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Software Engineer (React.js)

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SUMMARY

I'm a front-end focused web engineer with 6+ years of industry experience working on React applications.

As well as considerable experience with front-end applications built in React, I have several years of experience with full-stack development. This includes some Ruby on Rails experience, maintaining APIs through Node and have used AWS for hosting and API/endpoint management throughout my career.

I'm familiar with a mix of team dynamics, ranging from large teams with dedicated designers and project managers, to small 2-3 person teams of all-rounders and decision makers. Likewise, I'm well-used to the startup mentality, pushing Agile to a new level, but do prefer more structure where possible.

EXPERIENCE

Web Developer & Content-Creator @ LocalBoast

Self-employed

01/2024 - 09/2024 Remote

The least controversial form of "React content".

- Building an Open-Source React.js library full of flashy functionality and broadcasting the process live on Twitch and YouTube.

Contract Software Engineer

Glitch

05/2024 - 05/2024 Dublin, Ireland

Adding Chart components to an AI Advertising Platform

- Project-based contract role, using React and TypeScript
- This was entirely front-end and let me experiment with design and UX in new ways

Software Engineer

Gravity Sketch

06/2022 - 08/2023 London, United Kingdom

Managed the Web Platform for the Virtual Reality company

- Learnt to work in a true startup environment
- First exposure to TypeScript and I haven't looked back since
- Worked with little to no input from designers (developer-led design)
- Oversaw an external security audit, facilitating pen-test and personally addressing any issues that arose

Lead Software Engineer

StitcherAds

07/2021 - 06/2022 London, United Kingdom

Team restructuring turned my nominal Tech-Lead role into an official Lead title. This mostly included the same work I did previously but with an emphasis on people management.

- Conducted weekly 1-1s with team for personal, tech, and HR issues
- Led a team consisting of 4 direct reports
- Enhanced communication skills through team interactions

PASSIONS



Infrequent Rock Climber (Bouldering)



Amateur Coffee Enthusiast

SKILLS

React

JavaScript

TypeScript

HTML

CSS

AWS

Leadership

Component Library Management

PROJECTS

LocalBoast

01/2024 - Present London, United Kingdom

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Building an Open-Source React.js library

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- Livestreamed process on Twitch and YouTube

Fotolapse

07/2017 - 09/2017 Waterford, Ireland

iOS/Android app to create GIFs from daily images

- Developed in React Native for cross-platform
- First exposure to JavaScript and React

EXPERIENCE

Senior Software Engineer

StitcherAds

📅 05/2020 - 07/2021 📍 Waterford, Ireland

During my role as Senior Software Engineer, I took on increased responsibilities and leadership within my team following our transition to a fully-remote structure. This included becoming involved in crucial aspects like hiring and onboarding while leading significant projects and collaborating closely with the product team.

- Became sole decision-maker for major platform additions.
- Involved in hiring process for remote engineering team, including interviews and onboarding of new hires.
- Maintained and extended full-stack for all creative tools on the platform.
- Led a large project to overhaul the UI with a phased rollout, adding dark-mode and visual/UX improvements.
- Worked closely with the product team for planning, providing UX opinions, approving feature requests, and reworking infeasible requests.

Software Engineer

StitcherAds

📅 07/2018 - 05/2020 📍 Waterford, Ireland

After advancing from a graduate role to a full engineer title, I was given far more trust and freedom with my work. This freedom took the form of being the sole developer on several projects and the tech lead on another. This low-level back-end work was some of my favourite work in my time here as it allowed for code sharing and inheritance in ways that most UI-based React components are usually not able to provide.

- Sole developer on several projects and tech lead on another.
- Reworked the backend of an heavily-used section of the app
- Joined the 'Creative Tech' team to develop front-end tools for templated ad-creative
- Visited Facebook offices in London to collaborate on future front-end tools.

Graduate Software Engineer

StitcherAds

📅 01/2018 - 07/2018 📍 Waterford, Ireland

StitcherAds is a technology company focused on developing advanced advertising solutions at scale.

- First role as a software developer. Quickly gained industry experience and was promoted within 3 months

Delivery Driver

Domino's Pizza

📅 12/2017 - 01/2018 📍 Waterford, Ireland

Delivered pizzas to make ends meet alongside coding side-projects

- Left after 1 month due to the hours hindering development opportunities

Sales Associate

Homebase

📅 03/2015 - 01/2016 📍 Waterford, Ireland

Worked in the Garden Centre of the store, aiding customers and restocking.

- Managed the Garden Centre independently, especially at the end of the day, preparing it for the next day.