PERSONAL

DOB: 08/03/1986
Nationality: French
Brexit Status: Settled

PORTFOLIO

my-portfolio-a4my.vercel.app/
github.com/a4my

SKILLS

- React
- Angular
- Sencha
- CSS / SASS
- JavaScript
- TypeScript
- NodeJS

TECHNOLOGIES

Jira, Zendesk, BitBucket, GitHub, Windows, VS Code, SalesForce, AWS, Mac, Git, SourceTree, NextJS

PERSONALITY TRAITS

Rigorous, Creative, Problem solver, Quick learner, Proactive, and Resilient.

ALEX FOURMY

Junior Frontend Developer

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PROFILE

Software developer passionate about UI design and problem solving with a strong interest in ReactJS. Insatiable eagerness to learn and self-develop to create high-quality, scalable, and reusable code.

While professionally playing in a busy rock band in London for 10 years, I also worked full-time in food retail, finance, customer service, and sales as a manager, a salesman, or a service advisor, supporting different countries in the EU.

After turning for good the music chapter of my life in May 2020, the need for a career change, creativity, and learning new skills led me to study web development full-time until I got my first junior front-end developer role at PageSuite in March 2022.

EXPERIENCE

Junior Frontend Developer - PageSuite, Ashford, UK

March 2022 to present

For a leading publishing company offering a digital desktop reader and a PWA to 1200+ publishers worldwide, such as The Times, The Sun, and Rolling Stones, representing a global audience of over 60 million views a month.

- Learnt and worked daily with Angular and Sencha Touch frameworks, C#, TypeScript, and AWS.
- Worked on bug fixes, code reviews, and new feature creations.
- Successfully supervised a team of developers to launch a new system of dynamic feed templates to facilitate and speed up the creation of new editions for all clients.
- Maintained graphic standards, code best practices, and branding throughout the product's interface.
- Trusted to lead daily team stand-ups and other feature presentation meetings.
- Created new documentation for every new feature or bug fixes to include in the company's product knowledge base.
- Worked with Quality Assurance to get new features and bug fixes tested and pushed live.
- Promoted within 6 months in the company resulting in expanding the scope of my responsibilities such as sprint scheduling, ticket estimations, and working on a Proof of Concept to prepare the transition from Angular to React.

VAT Registration Representative - Sovos, Brighton, UK

Nov 2019 to April 2021

For one of the "Big 4" VAT companies in the world. Worked for GB and EU clients.

- Supported clients throughout the VAT registration process, collating all information required and liaising with internal finance teams and European Tax Authorities.
- Ensure VAT compliance processes are up to date under country regulations
- Worked with third-party service providers to coordinate Foreign VAT reclaim activities

LANGUAGES

English

French

Japanese

Spanish

Portuguese

EDUCATION

- Frontend development Udemy (May-2020 to present)
- Full-stack development - ZTM Online School (Sep-2020 / present)
- Music Academy International (Apr-2006 / Apr-2007)
- Baccalauréat (French A-Level)
- Lycée de Wallis et Futuna (2005)

HOBBIES & INTERESTS

INTERESTING FACTS

I grew up abroad in various countries in the Pacific and Indian oceans. At 18, my passion for learning new things led me to get an airplane Pilot Licence, taking passengers across the islands. At 24, I moved to London, where I had a successful career in music for 10 years, which included international tours in Europe.

Client Relationship Manager - Fender, East Grinstead, UK

April 2019 to October 2019

Promoted and offered to join the sales department following the previous year's achievements. Drove sales and met personal and team KPIs (10% and 20 %YTY). Assisted upper management in the development of sales and marketing strategy.

Customer Support Representative - Fender, East Grinstead, UK

January 2018 - March 2019

For the UK, Spanish and French markets. Remodeled the instrument repair and return systems by closing several repair centers, opening a centralized repair center, and negotiating rates with UPS France, saving £100,000 per year.
Awarded "EMEA Employee of the Year" in 2018.

Assistant Manager - EAT Ltd, London, UK

May 2016 to December 2017

In one of the UK's Top 5 shops, in Moorgate, London. Recruited and trained team members and supervisors to enable staff progression, reduce turnover (by 40% in a year), and increase monthly sales by 10 to 20K.

General Manager - Burrito Bros, London, UK

April 2011 - April 2016

Directly reported to owners and stakeholders. Accountable for the overall performance and profitability of the retail unit with a sales target of +10% per year. In charge of recruitment, training, ordering, branding, and marketing.

Telemarketer - UGAM Solutions, London, UK

October 2010 - March 2011

First role in English after moving to London in September 2010. Developed new telemarketing scripts for the different EU teams. Assisted management with scheduling, new project scoping, and quality insurance.

Assistant Manager - Monoprix, Paris, FR

May 2009 - July 2010

Promoted in less than a year and moved to a high profile shop in La Défense, Paris. Managed 8-10 employees, including two shop supervisors, and assisted the General Manager with recruitment, training, stock control, ordering, reports, and P&L creation and analysis.

Shop Supervisor - Monoprix, Paris, FR

June 2008 - April 2009

For a French equivalent of Sainsbury's or Tesco in the UK. Reported to Assistant Manager and General Manager and supervised 5-7 employees daily.

Guitar Teacher - Self-employed, Paris, FR

May 2007 - June 2008

Full-time guitar teacher in Paris, France. Provided group or private guitar instruction and talent development covering beginner to advanced levels and in various types of guitar and music genres.