

# GARRET DEPASS

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Design Engineer with 10+ years bridging product design and front-end engineering to ship high-impact digital products. Proven track record of leading design-to-code workflows that accelerate delivery by up to 40% and improve user satisfaction scores.

## Languages

🔧 HTML

🔧 CSS

🔧 Javascript

🔧 Ruby

🔧 Python

## Technologies

🔧 Typescript

🔧 React

🔧 Ruby on Rails

🔧 MongoDB

🔧 GraphQL

🔧 Git

🔧 Wordpress

🔧 Figma

🔧 AdobeCC

## Skills

Design Pairing

Facilitation

User Research

Vision & Strategy

Mentorship

## Education

General Assembly  
UX Design Immersive

University of Colorado  
Theater, Architecture

## FRONT-END ENGINEER [Freelance](#)

2023 - 2025

### Client Work

- Built custom websites in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, and React, improving client site performance by up to 50%.
- Integrated 3rd-party plugins and bespoke JavaScript into Squarespace sites, expanding client functionality without costly platform migrations.
- Implemented responsive, SEO-friendly structures with semantic HTML—leading to average client SEO score increases of 20+ points on Google Lighthouse.
- Delivered hands-on CMS training, enabling 100% of clients to self-manage content updates post-launch.

### Personal Project

- Designed and built a responsive tabletop RPG dice roller used in production by an active gaming community.
- Developed reusable, component-driven UI using React, with clean, semantic HTML and CSS for accessibility and maintainability.
- Implemented custom logic and state management to model complex RPG mechanics, achieving accurate simulation with zero reported calculation bugs.
- Deployed via Netlify with serverless functions simulating backend logic, enabling 100% uptime since launch.

## LEAD PRODUCT DESIGNER [Sana Benefits](#)

2022 - 2025

- Partnered daily with engineering to resolve complex layout and styling issues, delivering in-code animation prototypes that cut development time by 25%
- Led design and implementation of updated Figma library, reducing design-engineering handoff friction and enabling engineers to self-serve.
- Led UX/UI for a custom EMR + asynchronous care platform, building a key differentiator for the company and setting the stage for long-term strategic growth.

## SR PRODUCT DESIGNER II [Eden Health](#)

2022

- Defined success metrics for a new telehealth MVP; collaborated with data teams to instrument tracking and validate feature adoption.
- Refactored the design component library and partnered with engineering to align with a new Storybook library, reducing inconsistencies by 90%.

## DESIGN LEADER [Kohl's](#)

2020 - 2022

## SR PRODUCT DESIGNER [Pivotal Labs](#)

2018 - 2020

## UX DESIGNER [Anova Culinary](#)

2016 - 2018