PATRICK CASON

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Senior Full Stack Engineer, Engineering Manager

Experienced hands-on engineering manager with **12+ years** of experience building web and mobile applications and **5+ years** leading large-scale teams with upwards of 80 members. Currently seeking an opportunity as an engineering manager or senior full-stack engineer.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Javascript 12 years
- PHP 12 years
- SQL 12 years
- Adobe Suite 12 years
- Wordpress 12 years
- Node.js 11 years
- Java -9 years
- AWS 9 years
- Firebase 8 years

- React.js 8 years
- D3.js 8 years
- Stripe 7 years
- WebRTC 7 years
- Typescript 6 years
- Next.js 6 years
- Python 6 years
- Google Cloud 6 years
- Sketch 6 years

- Webpack 6 years
- Redis 6 years
- Docker − 5 years
- Jest 5 years
- Storybook 5 years
- Figma 5 years
- Cypress 4 years
- Plaid 4 years
- Twilio 4 years

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Raise Financial (Part-Time), Nashville, TN CTO/Engineering Team Lead (Sep 2017 – Present)

Sep 2017 – Present

- Managed a 5 person engineering team to implement iterations of web application and API development written in **Next.js** and **Typescript**, using the Stripe, Plaid, Mailchimp, Alpaca, and Twilio APIs.
- Advised the CEO and Board of Directors with key financial figures and projections related to building out and scaling the engineering team.
- Built, launched, and scaled a web application helping hundreds of families save over \$3 million towards future education expenses.

Self-employed (Patrick Cason LLC), Nashville, TN Senior Software Engineer (Oct 2022 – Present)

Meta/Kustomer

- Co-authored an **SDK** in **Typescript** for building third-party applications with Kustomer, allowing for securely embedding externally-authored code. Contributed well over 100k lines of code on this project alone.
- Developed and released 3 production-scale applications for Magento, Klaviyo, and Slack using the applications SDK, one of which closed a backlog of over 30 tickets related to bugs in the previous release.
- Wrote all technical documentation for the applications SDK, created 8 sample apps, and brought test coverage from 54% to over 95%.

Senior Software Engineer (Sep 2021 – Oct 2022)

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- Designed a UI component library using **Typescript** and **Storybook** from scratch, comprising over 30 smart components for server-side pagination, tables, filtering and sorting, and data visualization.
- Re-engineered over 60% the front-end application in **React.js** as part of an org-wide refactor.
- Improved application load time by **120%**, decreased memory usage by **300%**, all while decreasing codebase footprint by roughly 30k lines of code.

Engineering Team Lead (Oct 2020 – Jul 2021)

- Managed 80+ fully-remote software engineers, cryptographers, and data scientists divided across 15 teams to build open-source privacy-preserving libraries in Python, C/C++, Go, Rust, and Typescript.
- Liaised with external partners (Google, Meta, Microsoft, Twitter, and the University of California) to write grants totaling over \$2 million for the purposes of funding engineering efforts across the organization.
- Architected over 15 libraries for privacy-enhancing technologies such as: Secure Multi-Party Computation, Homomorphic Encryption, Differential Privacy, Federated Learning, Self-Sovereign Identity, Distributed Computing, and Remote Computation.

Federated Learning Team Lead (Aug 2019 – Oct 2020)

- Architected the world's first open-source libraries for distributed Federated Learning on web (**Javascript**), Android (**Kotlin**), iOS (**Swift**), and server/internet of things (**Python**).
- Coded a bridge library to convert **PyTorch** and **TensorFlow** plans into **TensorFlow.js** operations for trusted execution in remote environments, such as a web browser.
- Authored the entire technical architecture, system design, project roadmap, and a grant proposal totaling \$500,000, while managing a team of over 20 data scientists and software engineers.

Co-founder/Senior Privacy Engineer (Jul 2017 – Aug 2019)

- Awarded a paid 3-month research grant by the RAAIS Foundation out of a pool of over 6,000 candidates to develop a library for Federated Learning and Remote Execution in the browser using **TensorFlow.js**.
- Maintained the main website, blog, and e-learning platform handling over 10,000 monthly visitors; managed all **AWS** infrastructure.
- Served in roles primarily related to system development, software design, and community management ultimately helping to grow the organization to over 14,000 members from over 80 countries worldwide.

Satchel Health, Nashville, TN

May 2014 – Jan 2017

Senior Solutions Engineer (Apr 2016 – Jan 2017)

- Deployed 40 implementations of proprietary hardware and software solutions to healthcare facilities on-site.
- Pipelined UX feedback from the field back to product teams at HQ, resulting in a 30% increase in usage.
- Trained over 200 doctors and nursing staff members at 20+ long-term health facilities across the US.

Senior Front End Engineer and Designer (May 2014 – Apr 2016)

- Designed and developed the organization's telehealth software for web (Javascript) and Android (Java).
- Integrated third-party hardware devices like Google Glass and Bluetooth-enabled medical devices to stream data to a remote clinician in a secure HIPAA-compliant environment.
- Delivered live patient vital signs and multi-source audio/video feeds via **WebRTC** in a purpose-built **React.js** application, coordinating with a horizontally-scaled **Redis** pub/sub socket server.

Golden Spiral Marketing, Nashville, TN

Jul 2011 – Aug 2012

Web Developer (Jul 2011 – Aug 2012)

- Created 40+ WordPress websites for clients while also enrolled as a full-time student.
- Collaborated with a design team using the **Adobe Creative Suite** to code pixel-perfect, mobile-first websites.
- Coded 10+ custom **PHP** plugins to augment functionality on client websites and integrate with CMS's.

EDUCATION

Belmont University, Nashville, TN

BS - Web Programming and Design (Minor in Entrepreneurship)