Amberlie Hicken

Frontend Engineer | React, JavaScript, UI/UX

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SUMMARY

Frontend engineer specializing in React and modern JavaScript, with hands-on experience building component-driven, user-focused web and mobile applications. Strong emphasis on UI/UX quality, reusable architecture, and API integration in remote, product-driven environments. Proven ability to take features from concept to implementation, supported by active projects and GitHub contributions.

PROJECTS

Homestead Hub — Frontend / React Native Developer

React Native, JavaScript, REST APIs, Appwrite

- Designed and implemented a component-driven UI architecture to support scalable feature development across multiple screens and modules
- Built API-integrated workflows for creating, retrieving, and updating application data, ensuring consistent state management and responsive UI
- Focused on usability and UI clarity, refining layouts, navigation, and interactions to improve overall user experience
- Iterated on features through a product-driven workflow, incorporating planning, implementation, debugging, and refinement
- Improved maintainability and reduced refactoring overhead through reusable components and consistent UI patterns

Developer Portfolio Website — Frontend Developer

React / Next.js, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

- Designed and built a responsive frontend portfolio to showcase projects, skills, and code samples
- Deployed and maintained the site with iterative updates as projects evolved
- Implemented clean layouts and reusable components with a focus on clarity, accessibility, and performance best practices

EXPERIENCE

Frontend Developer (Freelance / Independent Projects) - *Remote*

- Developed and maintained frontend features using React and JavaScript, focusing on clean, reusable components and maintainable UI patterns
- Worked with REST APIs and application state to support dynamic, data-driven interfaces
- Translated feature ideas into usable UI flows through planning, implementation, and iteration
- Debugged issues, refactored components, and improved layout consistency across screens
- Managed work independently in a remote, self-directed environment, prioritizing usability, clarity, and timely delivery

SKILLS

Frontend

- React
- JavaScript (ES6+)
- TypeScript
- HTML, CSS

UI / UX

- Component-driven architecture
- Reusable UI patterns
- Usability-focused design
- Responsive layouts

EDUCATION

Software Development Certificate
Tooele Technical College