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A GUIDE TO SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT QUALIFICATIONS

Find out how you can gain a qualification
in Software Development in Scotland

All qualifications are linked to the Scottish Credit and Qualifications Framework (SCQF).

Many computing courses include software modules at both undergraduate and postgraduate level.

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SCQF 4

National 4, Scottish Vocational Qualification (SVQ) Level 1, National Certificate (NC), National Progression Award (NPA)

SCQF 5

National 5, Scottish Vocational Qualification (SVQ) Level 2, National Certificate (NC), National Progression Award (NPA)

SCQF 6

Higher, National Certificate (NC), Scottish Vocational Qualification (SVQ) Level 3, Modern Apprenticeship (MA), National Progression Award (NPA), Foundation Apprenticeship (FA)

SCQF 7-10

Advanced Higher, Higher National Certificate (HNC), Higher National Diploma (HND), Professional Development Award (PDA), Bachelor's Degree (BA/BEng/BSc), Graduate Apprenticeship (GA)

SCQF 11

Master's Degree (MA/MEng/MSc), Postgraduate Certificate (PGCert), Postgraduate Diploma (PGDip), Graduate Apprenticeship (GA)

SCQF Level 4

NPA Software Development

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

National 4 Computing Science

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NC in Computing with Digital Media

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NPA Computer Games Development

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NPA Mobile Technology

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

SCQF Level 5

NPA Web Design

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NPA Web Design Fundamentals

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NPA Website Enterprise

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NPA Mobile Technology

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NPA Computer Games Development

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NC Mobile Technology

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

MA IT and Telecommunications

Where can you study?
Employer

National 5 Computing Science

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NC Computer Games Development

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NC Computing with Digital Media

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

SCQF Level 6

NPA Software Development

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

FA Software Development

Where can you study?
Employer

Higher Computer Science

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

MA Digital Applications

Where can you study?
Employer

MA IT and Telecommunications

Where can you study?
Employer

NPA Computer Games Development

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NC Computer Games Development

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

NC Computing with Digital Media

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

SCQF Level 7

PDA Software Development

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

Advanced Higher Computing Science

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

HNC Computing

Where can you study?
College

HNC Computer Games Development

Where can you study?
College

HNC Digital Design & Web Development

Where can you study?
College

PDA Web Development

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

PDA Web Technologies Fundamentals

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

PDA Website Design

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

PDA IT in Business

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

SCQF Level 8

PDA Software Development

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

HND Software Development

Where can you study?
College

HND Computer Science

Where can you study?
College

HND Digital Design & Web Development

Where can you study?
College

MA IT and Telecommunications Technical

Where can you study?
Employer

SCQF Level 9

PDA Software Development

Where can you study?
School/College/Training Provider

SCQF Level 10

BSc (Hons) Computer Game Applications Development

Where can you study?
Abertay University

BSc (Hons) in Computer Games Technology

Where can you study?
Abertay University

BSc (Hons) Computing

Where can you study?
Abertay University

BEng (Hons) Computing

Where can you study?
Edinburgh Napier University

BEng (Hons) Software Engineering

Where can you study?
Edinburgh Napier University

BSc (Hons) Computing Science

Where can you study?
Edinburgh Napier University

BSc (Hons) Games Development

Where can you study?
Edinburgh Napier University

BSc (Hons) Web Design and Development

Where can you study?
Edinburgh Napier University

GA in BSc (Hons) Software Development

Where can you study?
Edinburgh Napier University

BSc (Hons) Computer Games Software Development

Where can you study?
Glasgow Caledonian University

BSc (Hons) Digital Design

Where can you study?
Glasgow Caledonian University

BSc (Hons) Software Development for Business

Where can you study?
Glasgow Caledonian University

BSc (Hons) Computer Games (Design)

Where can you study?
Glasgow Caledonian University

GA in BSc (Hons) Software Development for Business

Where can you study?
Glasgow Caledonian University

BSc (Hons) Computer Science

Where can you study?
University of Aberdeen

BSc (Hons) Applied Computing

Where can you study?
University of Dundee

BSc (Hons) Computer Science (Software Engineering)

