



Dave Grix

Backend Engineer & Chatbot Integration Expert

About Me

I am a polyglot developer who specializes in high performance, minimum latency API design and deployment using TypeScript and generally Express/NodeJS. I have worked in multiple industries and disciplines in my 15 years of experience from retail, to insurance, to chatbots and natural language processing (NLP)

Requirements

£ Required Salary

£120k+

🏠 Pension

Salary Sacrifice >=10%

📅 Annual Leave

Min of 27 + Bank Holidays

📍 Location

Remote

Development

I have broad experience across many languages and frameworks, both backend and front end. My experience has led me to the position of lead software engineer for Sabio and am often tasked with delivering projects in both cutting edge technologies, and those where we are delivering in a language or framework for the first time. I am very well versed in both Amazon and Googles Cloud offering as use both on a daily basis, be it Google Dialogflow or AWS Cloudwatch. I am currently working towards accreditation in both platforms and aim to achieve a pass in the next couple of months.

Dev Ops

I am also skilled in dev ops and CI / CD, with knowledge of both GCP and AWS, with most of my recent experience being in GCP.

I have experience in building containers with Docker, and have high knowledge of deployments using GitHub, Jenkins, Google Cloud Build, TeamCity and CircleCi

Management

I have led effective teams in my career, and have experience in senior management on both a team and company level. I have experience in recruitment, goal setting, KPI's and time management. I am a hands-on manager and have always continued working in the teams I am managing, generally to a 50/50 split. My current role has me oversee the UK development team at Sabio, as well as administrating many of our international systems.

Clients

I have worked on both domain specific products and with multinational external facing clients including Google, Homeserve, Royal London and others. I am confident in dealing with clients, external and internal, on a daily basis. I can explain technical concepts in easy to understand language for non-technical business areas, and help in changing business mindset to an agile approach.

Professional Skills

TypeScript



JavaScript



Node.JS



Testing (BDD / TDD)



Python



React



Jira Administration



Docker / Container Architecture



Go



Android Development (Native Java)



Cloud Providers and Services (GCP and AWS)



Language Processors (GDF, AWS Connect/Lex, Avaya CPaaS)



Server Administration (Linux)



VCS (Git, GitHub, Bitbucket)



SIP and Telephony



Relation Databases (MSSQL / MySql / Postgres / MariaDB)



Salesforce Development



Cloud Providers and Services (Azure / Digital Ocean)








NoSQL Databases



Server Administration (Microsoft based)



Professional Experience

-  **Lead Software Engineer** at [Sabio Group](#)
June, 2021 - Present
-  **Senior Software Engineer** at [Sabio Group](#)
April, 2020 - June 2021
-  **Software Engineer** at [Dvelp](#) (acquired by Sabio Group)
February 2020 - April, 2020
-  **Principle Developer** at [Pavers Shoes](#)
July, 2014 - January, 2020
-  **.NET Automations Engineer** at [Aviva](#)
May, 2009 - December, 2013

Location

