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Profile.

Seasoned Full Stack Staff Software Engineer with over two decades of expertise. Specialising in TypeScript, Node.js, React, GraphQL, and PostgreSQL, with a well-rounded skill set for innovative software solutions.

Skills.

LANGUAGES
- TypeScript
- Node.js
- JavaScript
- GraphQL
- CSS
- HTML
- PHP
- ColdFusion
- Sass
- Less
- Stylus

FRAMEWORKS
- Express
- Fastify
- LoopBack
- Nest.js
- React
- Next.js
- Gatesby
- Vue.js
- Postgraphile
- Apollo GraphQL
- Redux

TESTING
- Vitest
- Jest
- React Testing Library
- Enzyme
- Cypress
- Mocha
- Chai

DATABASES
- PostgreSQL
- MySQL
- MariaDB
- Oracle
- Aurora
- MongoDB
- Redis

CI/CD
- GitHub Actions
- Travis

TOOLS/PLATFORMS
- Git
- GitHub
- Amazon AWS
- Microsoft Azure
- Vercel
- Netlify
- Firebase
- Docker
- Storybook
- Figma
- Sketch
- Photoshop

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Experience.

ScreenCloud
2022 - Present ▪ Staff Software Engineer ▪ London, UK

In 2022, upon returning to the UK, I rejoined ScreenCloud as a Staff Software Engineer, having already created and maintained the billing system. I developed UI components for credit card collection via Stripe, implemented enterprise level offline invoicing with Chargebee, and explored a Microsoft partnership for Azure integration. I led the billing system's development, collaborated with various teams, and mentored engineers, earning respect for technical expertise and product contributions.

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ScreenCloud
2018 - 2022 ▪ Staff Software Engineer ▪ Bangkok, Thailand

From 2018 to 2022, while based in Bangkok, Thailand, I played a crucial role in creating a new product at ScreenCloud. This involved rebuilding the CMS from scratch, known as "Studio" today. I worked independently and collaboratively on various services and user interfaces, leading the development of a powerful backend service using GraphQL, Postgraphile, node, and TypeScript. I also contributed to the React frontend CMS, improving the user experience. Additionally, I pioneered the development of authentication services integrated with Auth0, enabling secure access through various methods and supporting multiple Single Sign-On providers including Okta, SAML and Microsoft Azure AD.

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ScreenCloud
2016 - 2018 ▪ Senior Software Engineer ▪ London, UK

As a Senior Software Engineer at ScreenCloud from 2016 to 2018, I played a crucial role in revolutionising the cloud-based digital signage industry. I led the development of the screencloud.com marketing website and made substantial contributions to the signage CMS using PHP Laravel and Node.js with Express.js. I also improved the billing infrastructure and created a resellers and partnerships program to expand ScreenCloud's reach. Throughout my tenure, I demonstrated expertise in Laravel, Node.js, Express.js, and React, ensuring seamless integration of frontend and backend components for exceptional digital signage solutions.

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Thin Martian

2016 ▪ Senior Web Developer ▪ London, UK

As a Senior Web Developer at Thin Martian, I collaborated with diverse clients, delivering cutting-edge web solutions. A notable contribution was developing a bespoke PHP Laravel CMS, utilising YAML definition files for streamlined backend development. I also embraced emerging frontend technologies, starting with Vue.js and transitioning to React. Leveraging React, our team created complex and interactive frontend applications, prioritising user experience. Throughout my tenure, I focused on innovation, adapting to new technologies, and improving the development process.

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Codegent

2005 - 2016 ▪ Senior Web Developer ▪ London, UK

As a Senior Web Developer at Codegent from 2005 to 2016, I delivered exceptional web solutions for renowned clients like Disney, AMEX, Timeout, Microsoft, and Sketchers. I crafted bespoke CMS platforms using ColdFusion, PHP CodeIgniter, and PHP Laravel, ensuring efficient data management with MySQL and Oracle. I also led the creation of international Skechers websites, building frontend applications in multiple languages and architecting a custom CMS. Throughout my tenure, I embraced diverse challenges, leaving a lasting impact through technical expertise and innovative problem-solving.

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Reading Room

2000 - 2005 ▪ Web Developer ▪ London, UK

As a Web Developer at Reading Room, I collaborated with diverse clients like Cancer Research UK, British Library, and BBC. I handled frontend development using early-stage CSS, and personally created custom ColdFusion-based CMSs for backend work. I extensively worked with databases including MySQL, Oracle, and SQL Server to ensure smooth integration between frontend and backend components, delivering high-quality web solutions tailored to client requirements.

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1999 - 2000 ▪ Junior Web Developer ▪ London, UK

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Education.

Diploma in Web Development
Self-taught and Web Developer Home Course
1999

While I did not pursue formal education at a university or college, I took a proactive approach to my learning journey. At the age of 17, I entered the workforce and secured my first web development job, where I gained valuable hands-on experience and continued to expand my knowledge and skills in the field.

To further enhance my capabilities, I embarked on a comprehensive web developer home course, through which I acquired a diploma in web development. This self-directed learning path allowed me to acquire proficiency in various programming languages, frameworks, and development methodologies, all of which have been instrumental in my successful career as a software engineer.