed backend microservices in **Kotlin/Quarkus** both serverless Lambdas and long-running.
- Maintained our AWS infrastructure via **Terraform** provisioning **ECS** clusters, **API Gateway** endpoints, **Lambda** functions, **RDS** databases, **S3** buckets, **Cognito** authentication.
- Built automated data pipelines to stream service events into BigQuery for reporting.
- Maintained our monitoring in **Grafana** self-hosted service.
- Contributed to the client-side web app using **React** and **TypeScript** and the **Android** mobile app using **Flutter**.

Junior Backend Engineer @ OVO Energy via TechPods

Feb 2021 - Feb 2023

- Contributed to core microservices built with Kotlin/Quarkus and PostgreSQL.
- Built HTTP to SOAP adapter layer, enabling seamless integration with legacy SOAP web services.
- Built CI/CD pipelines for frontend and backend applications using CircleCI and GitHub Actions.

Java Engineer Trainee @ Telerik Academy

May 2020 – Dec 2020

Full-time, immersive bootcamp focused on programming fundamentals and web application development using **Java** and **Spring**.

- Completed practical coursework in Object-Oriented Programming, Data Structures & Algorithms, and Relational Databases.
- Developed a fullstack web application using Java, Spring, MariaDB, HTML, CSS, and JavaScript.
- Collaborated in pairs on web projects and as part of a six-member team for the core coursework.

Co-Founder @ The Perfect Present Ltd

Nov 2016 - Nov 2018

Design and production of personalized gifts using laser cutting machines. B2C E-Commerce store.

- Performed cost analysis to determine business strategy which resulted in over 2,500 unit sales per year.
- Designed the main product, brand identity, and graphic design.

EDUCATION

M.Sc. in Architecture @ UACEG, Sofia

Sep 2012 – June 2018

Mathematics and IT @ High School of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, Shumen 20

2007 - 2012

SKILLS

Core: Kotlin/Quarkus, TypeScript, PostgreSQL, Docker, AWS, Terraform, GitHub Actions, React, Svelte. Previous experience: Java/Spring, Apache Kafka, Flutter, CGP, Docker Swarm, Grafana.

PERSONAL PROJECTS

Yochess @ www.vochess.net

Simple, account-free web app for playing chess. Built using **SvelteKit** for the web app and a custom chess engine for the backend in **Kotlin**. You can explore the code here <u>github.com/yordan-g/yochess-ui</u>