Where can you study?
Heriot-Watt University

BSc (Hons) Computer Systems (Games Programming)

Where can you study?
Heriot-Watt University

BSc (Hons) Computing Science

Where can you study?
University of Dundee

GA in BSc (Hons) IT Software Development

Where can you study?
University of Dundee

BSc (Hons) Information Systems (Interaction Design)

Where can you study?
Heriot-Watt University

BSc (Hons) Software Development for Business

Where can you study?
Heriot-Watt University

BEng (Hons) Software Engineering

Where can you study?
University of Edinburgh

BEng (Hons) Computer Science

Where can you study?
University of Edinburgh

GA in BSc (Hons) Software Development for Business

Where can you study?
Heriot-Watt University

BSc (Hons) Computing and IT

Where can you study?
Open University

BSc (Hons) Computer Science

Where can you study?
University of Edinburgh

BSc (Hons) Software Engineering

Where can you study?
University of Glasgow

GA in BSc (Hons) IT: Software Development

Where can you study?
Open University

BSc (Hons) Computer Science

Where can you study?
Robert Gordon University

GA in BSc (Hons) Software Engineering

Where can you study?
University of Glasgow

BSc (Hons) Applied Software Development

Where can you study?
University of the Highlands and Islands

BSc (Hons) Computing - Application Software Dev

Where can you study?
Robert Gordon University

BSc (Hons) Digital Media

Where can you study?
Robert Gordon University

BSc (Hons) Computing

Where can you study?
University of the Highlands and Islands

BSc (Hons) Interactive Media

Where can you study?
University of the Highlands and Islands

BSc (Hons) Computer Science

Where can you study?
University of St Andrews

BSc (Hons) Computing Science

Where can you study?
University of Stirling

BSc (Hons) Software Engineering

Where can you study?
University of Stirling

BSc (Hons) Computer Science

Where can you study?
University of Strathclyde

BSc (Hons) Software Engineering

Where can you study?
University of Strathclyde

GA in BSc (Hons) IT: Software Development

Where can you study?
University of Strathclyde

BSc (Hons) Computer Games Development

Where can you study?
University of the West of Scotland

BSc (Hons) Computer Science

Where can you study?
University of the West of Scotland

BSc (Hons) Web and Mobile Development

Where can you study?
University of the West of Scotland

GA in BSc (Hons) IT: Software Development

Where can you study?
University of the West of Scotland

