

**Freddie Groom** Canberra, Australia

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remote – on-site in Canberra – hybrid roles outside Canberra

I am a user-focused developer with over 4 years of professional experience in building responsive, data-driven web applications using React and TypeScript. I build responsive data-driven web interfaces with reusable components and am comfortable refactoring existing projects or building from the ground up. I meet project deadlines when requirements need to be extended, both independently and within multidisciplinary teams.

I have a keen appreciation for UX/UI design, demonstrated through my initiative in teaching colleagues Figma to improve software design processes. My diverse background, including coaching and studying osteopathy, enhances my problem-solving and interpersonal skills, proving invaluable for delivering features, managing and mentoring colleagues and interacting with clients. In my free time, I explore new technologies and build projects for charity.

I relocated from London to Canberra in 2023 and focussed the time applying for permanent residency expanding my back-end skill set, to deliver full-stack apps, through online courses and I started a part-time bachelor's degree to broaden my understanding of computer science. References are available on request.

**Skills** - Typescript - Javascript - NextJS - React - React Native - Redux - Storybook - Styled-components - Node.js - Express - CSS - HTML5 - Git - HTML - MongoDB - Mongoose - SQL - Postgresql - AWS

**Consulting, Volunteering and ongoing projects**, January 2023 - Present

**Sounds Super Podcasts**, [soundssuper.co](https://soundssuper.co),

Designed, built, deployed and now maintain Sounds Super's website. I used React, TypeScript, and TailwindCss, AWS S3 for hosting and managed DNS records with route 53.

**Ideals Charity**, [ideals.freddiegroom.com](https://ideals.freddiegroom.com). Redesigned and built the website for Ideals Disaster Relief Charity. I used React, NextJS, TypeScript and Styled-Components. I am implementing Strapi as a Headless CMS to allow content management. It is hosted with AWS S3 and DNS records are managed with route 53.

**Homebase**, *tbd*, Building a mobile app for a health and fitness startup. I am using React-Native, TypeScript, Styled-Components, Django and Postres.

**Productivity Dashboard**, *tbd*, I am building a productivity dashboard with React, TypeScript, Material-UI, Dexie, IndexedDB, Node, Express, Mongoose, MongoDB and Passport.

## **Employment**

**Associate Developer, Decision Technology Ltd**, *Mar 2019 — Jan 2023*, London UK

Built variants of client products to capture consumer insights for forecasting and product development. Contributed throughout the software development lifecycle on legacy and greenfield projects.

- Independently delivered numerous experiments, built with React, TypeScript, Redux, and Storybook.
- Routinely worked extra hours for client deadlines when requirements were extended.
- Championed agile methodologies, improving the existing software design process for optimised workflow and reduced project duration, leading company-wide and individual training on Figma.
- Mentored junior developers helping cultivate a friendly and supportive team environment
- Managed Python automation scripts on Amazon EC2.
- Provided technical support as needed.

**Mentor, Bright Network Coding Bootcamp, Mar 2021 - May 2021, London UK**

- Supported graduates during a remote software engineering boot camp.
- Coached mentees through technical questions and when delivering projects.
- Received overwhelmingly positive feedback from course management and attendees.

**Senior Crossfit Coach, Crossfit Vauxhall London, Mar 2012 - Mar 2019, London UK**

- Analysed client progress to optimise program efficiency from data insights.
- Developed automated training programs with Excel.
- Instructed large groups and individuals in safe and efficient exercise.
- Customised exercises for individual requirements, injuries and access to equipment.
- Completed numerous courses for continued professional development

**Education**

**Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, University of London, 2023 - present**

A part-time online course through Coursera to help broaden my knowledge of Computer Science.

**Full Stack Development Bootcamp, Red Academy, Apr 2018 — Oct 2018, London UK**

A full-time coding boot camp with two industry placements while working full-time. Delivered MVPs for two start-ups, Mapify - WordPress and PHP, and Herd - React-Native and Postgres. I was taught HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, JQuery, Gulp, SASS, PHP, WordPress, git and GitHub, React, Redux, Node.JS, Express, Postgresql and MongoDB, Meteor, React Native, Cloud Deployment and TDD.

**British School of Osteopathy, 2012 — 2016, London UK**

- Developed enhanced diagnostic, problem-solving, and communication skills.
- Learned human anatomy and physiology

**Volunteering**

I have volunteered extensively with children with significant learning disabilities, coaching young people and now enjoy building websites for charities.