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Kevin is a Project Manager for Progression and Attainment at the University of the Arts London (UAL), providing leadership and advice to course programme directors on curriculum development, progression and critical data sets to support at-risk students.

Awards and achievements include receiving Leading Practitioner status in Learning Development, a University Teaching Fellowship and a Senior Fellowship in recognition of his work to advance Social Justice through Education.

He is the author of the coaching course Daddy CPR® and, along with his storytelling of the black male experience, particularly around fatherhood in the UK, has been featured in media such as BBC 1Xtra, Look Magazine, The Evening Standard, and Radio 4's Woman's Hour, to name a few. His research interests include using disruptive pedagogies to eradicate the UK degree awarding gap, Decolonisation and applying content creation as part of Critical Pedagogies. He currently leads the research project, ' Disrupt the Discourse: The Culture Decoded'®, a co-creation initiative between staff and students in integrating anti-racism, decolonising curriculum and disruptive pedagogies through academic development. He is also an independent consultant and speaker on improving the continuation, progression and attainment rates of students in Higher Education.

As a social commentator and content creator, he provides a platform called Lounge Akademics™ for fun, informative content. He has intimate sit-downs with educational influencers exploring the culture, ranging from dating and relationships to modern science and entrepreneurship.