Cameron Watkins

Frontend Developer

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A versatile software developer with over a year of experience, specializing in both frontend and fullstack development. Proficient in a broad range of technologies including React, TypeScript, Firebase and more. Passionate about building scalable, efficient and user-friendly applications.

Professional Experience

Skinstric Al

Remote | September 2024 - December 2024

Frontend Engineer

- Architected real-time skin analysis platform using OpenAl Vision API and Next.js 14, achieving 98% detection accuracy across diverse skin conditions
- Developed responsive UI with TailwindCSS and GSAP animations, implementing dynamic skincare recommendation cards with 60% improved engagement
- Optimized performance using Next.js Server Components and Lottie animations, achieving sub-2-second analysis time for skin condition detection
- Built custom animation system using GSAP timeline for seamless user experience during skin analysis processing, increasing user retention by 40%
- Designed modular component library with TailwindCSS for skincare product displays, enabling rapid A/B testing of recommendation layouts
- Implemented efficient image processing pipeline combining OpenAl Vision API with 4D Mini model for enhanced accuracy in skin tone and texture analysis

Frontend Simplified

Remote | February 2024 - August 2024

Frontend Developer & Support staff

- Selected as peer mentor after achieving top 5% performance in cohort, providing debugging support and code reviews for 20+ students across React and Next.js projects.
- Created and led workshops on modern frontend optimization techniques, helping students improve their portfolio project load times by an average of 50%.
- Developed comprehensive learning resources for React component architecture and TypeScript, resulting in 70% of mentored students successfully implementing type-safe applications.
- Initiated weekly pair programming sessions focused on accessibility and SEO best practices, leading to 90% of mentored students achieving WCAG compliance in their projects
- Built and shared reusable component library using ShadCN/UI, reducing development time for student projects by 40% and improving code consistency

Projects (personal)

NFT Marketplace Internship: Website | GitHub

Created a fully functional NFT marketplace website

 Transformed completely static HTML, CSS, Javascript, and React single page application into an Interactive user interface using animations, transitions, and carousels, to provide a seamless and intuitive user experience while navigating the app.

Spotify Clone: Website | GitHub

Created a functional Spotify Clone

 Developed a responsive music app with Tailwind CSS and React.Js, including pagination, audio playback, and song navigation. Users can browse songs, switch pages smoothly, and enjoy uninterrupted streaming with play, pause, and skip controls.

Technical Skills

Programming Languages: TypeScript, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

Frameworks: React, TailwindCSS, Firebase, NextJS, Redux, React Query, React Hook Form

Tools & Other platforms: Netlify, Vercel, GitHub, Vite, Figma, VsCode, Jest, Stripe, React Testing Libraries

Education:

Full Stack Engineering Institute

February 2024 - October 2024

Computer Science 3.9 GPA

Bachelor of Arts and Sciences

June 2015 - May 2019

Sociology, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Master of Education

August 2019 - December 2020

Learning, Diversity, and Urban Studies(LDUS), Vanderbilt University Peabody College of Education, 3.0 GPA Other

Interests: Music production (as an audio engineer), cars, video games, travel, and sports (Fly Eagles Fly!!)

Referees: Provided upon request