

# Brian Reisman

Gatsby || React || NodeJS

Full stack web developer with a background in theater and a love of teamwork and learning. Remote since 2019.

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## SKILLS + STACK

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**Languages:** JavaScript (ES5/ES6+), CSS, HTML. **Libraries & Frameworks:** React, Vue, GatsbyJS, Redux, Node, Express, Knex. **Testing Libraries:** Cypress, Jest, React Testing Library. **Industry Tools:** Git, GitHub, Figma.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**Xenith** – Web Developer June 2021 - present (Remote) **Detroit, Michigan**

- Bringing website accessibility up to meet AA requirements by using semantic HTML, mindful CSS, and making sure site is easily navigated regardless of device configuration.
- Collaborating with a cross functional design and deployment team to deliver and deploy weekly.
- Increasing site speed and security by decoupling monolithic app into microservices including CDN + CMS

**Code Shock** - Frontend Developer Feb 2021 - present (Remote) **Albuquerque, New Mexico**

- Using Recoil and refactoring React codebase to implement global themes with styled-components.
- Shipping code weekly and pair programming on a remote team of 7 across 3 time zones.
- Building unit and integration tests with React Testing Library and Jest.

**Everything Digital Marketing** - SEO Analyst Sept 2019 – Sept 2020 (Remote) **Austin, TX**

- Compiled 3 site audits/wk using Google Analytics + SEMrush while coordinating team to meet deadlines.

**Various Theaters** – Actor 2015 - 2020 **New York, Philadelphia, Washington, D.C.**

- Collaborated with more than 2 dozen teams ranging in size from 6-30. Predominantly Shakespeare.
- Worked on award nominated productions, world premiere, and with Tony award-winning teams.

## TECHNICAL PROJECTS

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**Water My Plants App** - Backend Developer

- Used Node/Express to build an API that authenticated users with JWT and hashed passwords with bcrypt.
- Built an SQLite database, queried using Knex, and deployed both database and API to Heroku.

**Family Recipe Keeper** - Frontend Developer

- Managed state with Redux and created protected routes using JWT for authentication.
- Paired with Node engineer to clarify endpoint specifications and document the API's data expectations.
- Led team of 5 in daily stand up, merged GitHub PRs, and managed conflicts.

## EDUCATION

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**Lambda School** 6-month full stack immersive in JavaScript, React, and Node

**San Francisco (Remote)**

**The Studio/New York** Master's Equivalent, actor training conservatory program

**New York, NY**

**Marymount Manhattan College** BA, Magna Cum Laude (graduated 1.5yrs early)

**New York, NY**

**NOLS** 11-week backcountry training in mountain/Remote eering and canoeing

**Yukon Territory, Canada**

- Accessibility / a11y / A, AA, AAA + Shopify headless CMS + Gatsby/SSR + Pancake design system NPM
- SCSS
- Design, develop, and document
- B2C and B2B + building pixel perfect UIs deploying weekly/Agile.
- Collaborating on a cross-functional team of 6 in, Styled-components, and GraphQL.