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Senior Full-Stack Software Engineer

Experience

Triplebyte Senior Software Engineer

Remote 2021 - Aug 2022

Part of a small team of experienced full-stack product engineers in a cross-disciplinary squad that works to conceive, build, ship, analyze, and refine new features for the developing Screen product in Ruby on Rails and React with TypeScript.

EverQuote, Inc
Principal Engineer

Cambridge, MA → Remote (Aug 2019)

2013 - 2021

Previously:

• Director of UX Engineering

Aug 2017 - Jan 2019

• Technical Lead, UX

Jan 2015 - Aug 2017

• Web Designer & Front-End Developer

2013 - Jan 2015

Software engineer, beginning as a designer/developer and growing into a full-stack subject matter expert for a large portion of the company's consumer-facing infrastructure. Provided technical leadership, code review and standards, career growth support, and architectural leadership. Lead the development of two microservices that replaced the front end of the Rails monolith, significantly improving performance, using Go and React with TypeScript; and helped to lay the foundations and launch Kotlin-based third-party APIs with embeddable React widgets.

Millennium Partners Sports Club Management, LLC Online Marketing Designer & Developer

Boston, MA 2009 - 2013

Sole in-house developer and digital designer, working in collaboration with print designer. Designed, developed, and sent thousands of emails per week to club members, employees, and prospects, in addition to developing, maintaining and improving web pages and web applications. Created and maintained database-backed web applications for a number of purposes including member communications and class scheduling.

Education

Emerson College
MA, Global Marketing Communication & Advertising

Boston, MA 2009

Savannah College of Art & Design BFA, Animation

Savannah, GA 2007

Skills

Languages: Proficient in Go, Node.js, TypeScript/JavaScript, MySQL, Postgres, HTML (HAML, Pug, Slim), CSS (SASS, PostCSS), PHP, Ruby, and shell. Experience with Kotlin, Java, Swift and MongoDB.

Frameworks and Libraries: Proficient in Webpack and Babel, React/Preact/JSX, Styled Components, Redux, Jest, Next.js, Mocha/Chai, jQuery, Ruby on Rails, Rspec/Capybara, Wordpress, Express.js and Sinatra. Experience in Spring and Ktor.

Software: Proficient in Adobe Creative Cloud suite, Sketch, Figma, Git, Windows and Mac environments, Docker and Kubernetes, AWS and GCP. Develop in Visual Studio Code, RubyMine, and Xcode for Swift. Analytics in DataDog and Grafana via Prometheus. Office suites are no problem. Use vim when handy, but no hikl – arrow keys exist for a reason.

References available on request.