Ronan Levesque

ENGINEERING MANAGER

Details

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Links

Personal website

GitHub

CodePen

LinkedIn

Skills

Team management and leadership

Project management

Teamwork

Mentoring and coaching

Agile methodologies

Communication

Cross-functional collaboration

Problem solving

Software development

Languages

French (Native)

English (Fluent)

Profile

Experienced Engineering Manager with a track record of delivering successful projects within budget and timeline. Focused on the human side and the strong quality of products delivered. Skilled in implementing agile methodologies, driving continuous improvement, and increasing the productivity and well-being of the team, resulting in significant increases in code quality and product performance. Committed to fostering team growth and mentoring.

Employment History

Engineering Manager, Algolia, Paris

MARCH 2020 — SEPTEMBER 2024

- Managed a team of 5 Engineers and successfully launched multiple complex projects within deadlines.
- Led the complete rebuild of algolia.com in 6 months, from Design System revamp to CMS implementation.
- Mentored Engineers, fostering their professional growth and facilitating 4 promotions within the team.
- Implemented new methodologies to improve team productivity and reduce frictions.
- Established a culture of transparency and trust that improved team morale and productivity.
- Analyzed data to identify potential issues and prioritize tasks to meet company needs.

Senior Software Engineer, Algolia, Paris

AUGUST 2017 — MARCH 2020

- Moved the whole technical stack of algolia.com to React, adopting a component-based approach in order to accelerate content creation and improve reusability.
- Led the creation of a comprehensive Design System to better serve the component-based strategy and ensure a solid design consistency across various web properties.
- Led a team of Software Engineers in moving various web applications to Next.js in order to stay close to industry standards, and adapt them for the use of a headless CMS.
- Optimized multiples applications performance by refactoring code and leveraging caching.

Lead Front-End Developer, MFG Labs (Havas group), Paris

MAY 2015 — AUGUST 2017

- Completely revamped various web applications, including mfglabs.com.
- Created and maintained multiple REST web applications (React/Redux, Vanilla JS, jQuery).
- Defined and implemented technical front-end orientations.
- Continuous technological watch.

Front-End Developer, Tigerlily, Paris

MAY 2014 — MAY 2015

- Revamped and developed all the components of the core product, powered by an AngularJS application.
- Revamped various web applications with Locomotive CMS (front-end and back-end).
- Continuous technological watch.

Front-End Developer, Avent Media, Levallois

MARCH 2013 — MAY 2014

- Implemented design mockups using HTML/CSS, JavaScript and Responsive Design principles.
- Implemented dynamic data linked to the back-end.
- Optimized SEO from a technical standpoint.
- Continuous technological watch.

Website Manager, coolcadeau.fr, Colombes

DECEMBER 2010 — JANUARY 2013

- Led the project management of all graphical and technological website evolutions.
- Focused on improving merchandising and SEO.
- Defined and implemented website KPIs.
- Created multiple dashboards to analyze Marketing and Sales data.

Digital Marketing Representative, Disneyland Paris, Chessy

FEBRUARY 2009 — DECEMBER 2010

- Optimized SEM campaigns.
- Implemented disneylandparis.com SEO strategy.
- Managed pan-European website affiliation campaigns (7 countries).
- Managed online synergies with other Disney entities.
- Developed presence on forums, social networks and Disneyland fans websites.
- Optimized global traffic acquisition policy and Digital Marketing budget.

Merchandising Representative, lastminute.com, Saint-Ouen

MARCH 2006 — FEBRUARY 2009

- Optimized Merchandising of the Leisure section.
- Implemented a daily follow-up of sales and traffic data, implemented corrective actions in collaboration with Product managers.
- Handled internal communication with Marketing (User Interface, CRM, partners and affiliates) as well as Public Relations.

Education

Master's degree, Pôle Universitaire Léonard de Vinci, La Défense

2005 — 2006

Digital Marketing and Commerce

Bachelor's Degree, Pôle Universitaire Léonard de Vinci, La Défense

2001 — 2005

Commerce and Administration