SCQF Level 11

MSc/PGDip Computing Games Technology

Where can you study?
Abertay University

MSc/PGDip Computing Games Development and Technology

Where can you study?
Abertay University

MProf in Games Development

Where can you study?
Abertay University

MSc Computing

Where can you study?
Edinburgh Napier University

MEng Software Engineering

Where can you study?
Edinburgh Napier University

MSc Computing

Where can you study?
Heriot-Watt University

MSc Software Engineering

Where can you study?
Heriot-Watt University

MSc IT Software Systems

Where can you study?
Heriot-Watt University

MSc Computing

Where can you study?
Open University

MSc Electronic and Software Engineering

Where can you study?
University of Aberdeen

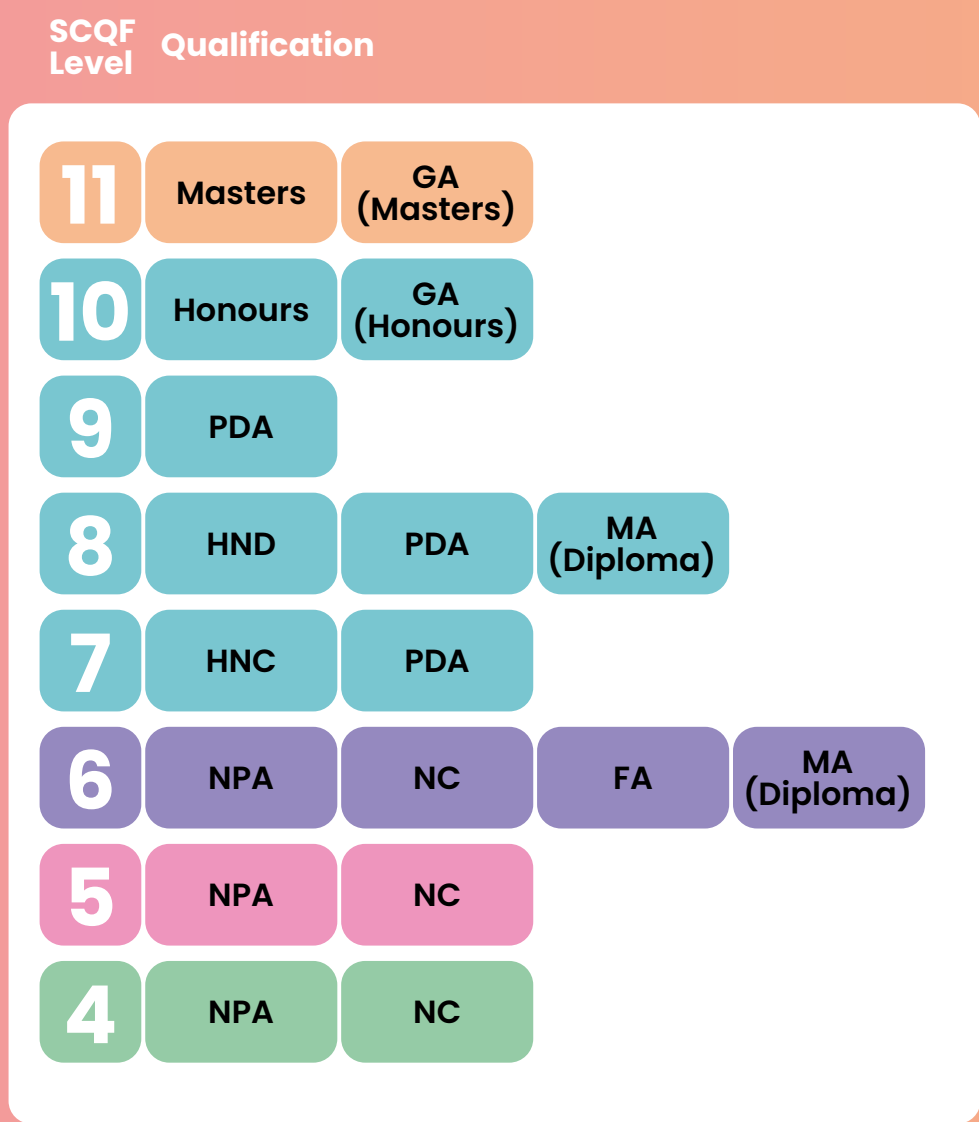
MSc Applied Computing

Where can you study?
University of Dundee

MSc Computing

Where can you study?
University of Dundee

<p>MSc Computing Science</p> <p>Where can you study? University of Glasgow</p>	<p>MSc Software Development</p> <p>Where can you study? University of Glasgow</p>
<p>MSc Web Technologies</p> <p>Where can you study? University of Highlands and Islands</p>	<p>MSc Computer Science</p> <p>Where can you study? University of St Andrews</p>
<p>MSc Software Engineering</p> <p>Where can you study? University of St Andrews</p>	<p>MSc Advanced Software Engineering</p> <p>Where can you study? University of Strathclyde</p>
<p>MSc Software Development</p> <p>Where can you study? University of Strathclyde</p>	<p>MSc Advanced Computer Software Development</p> <p>Where can you study? University of the West of Scotland</p>
<p>MSc Advanced Computing</p> <p>Where can you study? University of the West of Scotland</p>	<p>MSc Mobile Web Development</p> <p>Where can you study? University of the West of Scotland</p>



Key:
GA – Graduate Apprenticeship, PDA – Professional Development Award
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NPA – National Progression Award, NC – National Certificate

There are many jobs available in the Software Development sector and with the number continuing to grow, the opportunities are endless.

Here are the most common Software Development jobs available in Scotland:

- **DevOps Engineer**
- **Games Developer**
- **Mobile Applications Developer**
- **Software Architect**
- **Software Engineer**
- **Software Product Manager**
- **Software Support Technician**
- **Software Tester**
- **UX Designer**
- **Web Developer**

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