

# Open Source Development Training

## Who is it for?

If you use open source code in the software that you develop and supply to your customers, then you'll want to ensure that it has no inherent vulnerabilities that you don't know about, and that it is compliant with open source licensing... but how do you know what to look for?

## Why do you need it?

Open source code is a fantastic resource, but it can also present a whole array of business risks for those that aren't in the know. These include:

- Hidden legal obligations to the creator of that open source code
- Non-compliance with unknown licence requirements, which could lead to you having to publicly disclose your code!
- Security vulnerabilities and code that doesn't meet technical and architectural standards

You can only mitigate against the risks that you know about, but ignorance is not a defence. So, how do you ensure that you know where open source code is being used by your developers?

On our Open Source Development Training Course, you'll learn how to effectively tackle these business risks and create an open source strategy that all your developers can comply with.

## What do you get?

Our training is a ½ day CPD approved course, backed by Tech UK. During which you'll get to grips with:

- Open Source code and its prevalence
- How to come up with an effective open source strategy
- Licensing open source components
- The pitfalls of using open source code and avoiding them
- What is the OpenChain Project and how do you use it to achieve good governance

You will leave with the foundational knowledge you need to come up with an effective strategy for your business, that will allow you to efficiently document your open source code use. Giving you the power to combat the business risks that it could pose.

## What next?

If you'd like more information about the availability of our Open Source Development Training Course, get in touch:

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