

# RAPHAELA GIL

FRONTEND ENGINEER

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## SUMMARY

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Dedicated Frontend Engineer with 2+ years with hands-on experience building responsive, accessible, and scalable web applications using React, Next.js, and TypeScript. Skilled in optimizing performance, and collaborating in Agile teams. Passionate about clean code, UI/UX, and continuous learning, with proven impact improving maintainability and component structure across projects.

## SKILLS

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TypeScript | React.js | Next.js | Node.js | HTML5 | CSS | Tailwind | Bootstrap | Supabase | Fabric.js |  
Git | APIs | SEO | Figma

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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### Peter's House Ltd – *Frontend Engineer Freelancer*

Oct 2025 – Nov 2025 Remote

React.js, Next.js, TypeScript, JavaScript, Tailwind, Figma, Cursor, Supabase, Webstudio

Sanctifyr is a no-code dashboard that enables parishes to easily create and manage their own websites.

- Built a scalable multi-tenant CMS powering 50+ parish websites with real-time content updates.
- Designed a clean, modular UI system that improved maintainability and accelerated page-building workflows for non-technical users.
- Defined information architecture and role-based permissions, reducing content management errors and improving admin usability.
- Communicated project progress directly with the client and consistently delivered milestones on schedule.

### SmallChess – *Frontend Engineer Intern*

Jun 2025 – Sep 2025 Remote

React.js, Next.js, TypeScript, JavaScript, Tailwind, HTML, CSS, Figma

An open-source educational platform focused on AI-powered chess tools and strategy training.

- Improved layout consistency and UI reliability by developing and refactoring reusable components across the platform.
- Transformed Figma designs into high-quality, production-ready interfaces that enhanced usability and visual coherence.
- Collaborated with backend engineers to integrate APIs seamlessly, improving data flow and reducing frontend issues.
- Resolved UI bugs across the product line, increasing platform stability and user satisfaction.
- Contributed to feature planning and worked effectively within a cross-functional team, ensuring timely delivery of releases.

### Stellar Futures - *Frontend Developer Intern*

Jul 2024 – May 2025 | Canada - Remote

Next.js, React.js, JavaScript, HTML,CSS, Tailwind, Supabase, Stripe

A startup company focused on climate change adaptation and emergency management, specializing in developing a new climate hazard forecasting and warning Software as a Service (SaaS) initiative.

- Led the end-to-end development of the company website, improving accessibility and user engagement.
- Increased organic traffic by 15% through SEO improvements and reduced load time from 5.2s to 2.1s through performance optimization.

- Built reusable components and interactive UI elements that strengthened mobile usability and user retention.
- Implemented full Spanish translate, expanding accessibility and audience reach.
- Contributed to early product architecture discussions, influencing UI/UX and feature planning for the climate hazard platform.

## PROJECT

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### The Happy Case - Frontend Developer

Jul 2024 – Currently | Remote

React.js, Next.js, JavaScript, Tailwind, Fabric.js, Cursor, Supabase, Stripe

Created and developed my own business e-commerce website for selling customized passport cases.

- Built a complete e-commerce experience featuring a custom product editor for image upload, drag, resize, and personalized cover design.
- Designed a scalable architecture prepared for seamless integration of Stripe payments.
- Achieved fast, accessible, and mobile-optimized performance to increase conversion potential.
- Managed all design, development, deployment, and business operations independently.

## EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATIONS

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## LANGUAGES

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**Frontend Development Bootcamp** - edX (2023)

**English:** Fluent

**Modern Web Course with JavaScript** - Udemy (2023)

**Portuguese:** Native

**Professional Training in JavaScript and DOM** - Code Academy (2022)

**Master's Degree Chemical Engineering** - University Estate of the Campinas, Brazil (2012)

**Bachelor Biofuel Technologist** - FATEC - Brazil (2011)