



# Curtis Merrell

Web Developer | UI / UX Engineer

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<https://csmerrell.com> ← Sample App showcase

A 5-year, mid-senior-level web developer versed in a breadth of libraries and skills. Emphasis in front end engineering and UI/UX design. Self-learner, heavily invested in ownership of the product. Past roles include Senior Development; Task Management & Delegation; UI/UX Design & Architecture.

## HIGHLIGHTS

Led teams of 2-5 developers.  
Rapid-prototyped a startup software suite in 4 months.  
Overhauled, rewrote, refactored, and iterated on 20+ legacy code bases.  
Launched 5+ applications start to finish. Contributed to & launched dozens more.  
Conceptualized, pitched, designed, and maintained intuitive user experience design in all products.

## SKILLS

HTML / CSS / Javascript	-	Vue / React / Angular	-	Ajax, REST api	-	Sass
JS Libraries (jQuery, Lodash)	-	NPM, Gulp, Build Tools	-	Agile & Scrum	-	Git
UI / UX & Responsive Design	-	ASP.Net (MVC, Core)	-	Data Structures, Data Schema		
Typescript, Prototypes, Closures	-	Node.js / Express.js	-	C#, Java, Object Oriented Design		
Markdown Documentation	-	CICD	-	SQL, Relational Databases		

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Naval Air Weapons Station, China Lake, CA**

*Feb 2017 - Present*

**Front End Lead Developer; UI / UX Architect & Engineer**

- Overhauled 2 major systems over 3.5 years. Led major segments of 1 of these systems.
- **Stack:** JS/Vue; Sass/CSS; HTML; Handlebars; ASP.Net (MVC, Core); MSSQL; Gulp; Git.
- **JS, VueJS, Markdown:**
  - Built, tested, and documented 4 highly-portable Vue components for 10+ years of expected use.
  - Reviewed, wrote, and tested data-bound forms and limited-scope components across 3 major applications over 3.5 years of development.
- **Light/Dark mode dual-theming (CSS3):**
  - Implemented a large-scale user controllable dual-theme into the team's core application with zero significant theme-related development or maintenance issues in over a year of use.
    - Live implementation available at demo web app: <https://csmerrell.com>.
- **ASP.Net (MVC, Core), C#, SQL / MSSQL:**

- Defined api (preconditions, parameter specifications, postconditions, return specifications) for hundreds of versioned REST endpoints.
- Wrote MSSQL stored procedures and SQL scripts for an 8-month full stack project.
- **Git SCM, Version Control, Agile & Scrum:**
  - Reviewed 2-8 merges for teammates per sprint. Reported in daily standups for 3 years.
  - Assigned and delegated front end tasks for 2-week sprint cycles.
- **Bonus:** Interned (3-5 months) with 4 teams from varied technical backgrounds. Noteworthy experience:
  - Data Science - HR recruitment, retention, attrition modeling with ensemble machine learning algorithms (3+ ML models in concert).
    - Networked and Facilitated 5+ meetings with diverse groups of professionals to learn hiring pains and experiment with machine learning models to solve key concerns.

***Chromatic.ai (Failed Startup), Provo, UT***

*May 2016 - Aug 2016*

***Sole Front End Developer; UI / UX Architect & Engineer***

- Rapid-prototyped a minimum viable cloud logging SPA software suite in 4 months. Highlighted features included:
  - Primary log viewer & querying interface with bespoke components for filtering and configuration housed inside a dockable, collapsible, multi-tab panel (10+ user filter components. 30+ additional basic filters).
  - Log send/retrieve protocol with configuration and documentation guides for 3 common industry logging environments.
- **Stack:** Reactjs; Django; Elastic Search; Docker & Kubernetes; Git/Travis-CI; Karma Testing.

***Brigham Young University, Provo, UT***

*Oct 2014 - Nov 2016*

***Full Stack Developer; New Employee Trainer***

- Built & finished 3 new content management & scheduling systems. Maintained others.
- Trained five 2nd-year CS students into professional full stack development.
- Collected feedback from interviews and product demos with stakeholders (university professors).
- **Stack:** Angular (1.0); Sass; ASP.Net (MVC, Web Forms); MSSQL.

## EDUCATION

***B.S. Computer Science - Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah***

*Graduation - Dec 2016*

## ADDITIONAL CONTACT

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