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## SUMMARY

Creative and results-driven front-end engineer with over a decade of experience building performant, responsive, and accessible web applications using React, Vue, TypeScript, and modern front-end stacks. Proven team leader and mentor, strong cross-functional collaborator, and passionate about crafting clean, scalable UI/UX solutions across enterprise platforms and CMS systems.

## EXPERIENCE

### Inspire Brands, Atlanta — *UI Engineer*

June 2024 – June 2025 (relocated from Atlanta, GA to Sacramento, CA June 2025)

- Developed white-label React/Next.js applications across multiple brands
- Acted as liaison between UX design and engineering teams
- Contributed to scalable and accessible UI using HTML5, CSS3, Sass, JavaScript, and TypeScript

### Capstone Logistics, Atlanta — *Lead Front-End Developer*

Jan 2024 – June 2024 (contract role)

- Led web portal development using Vue 3 (JS/TS) for logistics applications
- Mentored junior developers and coordinated with design teams
- Oversaw front-end architecture and delivery for a large SPA

### Whereoware, Atlanta — *Senior Front-End Developer*

May 2023 – October 2023 (contract role)

- Created modular React components with Storybook (TypeScript)
- Built and optimized front-ends for CMS platforms like Optimizely and Sitecore
- Led multiple front-end projects and code reviews, with focus on performance and accessibility

### BrainJocks / Perficient, Alpharetta — *Lead Front-End Developer*

Dec 2021 – May 2023

- Built SPAs using React for large-scale Sitecore and Optimizely CMS platforms
- Delivered modular components using Storybook + TypeScript
- Mentored junior devs and collaborated closely with client teams like Publix and Sage

## **Fleetcor, Atlanta — Senior Front-End Developer**

Aug 2020 – Dec 2021

- Developed front-end for fintech products with a focus on data visualization (D3.js)
- Built global component library for enterprise-wide usage
- Collaborated with designers and QA to deliver pixel-perfect, tested interfaces

## **BrainJocks / Perficient, Alpharetta — Lead Front-End Developer**

Apr 2013 – Jul 2020

- Created and maintained SPAs for enterprise CMS platforms
- Led UI efforts for clients including P&G, Honeywell, and Pergo
- Trained junior devs and led internal front-end initiatives (SCORE UI training)

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

### **Languages & Frameworks:**

HTML5, CSS3, Sass, JavaScript, TypeScript, React, Vue 3, [Node.js](#)

### **Tools & Libraries:**

Storybook, REST APIs, D3.js, Git, Jest, Webpack, Sitecore, Optimizely, Contentful

### **UI/UX & Design:**

Responsive Design, Accessibility (WCAG AA), Adobe Creative Suite, Sketch, Figma

### **Workflow & Methods:**

Agile/Scrum, Code Review, Component Architecture, Cross-browser Compatibility, CI/CD

## **EDUCATION**

### **The Creative Circus, Atlanta — Interactive Development**

Graduate, 2012 – 2013

### **Chattahoochee Technical College, Acworth — Computer Science**

Graduate, 2001 – 2003

### **Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw — Computer Science**

1997 – 2000