

James Lau

Experienced front-end developer with a background in design. Looking to evolve ideas while seeking new opportunities to utilize and develop skills in a challenging and creative environment.

EXPERIENCE

Red Hat, Boston, MA — UX Front-end Developer

SEP 2018 - PRESENT

- Maintaining strong communications with various global teams while working in an agile development environment in order to meet product release cycles.
- Recommending best web development practices to project managers while supporting interaction designers on implementation methods.
- Creating and maintaining robust web applications for various front-end based Red Hat products within Linux, cloud, middleware, and virtual storage solutions.

Kor Group, Boston, MA — Front-end Developer

JAN 2016 - JUL 2018

- Researching effective solutions for a project's life cycle by developing functional and responsive techniques based on web industry practices and standardized web framework tools.
- Setting up cloud hosting platforms and CDN connections while developing and maintaining Drupal and WordPress sites based on client business requirements and technological needs.
- Utilized multiple IDE platforms to debug code prior to compiling front-end code with SCSS and NPM build methodologies.

NutraClick, Boston, MA — Front-end Engineer

JUL 2015 - OCT 2015

- Developed multivariate components on AB test sites for various marketing campaigns.
- Maintaining front-end code functions for the company's e-commerce platform with back-end developers by utilizing GIT and Bitbucket to manage existing legacy code.
- Coordinated with marketing specialists to suggest best UX/UI practices for sales element placement.

Almighty, Boston, MA — Web Developer

SEP 2014 - JUN 2015

- Installing CMS platforms for new clients and updating pre-existing CMS infrastructures by providing debugging support on modules and widgets.
- Collaborating with UX/UI designers during early project phases and later integrating decisions based on technological limitation for desktop, tablet and mobile levels during execution phases with web designers.
- Utilizing project management and QA software to track, document and debug tickets with project managers and other developers.

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SKILLS

HTML5

CSS3 + SASS/LESS

JavaScript

PHP (CMS based)

Drupal

WordPress

Adobe Suite Applications

Microsoft Office Applications

Sketch (Wireframing)

Mac/Windows OS

PROJECTS

J.P. Morgan

Oakmark Funds

New Balance

Eastbay

Dick's Sporting Goods

L.L.Bean

LoJack

Flexsteel

Boston College High School

Boston University

Bridgewater State University

BR+A Consulting Engineers

Creative Office Pavilion

Emmanuel College

Kor.com

Markley Group

Northland Investments

Red Hat Fuse Online

Red Hat OpenShift

Patternfly

Wilson Architects

EDUCATION

**University of Massachusetts
Dartmouth, North Dartmouth, MA
— Digital Media / Graphic Design**

SEP 2003 - JUN 2008

Boston Financial Data Services, Quincy, MA —
Web and User-Interface (UI) Developer

MAR 2013 - SEP 2014

- Responsible for front-end development of enterprise level web applications for various large financial institutions.
- Researching best practices and documenting experimental web technologies.
- Worked in conjunction with designers and QA team members to explore UX/UI design possibilities while revamped the front-end of the company's intranet financial systems.