

FRONT END DEVELOPER

Hello, I'm Alex Bristow.

I'm a retail buyer turned front end developer, based in London. I'm currently at Ocado creating the next-generation shopping platform that will change the way the world shops. I have a customer-first approach to my work and I'm at my happiest when I am creating exceptional products that users love.

Experience

2022 - CURRENT

Ocado Group in Hatfield, UK

SENIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER (E3)

- Write performant, reliable and accessible code for the Ocado eCommerce web platform used by millions of users worldwide
- Communicate and collaborate with multi-disciplinary teams of engineers, designers, product managers and stakeholders
- Provide guidance, mentoring and code reviews for front end engineers

Sky in London, UK

SENIOR FRONT END DEVELOPER (SITE RELIABILITY)

- Promoted role with added focus on establishing technical standards, code reviews and mentoring
- Share some scrum master responsibilities in an agile team

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FRONT END DEVELOPER (SITE RELIABILITY)

- Design, develop and maintain innovative web and mobile apps to help the Sky and NBCU leadership teams better understand customer experience and viewership
- Write clean and performant React and React Native code using a modern stack
- Solve complex problems involving large amounts of real time data with innovative technical solutions that don't compromise on user experience
- As a product owner, I was highly organised, collaborated closely in a cross functional team and engaged stakeholders regularly
- Contributed to the successful launches of the 'Peacock', 'Sky Glass' and 'SkyShowtime' propositions

2021 - 2022

2018 - 2021

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EDUCATION

2011 - 2014
BA Business Studies (Upper 2:1)
UWE, Bristol

KEY QUALITIES

- Solution-Oriented
- Communication
- Creativity
- Teamwork
- Work Ethic

TECHNICAL SKILLS

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

JavaScript (ES6), TypeScript, HTML, CSS/Sass, GraphQL

LIBRARIES & FRAMEWORKS

React, React Native, Node, Express, Redux, Jest, Testing Library, Next, Express, Prisma, Tailwind, Styled Components

TOOLS & PLATFORMS

Git, Webpack, Vercel, Heroku, Expo, Firebase

DESIGN

Adobe XD, Sketch, Figma

INTERESTS

- Music Production
- Gaming
- Football
- Business