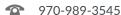
# NICK CALDERONE

FRONT-END DEVELOPER





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### SKILLS

- Programming Languages:
   JavaScript (ES6), CSS, HTML,
   PHP
- Libraries: Vue, React, D3,
   JQuery
- Tools & Platforms: Git,
   WordPress, Drupal, Netlify
- Design: Affininty Designer 2,
   Figma, Adobe products

### **EDUCATION**

# MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

2008 - 2013 | East Lansing, MI

Bachelor of Science in Horticulture - Landscape Design, Construction, & Management Concentration

## AWARDS

2021 GovX Experience Awards
Overall Finalist for the Pitkin
County COVID-19 Response &
Recovery website

Self-starting developer with a successful 4-year track record building websites for a range of clients from small businesses to municipalities. I'm seeking to solve complex and engaging problems as part of a team.

#### EXPERIENCE

#### FRONT-END DEVELOPER | Nicholas Calderone LLC | 2019 - Present

- Writing robust code in various languages, frameworks, and content management systems to fulfill client specifications.
- Prioritizing best practices by building websites that are responsive, accessible, performant, secure, search engine optimized, and compatible with all major browsers.
- Developing custom WordPress/Drupal themes, plugins, modules, and Gutenberg blocks with client experience in mind.
- Managing all stages of the project lifecycle including sourcing clients, defining goals, contracting specialists, choosing technologies, delivering the end results, providing training materials, and maintaining websites & client relationships into the future.
- Preparing UI/UX strategies including wireframes and designs using Figma and Adobe products.

#### PROJECT HIGHLIGHT | Pitkin County COVID-19 Response & Recovery website

In early 2020, I reached out to Pitkin County and volunteered to build a COVID-19 website. The site quickly gained traction in the community and the county prioritized the project as the "mothership" for public health communications during the pandemic. In the 6 months post-launch, the site saw an average of 226.5% month-over-month increase in pageviews. In September 2021, the site was recognized as an <u>Overall County Government Experience Finalist in the Government Experience</u>
Awards.

- Collaborated directly with local and state-level public health officials to understand the everchanging COVID-19 guidelines and how they affected residents and visitors.
- Ran weekly strategy meetings with county officials, employees, and contractors to prioritize website
  development based on public health changes, community feedback, and intercounty planning.
- Built custom website functionality including tools to search for testing locations based on specific needs, register for upcoming vaccination clinics, and determine someone's booster eligibility.
- Provided Google Analytics reports to understand usage patterns and community needs on the site which handled up to 360,000 monthly pageviews.

## INTERESTS

Rock climbing, skiing, thrifting, cooking, ping pong, disk golf, travel, board/video games, live music