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Skills

React | Typescript | Javascript | Node.js | Redux | SCSS | CSS | Styled Components | Tailwind | Next.js | GraphQL | Apollo | React-Query | D3 | Recharts | Go | Style Dictionary | Shared Component Libraries | Material-UI | Formik | MobX | Express | jQuery | Jest | React Testing Library | Cypress | Frontend Architecture | Webpack | Storybook | Amplitude | Event Tracking | AWS | SQL | PostgreSQL | NoSQL | Docker | Figma

Professional Experience

Senior Frontend Engineer | NYSHEX (New York Shipping Exchange) | June 2021 - February 2024

- Led the frontend design and implementation for our Charts application that will allow users to generate custom charts to view their shipping data. This new version of the app is one of the main selling points our company uses to sign new contracts with container shipping companies.
- Helped to lead the development of the company's shared component library. Using Styled-dictionary for our design system. Which allowed us to provide a cleaner look to our app and increased frontend developer productivity by creating a pool of ready to use components.
- Created designs for our frontend white label architecture. Which allows container shipping companies to show a skinned version of our app to their clients.
- Joined high priority and behind schedule NVO Allocation project half way through. Helped turn the project around to meet deadlines. Reduced page loading times by over 200% by reorganizing React and Javascript code to reduce unnecessary requests to APIs. The project was used to convince several shipping companies to increase the amount of data they put through our system allowing us to generate more revenue from our deals with those companies.
- Created backend endpoints to perform complicated data fetching patterns for our frontend.
- Member of the company's Frontend Engineering Committee and Architecture Council.
- Mentored junior developers to improve their coding and collaborative skills.
- Planned, organized and wrote features in our Front-End applications
 - Created the Dashboard, NVO Dashboard, Allocation Dashboard, Allocations Details, NVO Allocation Details, and User Permissions Management pages.
 - Expanded and maintained our Redux store as well as the Exceptions List, Performance Visibility, and Bookings List pages.

Fullstack Software Engineer | The Knot | August 2018 - June 2021

- Helped create a new type of wedding website called "Lite Site" that is sleeker and easier to customize. Led to a 5% increase in the percentage of Knot users that created their wedding website with The Knot.
- Created a new custom questions feature for wedding websites, which allows users to create questions that guests can answer as they RSVP to the wedding.
- Migrated our frontend and backend systems to use GraphQL and the Apollo GraphQL Client
- Helped lead re-vamps for our Dashboard, Guest List, Onboarding workflows, and Guest RSVP apps
- Added features to The Knot's frontend planning tools such as Budgeter, Style Quiz, and Vendor Manager.
- Created shared components for The Knot's shared component library
- Created backend endpoints for our Node and Go microservices.

Software Engineer, Contract | Side by Side Financials | April 2018 - May 2018

- Created a desktop portal for employees so they have access to forms needed for their retirement plans.

Education

BS Physics, BA Math | Georgetown University | Sep 2013 - May 2017

Software Engineering Bootcamp | Fullstack Academy | Dec 2017 - Apr 2018

Projects

Emotional Support Dinosaurs (★ Hackathon Winning Project)

Dinosaur themed personal assistants that operate via voice recognition. This app was designed primarily for kids and focuses on helping them understand their emotions.