



# Ross Condie

## Software Engineer

I am a software engineer with over a decade of experience in the service industry bringing a unique perspective to my development work. My focus area has been front-end using JavaScript, React and recently working with TypeScript and Next.js. I enjoy pair-programming and cross-functional collaboration. I want to contribute to impactful projects in diverse, agile teams with strong engineering cultures.

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

### Front End

JavaScript(ES6+), TypeScript, Next JS,  
React & Tailwind CSS

### Back End

Node, Express, MongoDB, PostgreSQL,  
Java & Python

## EDUCATION

### Professional Software Development

CodeClan Digital Skills Academy

01/2023 - 05/2023

*Remotely delivered*

- Completed a rigorous software development course that taught industry-standard practices, including Object-Oriented Programming and Test Driven Development.
- Earned an SQA Professional Development Award in Software Development at SCQF Level 8.
- Participated in instructor-led sessions, pair-programming labs, solo projects and group projects.
- Mastered essential concepts such as RESTful Routing, Version Control, Databases, UNIX & Full Stack Development during the course.

### HND Sound Production

Edinburgh College

09/2007 - 06/2009

*Edinburgh, Scotland*

- Multi-track Recording and Mixing.
- Audio Post-Production.
- Sound Design & Game Audio.
- Creative Music Re-Mixing.

## VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

### Software Engineer

Autonews.io [🔗](#)

07/2023 - Present

*All automotive news in one place.*

- To further expand my understanding of **TypeScript** and **Next.js**, I'm contributing to a project in my spare time called [autonews.io](https://autonews.io).
- I have built the Featured Portals section, that highlights all actively scraped portals. I wrote a SQL query to fetch all active portals first and then passed them to my component via server side props, displaying them as a list.
- Revamped Navigation for smaller screens by organising data in an array and implementing a menu icon with responsive rendering utilising Tailwind CSS. This enhances user navigation resulting in a more user-friendly mobile experience.

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## PERSONAL PROJECTS

### Dynamic portfolio website. (04/2023 - Present) [↗](#)

- Independently developed a web project utilising **JavaScript, React and CSS**.
- I wanted to learn more about web design to expand my knowledge of the core concepts and principles which resulted in the development of a valuable portfolio.
- By implementing media queries to increase the responsiveness of my application on tablet and mobile devices I improved the user experience of the application.
- Optimised efficiency and maintained design consistency by applying custom CSS variables to define reusable values across my application. This approach saved development time but also helped keep a balanced colour theme throughout the project.

### Clone of the popular ride-hailing Uber app. (04/2023 - 05/2023) [↗](#)

- Collaborated on an exciting paired project built with **React Native, Redux & Tailwind CSS** creating a fun imitation of a popular mobile application.
- Quickly adapted to unfamiliar frameworks and libraries, notably React Native and Redux whilst integrating Google Cloud APIs including Places, Directions and Distance Matrix APIs. Leading to a greater understanding of mobile development.
- Through pair programming and conducting daily stand-up sessions this established clearer communication and a smooth workflow which minimised conflicts resolving any bugs during the process of merging changes to Github.
- Created a tipping component with a strong emphasis on usability which improved the overall user experience of the application.

### Full-stack web application for a portfolio of stocks and shares. (03/2023 - 03/2023) [↗](#)

- Engaged in a team effort using a stack of **JavaScript, React, Express, MongoDB & MaterialUI**. As part of the team I focused on front-end development and dedicated myself to learning MaterialUI through reading documentation and practical experimentation giving me a solid grasp of this valuable tool.
- Accumulated useful experience through active participation in a group project where I contributed to the development of a full-stack web application mirroring real-world proficiency in a collaborative environment. This improved my understanding and gave practical insights into working on live projects.
- Applied agile methodologies including daily stand-ups and Kanban board planners to reduce errors and resolve merge conflicts within the project. This minimised errors and made delivery of the project smoother improving the overall development process.
- I dedicated time to researching JavaScript libraries and developed my skills in being able to effectively extract value from documentation increasing my productivity and ability to gather knowledge.

### Travel adventure tracking platform. (02/2023 - 03/2023) [↗](#)

- I developed the Fugitive Travel project using the tech stack **Python, HTML, CSS, Flask & PostgreSQL** to build a CRUD application that manages travel adventures to showcase my ability to manage web applications and databases.
- Gained a comprehensive understanding of CRUD (Create, Read, Update, Delete) operations by implementing them in my project allowing me to learn about and maintain data-driven applications.
- Demonstrated the capability to implement a static web application with a fully operational back-end server database by condensing four weeks of learning into an intensive one week project. This highlights my ability to quickly grasp new concepts and implement them into a complex project.
- Investigated RESTful routing conventions by immersing myself in a handful of resources such as documentation, tutorials and real world examples. Giving me an understanding of REST and its application in building well structured API endpoints.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Senior Barber/Stylist Surf N' Cut

03/2021 - 12/2022

Hannover, Germany

- Established a base of over 60 clients building relationships by consistently providing exceptional service with quality work.
- Maintained a customer satisfaction rate of 95% for 2022.
- Implemented and applied new methods to enhance daily operations by 50%, resulting in improved efficiency and productivity.
- Learned conversational German through meeting and interacting with clients.

### Senior Barber/Stylist Rag and Bone

11/2016 - 03/2021

Edinburgh, Scotland

- Built a strong and lasting rapport with over 100 clients through consistent delivery of requested services with exceptional results.
- Consulted with clients to assess personal preferences and unique needs.
- Proved successful working within tight deadlines in a fast paced environment whilst maintaining a 4.9/5 star rating for 4 years.
- Trained and supervised 5 trainees over a period of 4 years.

## CERTIFICATES

Professional Development Award in Software  
Development (01/2023 - 05/2023)

Scottish Qualifications Authority (SCQF Level 8)

Decarbonising Digital - Digital Sustainability (08/2023)

GoCodeGreen Learning Academy, Decarbonising Digital - Digital  
Sustainability Foundation Course