

Hi! I'm Ken Hoff.



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I'm an independent contributor, team lead and DevRel, working primarily in **full-stack JavaScript**. I love taking tough business problems with fuzzy requirements, iterating, and deploying fully-tested software to thousands of users.

I'm looking for a **happy, hungry, and humble team** to have a long-term impact with. I'm interested in DX, dev tooling and documentation. I'm also looking to do more social good - bonus points for working on renewables, carbon, transit, civic infrastructure, or voting reform.

Competencies

- Full-stack JavaScript - React, Express
- REST and RPC API design
- PostgreSQL, MongoDB
- create-react-app, webpack
- styled-components, Storybook, Bootstrap, Figma
- Jest, Istanbul, react-testing-library, jsdom, Mocha, Sinon
- React and Vanilla JS performance profiling, debugging
- Azure, Google Cloud, Firebase
- GitHub, Bitbucket
- Serverless / lambda functions
- CI / CD pipelines, ESLint

In my free time, I like working on the house with my partner Rachel and taking our little dog Alfie for walks. Ask me what we've got growing in the garden this year!

Experience

Lootcakes

Senior Software Engineer

2021 - present

React Fastify Node.js Azure Cloud MSSQL
serverless react-fetching-library Docker Kubernetes

Gatheround

Product Engineer

2021

Clojure ClojureScript Firebase Cloud Firestore
Firebase Cloud Functions

NextHealth Technologies

UI Lead

2020 - 2021

React Figma Jest react-hook-form Storybook
Azure Cloud Jira

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Software Engineer

2018 - 2019

React Node Express Bootstrap MongoDB
Heroku Slack integration Microsoft Teams integration
Jira Software integration Jira Service Desk integration

Stream

Developer Advocate

2017 - 2018

React Node Express MongoDB Heroku

Microsoft

Program Manager

2015 - 2016

Azure Active Directory