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# Charlie Thomason

## Front-End Software Engineer

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## SKILLS

HTML, CSS, CSS Preprocessors, JavaScript, jQuery, ES6, API Integration, Vue.js, React, Angular, Polymer Project/Web Components, Node.js/NPM, Handlebars, Webpack, Git, Ruby on Rails, Responsive Design, Web Accessibility, Cross-Browser Compatibility, Unit Testing (Chai, Jest, Sinon, etc.), Lodash.js, D3.js, Highcharts.js, Moment.js, Hapi.js, Bootstrap, WordPress, Apigee, Jenkins, Docker, Artifactory, Adobe Creative Cloud

## EXPERIENCE

### **Centro, Chicago, IL** - *Senior UI Software Engineer*

NOVEMBER 2019 - PRESENT

- Build and test components for Centro's Basis Platform with the Magenta team.
- Help lead development of a new Design System and establish standards.
- Working with React and Ruby on Rails.
- Specialize in web accessibility, CSS flexbox/grid, and front-end best practices.

### **Uptake, Chicago, IL** - *Staff Software Engineer*

MARCH 2017 - NOVEMBER 2019

- Promoted from Senior Software Engineer in March 2019.
- Built and tested Vue.js and React components for Uptake's Platform, [Design System](#), and [Component Development Kit](#) with Developer Services team.
- Lead sprint planning and refinement meetings.
- Specialize in web accessibility and component architecture.

### **Razorfish, Chicago, IL** - *Presentation Layer Engineer*

JANUARY 2013 - MARCH 2017

- Promoted from Associate Presentation Layer Engineer in June 2014.
- Front-end developer on 14 different clients across financial services, retail, and consumer electronics industries.
- Specialized in web accessibility, browser compatibility and rapid prototyping.

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## EDUCATION

### **The Starter League, Chicago, IL** - *Web App Development Program*

JANUARY 2012 - MARCH 2012

12-week class on web application development, MVC architecture, HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, JQuery, Test-Driven Development, and Entrepreneurship.

### **DePaul University, Chicago, IL** - *Master of Arts, New Media Studies*

AUGUST 2008 - JUNE 2010

Studied HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Flash/ActionScript, Web Design, Graphic Design, Internet Marketing, Human-Computer Interaction, and Media Theory.

### **University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY** - *Bachelor of Fine Arts, Art Studio*

AUGUST 2003 - DECEMBER 2007

Studied traditional, studio, and digital arts, as well as art history and communications. Accepted into the distinguished Bachelor of Fine Arts program.