

# Steven McTainsh

## Software Engineer & Manager



### About Me

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### Personal Qualities

- Great team player
- Friendly, approachable, positive person
- Can-do attitude
- Adaptable
- Very organised
- Detail focused and outcome driven, while also being pragmatic
- Self-motivating
- Always willing to learn new things and keen to learn from others
- Always considerate of the bigger picture
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Passion for mentoring and helping others grow
- Proven experience with remote working
- Advocate for automation - unit testing, delivery pipeline, UI testing

### Skills

#### Mobile

Swift – iOS and tvOS	4 years
Objective-C – iOS and tvOS	9 years
CocoaPods, Carthage, SPM	3 years
iOS frameworks – incl. Core Animation, Core Location, AVKit	9 years
Interface Builder and AutoLayout	9 years
Kotlin (Android)	1 year
SDK development	2 years

#### Web

HTML, CSS	11 years
JavaScript	8 years
TypeScript	2 years
NodeJS	5 years
SQL	5 years

#### General

Git SCM	9 years
Agile development (including Kanban)	9 years

### Qualifications

**2009 – 2012**

**Bachelor of Computing and Mathematical Sciences with First Class Honours**

University of Waikato, Hamilton, New Zealand

# Experience

## February 2022 - present

### Mobile Engineering Manager, Flightradar24 AB

Manager of the mobile team at Flightradar24, consisting of 2 iOS developers and 3 Android developers. Responsible for recruitment, team wellbeing and development, and driving initiatives for improvement to team processes. Regular communication with tech management team and product owners to achieve business goals.

## October 2020 - February 2022

### Lead Engineer (Client Apps), Atomic.io

Responsible for the build of Atomic's iOS, Android, Web, React Native and Flutter SDKs. Management of team members, conducting 1:1's, analysis, estimation and scheduling of upcoming work. Regular communication with the product, customer success, design and platform engineering team.

## January 2019 - October 2020

### Senior Software Engineer, Atomic.io

First member of Atomic's iOS team. Built the iOS SDK using the MVP and coordinator patterns, completing regular proof of concept work and a comprehensive test app to allow sales teams to demonstrate the product's capabilities in presenting in-app notifications.

## May 2017 – December 2018

### Senior Mobile Developer, BNZ

Championed initiatives to improve efficiency in the iOS team. Helped introduce modern architecture patterns to the codebase, improved collaboration within the iOS team by promoting a supportive team environment, supported an app-wide style guide, and contributed to BNZ's Business and Personal banking apps for iOS.

## November 2011 – May 2017

### Developer/Senior Developer, Alphero

Led and contributed to the development of various iOS and web projects, producing quality results that were on time and under budget. Extensive work in project estimation, attending progress meetings with clients and ensuring requirements were implemented.

Contributed to the Radio New Zealand mobile apps; Newshub mobile apps; ThreeNow mobile apps and website; Rova mobile apps; TVNZ OnDemand iOS app; The Co-operative Bank of New Zealand's new internet banking platform, Westpac New Zealand's native universal iOS app, and Genesis Energy's iOS app.

## 2006 – 2020

### Freelance web development

Preparation of quotes and estimates for various freelance projects, along with the design and build of accepted jobs. Projects vary from multi-page brochure websites, to booking systems hosted on Google Firebase, with PayPal as a payment gateway.

*Referees are available on request.*