

Summary

I am looking to join a product team that has a user-centric development process, that believes that running lean and agile is the way to get to a successful product.

I've been focused on iOS development in the last three years although I have built Android apps as well in the past. I've been passionate about technology for as long as I can remember, starting out almost 10 years ago as a freelance web developer all the way to mobile apps development.

Employment history

iOS Developer

December 2014 - present

Universal Music Group

Composed is a classical music streaming app, a startup venture from Universal Music Group. Until the summer of 2015, it was hosted and managed by Made by Many, a product innovation studio based in London and New York, before integration back into Universal Music Group.

I was in charge of developing and maintaining the iOS app. During my time there I've increased unit test coverage by 50%, replaced the audio engine in the app with an open-source implementation, added new UI in universal storyboards with auto-layout and written all new code in Swift.

Additionally, at Composed we worked as a cross functional team and were all also involved in product-related tasks such as analytics review, user interviews, product steering sessions or feature sketch sessions.

iOS Developer

September 2012 - July 2014

NTT DATA (EBS Romania)

I was mainly involved in developing native apps for iPhone and iPad. I also performed code reviews for Audi AG, analyzing code bases of more than 20 internal and consumer iOS apps. Additionally I offered to help out on Android projects when needed.

Here are some projects that I worked on:

- Tanke: a location based mobile app that helps electric car owners in Vienna find charging stations around them.
- mobiLEOS: product targeting the health sector in Germany. It helps health service providers manage appointments with patients and deal with paperwork involving treatment and payment.
- De-Touro: product operating in the German health market. It enables cab drivers to bid on patient transport jobs offered by health insurance companies using their mobile devices.

Mobile App Developer

November 2011 - August 2012

Small Footprint, Inc.

Started out working on an app built with Titanium API but realized this technology was becoming a performance bottleneck. Then switched to native iOS development, learning along the way, I built two enterprise apps, one supporting iPhone and the other for iPad. My last project at this company was developing a simple 2D puzzle game for Android phones and tablets (Java) from scratch.

Javascript Developer

October 2010 - August 2011

OSF Global Services

I worked with Javascript both on the server-side and inside the browser (jQuery) while integrating custom e-commerce solutions based on the Demandware platform. I also worked on developing a few mobile

applications for Android and Blackberry using the native APIs (Java) and Appcelerator's Titanium API (Javascript).

Web Developer

April 2005 - August 2010

OgreCore.com - self employed

Development of web applications using PHP/MySQL/HTML. Developed e-commerce websites, CMS, Wordpress customization, various front-end work.

Education

Bachelor's degree – Electronics, Telecommunications and IT
Technical University of Cluj Napoca

2006 – 2010

Wrote my bachelor's thesis at Vrije Universiteit Brussel as part of an Erasmus Programme. My project involved developing a sound-based localization method for determining the position of wireless sensor nodes. I developed an algorithm that would determine the position of a wireless sensor in a cartesian system of coordinates by using sound via on-board speakers and microphone. Wireless sensor nodes were running TinyOS, a real-time operating system and the code was written in nesC.

Interests

- sports: basketball, tennis, golf, table-tennis
- recently learnt I enjoy contributing to open source projects
- reading about computer science, software business, startups