

Hi! I'm Ken Hoff.

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I'm an experienced full-stack Typescript independent contributor and team lead.

I've been building web apps professionally for 10+ years. I'm looking for a **happy, hungry, and humble team** to have a long-term impact with.

Competencies

- **Full-stack TypeScript**
- **API Design** - REST, GraphQL and RPC
- **Building frontend UI libraries and design systems** - styled-components, Storybook, Figma
- **Performance profiling** - React, browser, and server-side, Lighthouse and FPS metrics, Chromium debugging
- **Testing, frontend and backend, unit and end-to-end** - Cypress, Jest, Istanbul, react-testing-library, jsdom
- **Relational and nonrelational databases** - PostgreSQL, MongoDB
- **Frontend code bundlers** - webpack, vite, create-react-app
- **Cloud providers** - Google Cloud, Azure, AWS
- **Source control** - GitHub, Bitbucket
- **"Alternative" app backends** - Serverless / lambda functions, Firebase
- **Build and deploy pipelines** - GitHub Actions, Docker, AWS CodeBuild
- **Code quality** - ESLint, Prettier, TypeScript

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

Techstars

Senior Software Engineer

Mar 2023 - present

TypeScript React Node GraphQL Prisma
Pothos PostgreSQL MUI AWS Docker
Kubernetes

Lootcakes

Senior Software Engineer

Apr 2021 - Mar 2023

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

NextHealth Technologies

UI Lead

Dec 2019 - Apr 2021

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

Halp

Software Engineer

Sep 2018 - Dec 2019

React Node Express Bootstrap MongoDB
Heroku Slack integrations + more

Stream

Developer Advocate

Oct 2017 - Aug 2018

React Node Express MongoDB Heroku