

Patrick Alvarez Eades - Frontend Developer

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Summary

I am a front-end developer with experience in React, Redux, and Node.js with fluency in both English and Spanish. I possess a work ethic with a hands-on approach, having worked freelance and in-house, and have led the build of a popular international recruitment website for a leading education supplier while part of the senior leadership team. I consider myself at my core to be a solutions-oriented, technical-minded leader with extensive knowledge of strategic business planning and technical project management. My goal is to bring my unique and dynamic technical experience to work alongside your company as someone who can adapt in the face of a rapidly changing industry, and provide out-of-the-box ideas and solutions to assist in the growth of your enterprise.

Skills & Qualifications

JavaScript | HTML | CSS | React | Redux | Next JS | Express.js | Node.js | Rest APIs | SQL | PostgreSQL | Test-Driven Development (TDD) | React Testing Library | Jest | Mocha | Object Oriented Programming | Git | GitHub | JSON | Webpack | Vite | WordPress | Responsive Web Design | Accessibility (A11y) | SEO | Agile | Critical thinking | Attention to detail | Communication | Project Management | Strategic Planning | Leadership | Recruiting | Training and Development

Projects

Restaurant Finder

[Live Link](#) | [Repo](#)

Fullstack PERN app that allows lists restaurants and allows users to see information about that restaurant as well as reviews. Users can add reviews to restaurants and rate them out of 5. Users can also create, update and delete restaurants.

Vote to Play

[Live Link](#) | [Repo](#)

Developed a game selection application using Redux, React, React Bootstrap, and DnD Kit, that helps users vote for what game to play. Implemented a drag-and-drop interface for organizing a personalized game queue, with a backend algorithm calculating the ideal game.

Jamming Spotify Playlist Creator

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Crafted the Jamming Spotify Playlist Creator using React, interfacing seamlessly with the Spotify API. This dynamic web application enables users to effortlessly search for songs, curate personalized playlists, and seamlessly save them to their individual Spotify accounts. Hosted on Netlify, the app provides an intuitive and streamlined music discovery experience, combining the power of React with the Spotify API for a harmonious user experience.

Professional Work Experience

Wordpress Web Designer & Developer @ patrickalvarezwebdesign.com

2016 - Present

Run a freelance WordPress website design business delivering beautiful and user-friendly websites to coaches and entrepreneurs around the world.

- Ingehol.com - 4x clients and +143% increase in calls within six months of launch.
- Built "*Test Your Resilience*" which was then sold to the Australian Council for Educational Research.

- thetranslationpros.com - Designed, built, and hosted a website, achieving a 140% increase in site traffic in under six months.

Director @ **TECS (The Educational Consortium of Spain)**

2012 - 2023

TECS is a language company that helps students of all ages improve their English through academies, residential summer schools, programs for schools, and programs abroad. Renowned for pioneering the first 100% Total English programs in Spain.

- Built and designed the recruitment website from the ground up while continuing all updates, editing, website maintenance, and marketing all resulting in a 300% increase in applicants in the first year alone.
- Led redesign of the entire recruitment process from implementation to execution utilizing a dedicated website and various third-party software (MS Teams, Zoom, Zoho Recruit ATS, Airtable, etc.) optimizing the workflow and output of the recruitment process, as well as increasing overall velocity to hire for the organization.
- Oversee the recruitment, training, and management of 150 staff per year, resulting in > 50% of staff returning year over year in the European market where turnover is volatile.
- 10,000+ highly satisfied students and parents - Average feedback 4.35/5.

Website Developer @ **ROCCO Group**

2019 - 2020

ROCCO group is a consultancy business for the Telecoms sector, working with some of the largest companies such as Vodafone, O2, T-Mobile, and their vendors.

- Developed the e-commerce aspect of the website from within the WordPress framework, significantly increasing sales across the entire sector for the consultancy.
- Liaised directly with the Chief Executive Officer to expand the ROCCO group with various education and strategy initiatives with the goal of building the organization into what it is today.
- Created the websites for the ROCCO U and ROCCO Strategy businesses utilizing WordPress development by designing and developing WordPress themes and plugins, researched and composed website user guides and documentation all resulting in a dynamic and seamless ease-of-use online presence.

Education and Certifications

Full Stack Engineering - **Codecademy**

Expected March 2024

- 420+ hours focused on various practices and methodologies including object-oriented programming, test-driven development, pair-programming, algorithms, data structures, and more.
- Coursework includes fundamentals of APIs using Express.js, Back-End and Feature Testing, SQL queries and relational databases, PostgreSQL, Swagger and OpenAPI | DevOps, web security and prevention techniques, and creating a PERN (Postgres, Express, React, Node) full-stack e-commerce experience.

Frontend Engineering - **Codecademy**

2022 - 23

- Coursework includes fundamentals of web development, best user interface (UI) design practices, responsive web design practices, test-driven development with Mocha, Jest, and Enzyme, as well as JavaScript libraries such as React and Redux.
- Apart from programming languages it also dives into complex data structures and algorithms.

Web Development Digital Business Consultant - **Agency Mavericks**

2021 - 22

The Complete Web Developer Course 3.0 - **Rob Percival, Codestars**

2017

CELTA - **Cambridge English**

2012

BSc in Engineering - **University College Dublin, Ireland**

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