James Britton

First in Computer Science

from Brunel University britton@hey.com

britton.app

A mobile engineer for 9+ years, now leading and developing teams to develop, deploy and maintain high quality applications

Recent responsibilities

- → Leading a multidisciplinary team of 14, including engineers, QAs and project managers on multiple deliverables including projects and product work
- → Closely worked with senior stakeholders and other areas of the business to develop a high-performing Product focused roadmap and mindset
- → Nominated as the product owner, working with stakeholders and group to prioritise and deliver features
- > Conducted performance reviews with engineers to set goals and understand personal development
- → Working with customers when developing new functionality for the Product or on custom integrations
- → Coached engineers to develop their skills and progression within the business, through regular 1:1s and yearly goal setting

Monterosa - Engineering Manager

Oct 20 - Present

Feb 19 - Oct 20

- > Responsible for the groups technical vision and providing technical direction to team members
- > Planning the groups resourcing and project requirements
- → Acting as the Product Owner, for the groups Product and working directly with senior stakeholders on developing the Product
- → Working with directly with customers on scoping new projects and leading technical investigations
- Managing technical members of the group, setting long term goals, addressing issues and providing a healthy group culture

Monterosa - Tech Lead

Handling professional development for the developers within the group

- → Leading customer discussions regarding technical integrations
- → Working closely with Producers to provide technical assessments and feasibility for new ideas
- → Helping to articulate difficult technical problems to non technical members of the team
- → Technical Lead multiple high profile projects including Love Island UK/USA, Britain's Got Talent and other international projects

EYN - Head of Mobile Oct 17 - Jan 19

- → Responsible for designing, engineering and maintaining front end services. Includes Android app, Web application and Restful API services
- → Facilitated team meetings and implemented agile principles to improve team efficiency and organisation
- → Responsible for recruitment interviews for other development roles
- → Implemented services in both Google Cloud and Amazon AWS
- Developed React Web application as a greenfield project, based on continued client feedback

Tictrac - Lead Android Developer

May 16 - Oct 17

> Provided leadership to a team of engineers on the multi client application

- Carried out user research, including face to face customer interviews, prototyping, questionnaires and calls
- → Travelled to Singapore for a week's integration and implementation with technical and business client representatives
- Conducted reviews for team members; including review debriefs
- → Delivered four client customised applications

Fanatix - Android Engineer

Jan 16 - May 16

- → Sole developer on all Android applications
- → Complete design and architecture update of the main Android application with a minimal viable product within a short delivery time
- Worked closely with our designer when re-developing the UX and design throughout the development and testing process

See LinkedIn for further previous roles - linkedin.com/in/jgbritton

Skill Set

Management

- o Team Leadership
- o Research Interviews
- o Agile Methodologies
- o Multidisciplinary Teams
- o Jira
- Resourcing
- o Stakeholder management

Languages

- o Java
- o Kotlin
- Javascript

Technologies

- o Android
- o iOS
- o JS
- o Firebase
- o AWS/GCP

Recent Personal Development Books

- o The Leader's Guide
- Competing Against Luck
- o Product-Led Growth
- Make Time

Events

MWC Barcelona - Presented at Samsung Partner Event

- 2-5 March 2015

Samsung Developer Conference - Part of panel

including Q/A session - 11-13 November 2014

Awards

Merck Healthcare Innovation Prize

2013 at Made in Brunel Awarded for the work I had done on my dissertation - Mobile Patient Records System (March 2013)

Brunel University Club of the Year Award

Whilst President of the Climbing Society, we were awarded Club of the Year. Which is awarded to the club that provides the best service to its members and the Students Union as a whole.

Interests Include

- o Triathlons Training for a full Ironman event this year
- Travelling
- o The dog

Recent Personal Development Books

- o The Leader's Guide
- Competing Against Luck
- Product-Led Growth