

# Katie Young

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## Skills

**Web Development:** JavaScript, Typescript, React, Redux, CSS3, CSS, HTML, Tailwind, Liquid, Shopify

**Frontend Testing:** Cypress, Jest

**Backend:** Sequelize, Node.js, GraphQL, Go, PostgreSQL, Dolt, RESTful API

**Operations:** Git, GitHub, GitHub Actions, ESLint, Heroku, AWS

## References

**Tim Sehn, CEO, DoltHub,**  
[tim@dolthub.com](mailto:tim@dolthub.com)

"Katie is a tenacious front end developer who excelled driving our Cypress testing efforts forward."

**Taylor Bantle, Lead DoltHub Software Engineer,**  
[taylor@dolthub.com](mailto:taylor@dolthub.com)

"Katie's grit and can-do attitude not only makes her a great teammate, but also helps her succeed at knocking out some of our front end bugs and feature requests for customers."

## Education

**App Academy** Mar 2021 - Aug 2021

Rigorous, +1000-hour software development program with <3% acceptance rate. Relevant coursework includes: Object Oriented Programming (OOP), Test Driven Development (TDD), Data Structures, Algorithms, Systems Design & Architecture, Coding Best Practices

## Experience

### SANDSTONE

**Sandstone - Software Engineer**

April 2022 - Current

- Created a collaborative environment with clients to maintain and update their Shopify ecommerce sites, to ensure maximum customer acquisition and revenue production.
- Without any prior training in Liquid, immediately began implementing impactful changes by redesigning the Product Buy Section and main navigation of Lulu and Georgia over the span of two, 2-week, Agile sprints using Jira.

### dolthub

**Dolthub - Software Engineering Intern**

Nov 2021 - April 2022

- Increased test coverage by 15% with Cypress continuous integration and Jest unit tests. Was solely responsible for bumping Cypress dependencies at the beginning of every month.
- Implemented two full stack changes. HideHasDolt, which is a setting that a user can toggle that hides all prompts site-wide to install dolt locally. FilterEmptyRepos, which filters empty databases from the Discover page so the user can explore only populated databases. Both used Bazel, Go, GraphQL, React, and Typescript as their tech stack.
- Wrote a custom responsive carousel for the splash page, using CSS3 and Tailwinds to interactively introduce the application to potential new users.
- Collaborated with our graphic designer to implement UI changes based on their designs using Figma.

### App Academy

**App Academy - Software Engineering Assistant**

Sept 2021 - Nov 2021

- Mentoring job-seeking students by administering mock technical interviews (including systems design, DS&A, and technical trivia), providing debugging support on portfolio projects and hosting technical office hours.
- Monitoring the Job Seeker Study Hall and hosting daily stand-ups when on duty.
- Reviewing progress on tasks assigned by Coaches and flagging Job Seekers that are falling behind in key areas.