Reuben George Thomas *Full-Stack Web Developer*

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PROFILE

An ambitious and empathetic developer equally comfortable with user centred prototyping and full-stack development. Learns new tools quickly on the job, and thrives in a culture of transparent knowledge sharing.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Time to Spare, *Full Stack Developer* ⧉
October 2020 – present

Time to Spare builds tech to connect the voluntary sector.
- Built a self service checkout app for users of food banks using Next.js and Firebase.
- Implemented a custom form creation system. As a result of standardising form fields across an organisation, data being collected is less ambiguous and easier to feed into graphs/reports.

Aplisay, *Full-Stack Developer* ⧉
July 2020 – present

Part of a team building a frontend interface for aplisay connect, a tool that allows non technical small business owners to create an AI based telephone answering agent.
- Set up complex form state management using useReducer() and React Context.
- Worked with react-query to manage asynchronous api requests and client side caching.
- Contributed to the design system, which uses css modules and css variables.

Autsera, *Frontend Developer and Scrum Facilitator*
December 2019
Github Repo ⧉ **Live Website** ⧉

An interactive point and click adventure game built for autsera.com ⧉ to provide social skills training for children with autism.
- Created a scalable system to add more levels by using React Router in combination with several reusable components and JSON game data.
- Facilitated sprint planning for a team of 4 developers via a github kanban board.

PROJECTS

Commentative, *Frontend Developer*
Github Repo ⧉ **Live Website** ⧉

A web app for collaborative discussion around news articles. Built during the Hack The Press hackathon, September 2019.
- Converted a figma design to a responsive frontend UI, served by an express.js backend with handlebars.js templating.

Meet Me in the Middle, *Full-Stack Developer and UX/UI lead*
Github Repo ⧉ **Live Website** ⧉

A web app that takes two postcodes, suggests places to meet in the middle, and provides citymapper route planning and calendar integration. Three week student project at Founders and Coders.
- Handled mutiple api calls on the backend using promise chains and async/await
- Proposed a multi part form to reduce clutter on onboarding UX

SKILLS

Frontend
HTML+CSS
Javascript (ES6+)
React
Next.JS
TailwindCSS
Styled Components
Storybook

Backend
Node
Express
PostgreSQL
Firebase
Elasticsearch

Testing
Tape | Supertest | nock
Jest
React Testing Library
Cypress

Other Technical Skills
Git/Version Control
Test Driven Development
Continuous Integration
Wireframing/Prototyping

EDUCATION

Founders And Coders
Highly-selective 18 week Full-Stack JavaScript coding bootcamp:
Pair programming while building weekly projects to learn the essential technical skills required for modern web development.

INTERESTS

Music Production
Spends downtime playing guitar & making beats.

Mentoring/Volunteering
Voluntary mentor/speaker at founders and coders. Passionate about fostering inclusive, collaborative learning environments.