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The ASUS ExpertBook B5 Flip proves it has the power to turn the app world.

By day, NCS Australia's James Litjens identifies, forecasts and leverages emerging technologies for his clients. In his spare time, he develops apps using the ASUS ExpertBook B5 Flip wherever inspiration strikes.



NCS Australia brings together the best tech talent, working as one to harness technology and advance communities. As Director of Emerging Technologies, James Litjens plays a pivotal role in understanding complex technological shifts and strategically leveraging growing tech to achieve tangible business outcomes for clients.

"I'm always trying new technologies and thinking about the customer experience, which needs to be at the forefront of all the complex technologies I use at work," says James. "It's one of the main reasons I create apps as a hobby. But, instead of being locked in a windowless office to create them, I throw my



ExpertBook into my backpack so I'm ready whenever I get an idea. I've used it in cafés, near the beach, and even on a hill overlooking Melbourne. I look for power, portability, reliability and durability in a laptop for mobile app development, and the ExpertBook B5 Flip has it all and more."

Impeccable features for mobile app development

The ExpertBook B5 Flip with Windows 11 Pro, is an unstoppable powerhouse for mobile programmers, coders, developers and sysadmins. It enables rapid, consistent code testing thanks to a powerful Intel® Core™ i7 processor, Iris® X^e graphics, up to 48GB DDR4 RAM, up to 2TB SSD, and superfast Intel® Wi-Fi™ 6, making it ideal for experts and hobbyists alike.

"I recently built a sports trivia app with friends called Boxle," continues James. "It's a spin on Wordle for basketball that challenges you to get the starting five line-ups in a memorable NBA game. My ExpertBook's powerful features can handle the more complex app compiling and run some of the more specialised software, including our online tool, Flutter Flow."

The ExpertBook B5 Flip's immersive and touch-sensitive NanoEdge screen also lets James choose how he creates. "The 360° touchscreen and stylus have been invaluable for Boxle. For example, we were able to design the user interface over coffee at a café, mark up the initial wireframes, and provide visual feedback to our designer."

Flexible by nature, long-lasting by design

Like many, inspiration often strikes James while enjoying the great outdoors. Thanks to this ExpertBook’s 66 Wh li-polymer battery, James enjoys unplugged freedom to create for hours on a single battery charge.

“My ExpertBook allows me to sit outside in the fresh Melbourne air and create digitally whilst still being connected to the outside world,” says James.

“The battery lasts well beyond other PC laptops I’ve tried”

With two Thunderbolt 4 and one HDMI® 2.0 port, James can connect up to three external 4K UHD displays for brilliant creative multitasking. “I use the HDMI® to connect a portable second monitor, so I have a full setup outdoors,” continues James. “The hinge allows me to tilt the screen to the perfect angle to avoid the sun’s glare. Flipping the hinge completely into tablet mode allows me to test the mobile apps in super high definition for extreme pixel perfection.

“The ASUS ExpertBook B5 Flip has proven to be a flexible partner for my flexible lifestyle, enabling me to do what I want, wherever I want.”

For more information about NCS Australia, please visit ncs.co/en-au. You can also download and play Boxle at <https://boxle.cloctails.net/links/play>.



ASUS ExpertBook B5 Flip
Power to turn your business world



Windows 11 Pro is built for secure hybrid work

A message from Leon Brumen, Head of Commercial at ASUS ANZ

The ASUS ExpertBook B5 Flip is a mobile app developer’s dream. It is engineered with cutting-edge technologies to more than handle the demands of coding, including a powerful processor and optional dual SSD with RAID support. In addition, the inbuilt fingerprint sensor and TPM 2.0 chip protect privacy and big ideas. We’re excited to hear how one of Australia’s leading Emerging Technology experts uses the ExpertBook B5 Flip to try new technologies and unleash his creativity. We wish NCS Australia great success in its mission to advance communities and look forward to enjoying the apps James develops in his spare time.

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