Gosha Tcherednitchenko

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I value product insight and care for the people who use that product over technical dogmatism, and I know when "I don't know, but let me find out" is the best possible answer.

Relevant work experience

2021-now Indeed Flex (London, U.K.) Software engineer (contract)

Full-stack engineer focusing on elevating internal tooling during a period of rapid growth and transformation for the business. Driving documentation efforts and engineering processes, mentoring junior engineers and helping onboard them into a large engineering organisation.

STACK: TypeScript, React, Ruby on Rails

2019–2020 Natural Sitter (Remote) Tech lead (contract)

As the sole engineer on a 3-person team, designed, built, and launched a pet-sitting platform serving the Tokyo area, together with the supporting infrastructure — CI/CD, payments, etc. STACK: Ruby on Rails, Stimulus/Hotwire

2016–2017 Moneytree K.K. (Tokyo, Japan) Software engineer (contract)

As part of Moneytree's front-end engineering team, helped build the mobile Web app to feature parity with native apps, and helped migrate the tooling from Angular to React.

STACK: Angular, React, Ruby on Rails

2013–2016 AQ (Tokyo, Japan) Technical director, THEN Software engineer (contract)

As AQ's first engineering hire, hired and built an internal engineering team, and put in place engineering systems, processes, and best practices. The team delivered diverse client projects, ranging from prototyping work to full-scale web apps, as well as technical mentoring to clients. By the end of my tenure, AQ has acquired the capability of taking on engineering work in addition to the company's well-established design business.

STACK: Angular, TypeScript, Ruby on Rails

2011–2013 COOKPAD Inc. (Tokyo, Japan) UI Engineer

Helped bring a mobile-first Web UI to one of the world's largest Rails apps, serving a multi-million-strong audience on a daily basis.

STACK: HTML/CSS, Ruby on Rails

2010–2011 Local Republic (Berlin, Germany) Co-founder

Co-founded a civic tech startup. Drove UI/UX design and development, customer success.

STACK: HTML/CSS, Ruby on Rails

Education

2019	Royal College of Art, M.A. Photography
2010	Keio School of Media Design × P2PU, Digital Journalism

2005 EPITECH, M.Sc. Information Technology

Tech stack

Primarily working with Ruby on Rails (13+ years of experience) and JavaScript/TypeScript (10+ years of experience). Also: Clojure, Common Lisp, C, Swift, etc. Always happy to pick up new skills and technologies.

Languages

Fluent in English, French, Russian. Conversational Japanese, basic Mandarin Chinese and Spanish.