

# Malcolm Mutare

## Front End Developer



With over **5 years** in the software industry, I offer a unique blend of technical and interpersonal skills, bringing a distinctive perspective to software development projects.

I care about making customers happy, testing, accessibility, teamwork & code quality.

### PRIMARY SKILLS

React | TypeScript | JavaScript  
Next | Vite | Node | Tailwind  
Jest | Vitest | Shad/CN | Zod

### SECONDARY SKILLS

Git | Linux | Docker | Figma  
Redux | Zustand | Express  
GraphQL | MongoDB | PostMan

### QUICK LINKS

- [portfolio website](#)
- [linkedin.com/in/dbgifford](#)
- <https://github.com/mutaremalcolm>
- [mutarem@gmail.com](mailto:mutarem@gmail.com)

### EDUCATION

- The Open University**  
Bsc Computing & IT  
Sept 2024 - Sept 2025
- ZTM**  
Full Stack Bootcamp  
2013 - 2016
- British Computer Society**  
Diploma in IT  
April 2023 - June 2024

## RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE

- Frontend Developer @ Mashauri Ltd.**  
*Jan 2024 - Present | Madrid, Spain Remote*  
Played a role in an EdTech start-up oriented around teaching entrepreneurialism;
  - Designed wireframes, providing **UI/UX design** and mock ups.
  - Assisted in database design and optimization efforts using **MySQL**.
- Jr Frontend Developer @ Mashauri Ltd.**  
*Jun 2023 - Dec 2023 | Madrid, Spain Remote*  
specialized in building dynamic and responsive web applications;
  - Developed **responsive** web interfaces using **JavaScript & Tailwind**.
  - Developed landing pages & forms using **JavaScript & React**
- Business Development Consultant @Munch Cloud POS**  
*Jun 2021 - Sept 2022 | Pretoria, South Africa*  
Spearheaded comprehensive product demos to potential clients;
  - Co-led** sales division, **directly responsible** for new Business.
  - Provided performance feedback reports and **facilitated onboarding**.
  - Developed and maintained strong relationships with clients, understanding their business needs and providing tailored solutions.
- Career Break @ Professional Development**  
*Sept 2022 - May 2023 | Pretoria, South Africa*  
I took a professional development break to enhance my skills and knowledge.
  - Attended a Coding Bootcamp (ZTM Academy).
  - Engaged in a paid one-on-one mentorship program through MentorCruise.
  - Completed a Diploma in IT with The British Computer Society
- WordPress Developer @ Lemon & Thyme Food Services**  
*Feb 2018 - May 2021 | Pretoria, South Africa*  
Developed Custom Themes and Plugins: Designed and implemented custom themes;
  - Developed user-friendly websites integrating **ordering & e-commerce plug-ins**.
  - Ensuring **ongoing maintenance** and brand alignment.

## ORGANIZATIONS

- Zero to Mastery Academy | Alumni**  
*June 2023 - present*  
provide mentorship and support by sharing their experiences, answering questions, and offering guidance to current students and fellow alumni on topics relating to: React, Next.js, JavaScript, TypeScript, Node & Testing.
- MentorCruise.com | Mentorship program**  
*Sept 2022 - Jun 2024*  
Engaged in a paid one-on-one mentorship program, collaborating with *senior developers* through *code reviews & paired programming* sessions, focusing on modern best practices.

## PERSONAL PROJECTS

- CarHub Showcase**   
*Vite • Vitest • TypeScript • Tailwind • API call • Headless UI*  
An immersive experience for exploring the latest car models. This dynamic web application fetches car images from a reliable API source, giving access to high-quality visuals.
- ClearScore Ideaboard**   
*Vite • TypeScript • React-Hook-Form • Zod • Tailwind • Vitest • ShadCN*  
Frontend technical assessment showcasing *clean code* and *testing*, in a modern responsive React application. Notable features include *local storage persistence* and *sorting*.
- Thymia 2-back game**   
*Next14 • TypeScript • Tailwind • SSR • Jest • React Testing Library*  
Gamified adaptation of classic cognitive test using *Next.js* with global state management, integrating *timed intervals*, error logging, simulated post requests, and toggle functionality for *event log* display.