

# Kaoru Tsumita

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Proficient with:** JavaScript (ES6), TypeScript, Node.js, React, Next.js, SQL, PostgreSQL, MySQL, Tailwind CSS, HTML5, CSS3, Git, GitHub

**Working knowledge of:** MongoDB, AWS (S3, EC2, Lambda, RDS, API Gateway), Google Cloud Storage, Linux (Ubuntu), OAuth, OpenID Connect (OIDC), JWT, GitHub Actions, Sentry, Prisma, Zod, Vitest, Cypress, Pytest, unit testing, integration testing, end-to-end (E2E) testing, mocking, coverage analysis, RESTful APIs, CRUD operations, server-side rendering (SSR), component-based architecture, Agile, accessibility, SEO, Figma, Google Analytics

## EXPERIENCE

### Software Developer

Sep 2023 – Present

*Freelance* - TypeScript, Next.js, NextAuth, Tailwind CSS, MongoDB

*Remote - Toronto*

- Designed and developed custom CMS with responsive frontend and REST API backend using TypeScript, Next.js, NextAuth, Tailwind CSS, MongoDB, Prisma, and Zod
- Secured admin dashboard with authentication using NextAuth and middleware-based route protection
- Delivered rich UX with image magnification, dynamic gallery component, interactive chip filters, smooth UI animations, infinite scroll, and server-side rendering where appropriate for performance and SEO
- Improved accessibility and runtime performance using Lighthouse, WAVE, and manual screen reader testing — resulting in **30%** faster load time based on Lighthouse benchmarks
- Built CI/CD workflows with GitHub Actions for automated testing using Vitest and Cypress — including mocking, coverage reporting, automated database backups to Amazon S3, and full-stack monitoring with Sentry

### Software Developer

March 2023 – Aug 2023

*multplAI* - Python, Flask, pytest, AWS(S3, EC2, Lambda, RDS, API Gateway, ElastiCache)

*Remote - Toronto*

- Developed REST API with Python and Flask on AWS Lambda (serverless framework), tested with pytest and API mocks with over **90%** coverage
- Implemented ElastiCache deduplication for cron-based data processing, integrated with ML models and scraping pipeline running on EC2
- Collaborated cross-functionally to prioritize features and drive product-aligned enhancements

### IT Analyst

June 2014 – May 2018

*Tokyo University of Science* - Salesforce, box, JavaScript, PHP, MySQL

*Tokyo, Japan*

- Reduced internal approval processing **from days to less than 10 minutes** minutes by digitizing workflows with JavaScript and automating validation
- Implemented SSO across Azure, Salesforce, and Box using SAML 2.0, enabling seamless cross-system login and reducing average login time **by 67%**
- Coordinated with external vendors and directed customization of an existing account automation system to fit internal needs. Managed requirements and data delivery, enabling automation for **25,000+ accounts** and reducing maintenance workload **by 85%**

## PROJECTS

**Dokodemo Card** | [Live Demo](#) | [Client Repo](#) | [Sever Repo](#)

August 2024

*React, Node.js, Express, Styled-components, PostgreSQL, Auth0 (OAuth 2.0 / OIDC), Vercel, Fly.io*

*Toronto*

**Little Libraries** | [Live Demo](#) | [Client Repo](#) | [Sever Repo](#)

November 2022

*React, Node.js, Express, PostgreSQL, JWT, Google Maps API, Firebase Cloud Storage, Netlify, Fly.io*

*Toronto*

## CERTIFICATIONS

**AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner - Amazon Web Services (AWS)**

June 2023

**Certified Linux Administrator LPIC-1 - Linux Professional Institute**

June 2021

## EDUCATION

**Lighthouse Labs, Full stack web development**

January 2022

*Diploma of Web Development*

*Toronto*

**Nihon Engineering College**

*Diploma Concert and Event Production*

*Tokyo, Japan*