

Peter Abbott

Design + Machine Learning



“I work best in small, autonomous, highly multidisciplinary teams. I enjoy inspiring others and being challenged on my input. While I come from a traditional design background, I spend most of my time in the IDE or Terminal.”

Most recently I was the Co-Founding Designer at **GoDesk**, a blue collar customer support platform.

I was responsible for defining the business's strategic playbook, market fit, and brand positioning. I oversaw customer research implementation, a complete rebrand, and delivery of the product's first ML-powered customer support features. Over eight months, we achieved **10X revenue growth to \$3000+** MRR but ultimately liquidated the business and exited with remaining capital.

Before that I led the design system team at **Fresha**, the world's #1 beauty and wellness booking platform.

As Lead Product Designer at Fresha, I inherited a fragmented design ecosystem with 1000+ inconsistent components across three failed previous attempts at systematisation. Over 18 months, I built and led a team of 4 (3 engineers, 1 designer) to architect a comprehensive design system serving **130+ global team members** and **customers across 120 countries**.

Education

Norwich University of the Arts -
Graphic Communication Design

Experience

GoDesk - Co-Founding Designer
Fresha - Lead Product Designer
Contractor - Product Designer
Foolproof - UX Designer

Tools & Tech

Paper / Adobe suit / Figma / Procreate /
Obsidian / Jira / VSCode / Claude CLI /
SupaBase / OpenRouter /
JupyterNotebooks / Xcode / Git / Vercel /
Hostinger / React / Svelte5 / Typescript /
Javascript / JSON / SwiftUI / Python