

Gersom van Ginkel

Freelance Javascript Developer

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I'm a freelance **JavaScript** developer with 12+ years of professional experience.

I work both on the **front-end** and **back-end** and although my specialism lies with JavaScript, I have a fair share of knowledge about other things, helping me bridge the gap in a multidisciplinary team.

Recently, I've worked with:

JavaScript TypeScript Svelte SvelteKit React React Native Next.js Jest
Node.js PostgreSQL

Some of the things I would like to work on:

Stateful Web Apps Developer Tooling DevOps Rich Text Editors

Portfolio

Sabbatical

Oct 2022 - Now

Spent a year with my partner traveling New Zealand in a motorhome. I've kept myself up to date with front-end news and reignited my creative spark with hobby coding projects.

[ProVeg](#)

Jan 2022 - Sep 2022

Working on improving the Veggie Challenge app, based on
React Native.

[Vandebron](#)

Jul 2021 - Jun 2022

Built a new React Native app that serves live charging station availability and pricing to EV drivers.

[WeTransfer](#)

Aug 2020 - Jan 2022

Completely rebuilt the developer workflow with a new SDK, UI library, and CLI for use in the development of fullscreen ads. Ads built with this tooling generated billions of impressions. This included working in
Svelte, React, Bash, and working together with their DevOps team.

[DPG Media](#)

Oct 2017 - Jul 2018

During the early days of React Native we used it to build the biggest app of its kind in The Netherlands. I was responsible for implementing the video feed and player. The app was first released for Algemeen Dagblad and later for HLN and many regional titles.

Plenty

Aug 2018 - Jan 2022

Built the `React Native` app Plenty in my free time, in order to help Dutch people to find vegan food products. The back-end was based on `Node` + `Postgres`. The app reached ±10,000 downloads during its lifetime.

Polder

May 2018 - Feb 2020

Polder was an internal communication tool for companies, started and funded by (ex-)Bynder people. I built the front-end from its first prototype to what it was when launching, using `React`, `NextJS`, and `Slate` (rich text editor).

Festina

May 2017 - Sep 2017

At this digital agency I built a movie on demand platform for [Innergy.world](#) (`React`, `Node`, `Postgres`, `VHX`), a kiosk app for [Fairphone](#) (`React Native`), and a host-customer chat into the [CityHub](#) app (`React Native`).

Planetary

Apr 2020 - Jul 2020

Worked on the `React Native` app for [MSCHF](#).

Aimforthemoon

Jan 2020 - Feb 2020

Built a `React` platform for a project of [FMO](#).

Shleep

Apr 2019 - Jun 2019

Built a `React` dashboard with data visualisations.

Label A

Nov 2016 - May 2017

During my employment at this digital agency, I worked on projects for [Porsche24](#) (`React`), [Aedes Magazine](#) (`React`), and [GrowBee.com](#) (`Ember.js`).

Profects

2012-2016

During my bachelors I worked part time for this company. Amongst other projects, I worked on a tool for [Agro4all](#) that provided a database of crop protection policies (`Angular 1`, `React`).

Education

[University of Amsterdam](#)

2013-2016

Medical Informatics (BSc), `Cum Laude`

For my final bachelor research into machine learning at [ISB Group](#), I used `Java` to train a Bayesian network in predicting cardiovascular disease in patients with type 2 diabetes.

Erasmus University
Rotterdam

2010-2013

Medicine (BSc), Unfinished

Calvijn College
Goes

2003-2010

Best Dutch high school in '08 and '09 (Elsevier)

As a final project I built [Skribi](#), a SAAS membership admin system for churches (`PHP` , `jQuery`).