Oleg Gromov

Software Engineer and Enthusiast

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Profile

I am passionate about creating software and exposing it to the world as well as discovering and validating different measurable hypotheses to build systems that meet business needs and are a pleasure to work with.

Skills and Toolkit

My main strength is production-ready and prototypal software development using modern front-end technologies. I've been using various frameworks and tools for client-side and backend code, as well as different approaches such as reactive programming, elements of functional programming and OOP.

The projects I've contributed to were usually bundled in containers and passed thorough quality assurance approaches and shipping strategies like A/B testing, test-driven-development and continuous integration.

I am familiar with tooling and workflows, Agile methodologies and common practices that comprise modern software development landscape; UNIX-based operating systems, different internet communication protocols, compiled and interpreted programming languages.

Aside from development itself, I used to lead a team of developers, including interviewing, hiring engineers and supporting their career development via performance reviews. I was in charge of planning iterations, prioritizing the work and presenting results to the management.

In my work, I always use strong reasoning skills to make sensible decisions and rely on my peers' expertise to be productive and aligned with them on ways to achieve the goals.

Experience Timeline

Senior Software Engineer at Klarna We're building a mobile application and a single-page web application using React, React Native and Node.js. I have also contributed to mobile analytics integration using Firebase and Google Tag Manager.

English Language Student at CWC Brought my fluency to a new level during an immersive half-year long English as a Second Language course in order to be more successful as a developer.

JavaScript and
TypeScript; HTML,
CSS; Node.js,
Express; MVC; React,
Flux, Redux, reduxobservables; RxJs;
lodash, ramda

Docker; unittesting, end-to-end, functional and UI tests; Jenkins

git, git workflow; code reviews; Scrum, Kanban; Linux, MacOS; HTTP, WebSockets; C, C++; PHP, Python

Team leading experience; Basic product and project management skills

Nov 2017 - present Stockholm, Sweden

Feb - August 2017 Los Angeles, USA Mar 2014 - Mar 2017 Moscow, Russia Team Leader at Yandex

Grew the team from zero to 4 developers, which empowered it to prepare and conduct hundreds of experiments with advertisement display code. Collected and analyzed data from billions of ad impressions happened on 30,000 most visited Russian websites every day. The team had been increasing company's revenue by percents on monthly basis.

Feb - Apr 2014 Moscow, Russia Front-end Developer, Consultant at Dostavista Built an API client for proper integration with clients' websites. Gave a few UI/UX reviews for the most important company's web form aimed to increase conversion rate.

Aug 2012 - Oct 2013 Moscow, Russia Lead Front-end Developer at Innova Created a few vivid and attractive promotional websites with numerous tricky CSS and HTML tasks, like complex animations and graphic effects.

Oct 2009 - Jun 2012 Remotely Freelance Web Developer, UI/UX designer
Built some websites from scratch design

Built some websites from scratch; designed and implemented in web technologies UI for the systems like call-center management console or offline advertisement managing web platform; created more than one hundred HTML/CSS templates for numerous clients.

Apr 2007 - Apr 2008 Rostov-on-Don, Russia Front-end Developer at Gurnet Group Created web templates for different websites working with a small team of web developers.

github.com/oleggromov

Public Projects and Contributions

I spend a substantial amount of time working on open-source projects I publish on GitHub. My favorite so far is Oxypogon, a static website assembler and SauronStyle, a style change observer library written in TypeScript.

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Occasionally, I write and publish articles so they reach other developers to help them learn something new or spur a nice discussion.

Education

Primarily self-educated, I graduated from Rostov State College of Informational and Industrial Technologies with an Associate of Science degree in 2008. Later I pursued my Bachelors Degree in Economics from Rostov State Economic University but dropped out of school after a few years. In 2017 I had spent half a year improving my English at Columbia West College, Los Angeles.

I constantly improve my skills and knowledge by taking courses, studying new technologies and applying this knowledge to projects I participate in.

References

Will be provided upon request.