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SUMMARY

Front-End Developer | AI LLM Engineer | CMS Specialist with 6+ years of experience crafting responsive, high-scale user interfaces. Skilled in building robust front-end architectures and driving maintainable code. Proven track record in leveraging front-end and AI-driven optimizations to deliver high-performance applications, experienced in JavaScript frameworks (React, Node.js), and adept in both single-page and MVC paradigms. Seeking to enhance user experience excellence in a fast-evolving, data-driven environment.

EXPERIENCE

Front-End Developer *2024 - present*
Mystic Interactive – Austin, Texas
- **Website Development**: Front-end development for the Crystal Conquest MOBA VR game website.
- **Core Technologies**: HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript (ES6), jQuery, Bootstrap, REST API integrations.
- **Frameworks & Libraries:** React.js / Vite, Vue.js 3, Material UI, DevExpress, Chakra UI, Formik.
- **Content Management**: SquareSpace, HubSpot, and domain name configuration.
- **Cloud & DevOps**: AWS (S3, EC2, Amplify), Atlassian BitBucket, Git, Docker.
- **UX/UI Design**: Figma prototyping for UX/UI.

Senior LLM Engineer *2023 - present*
Outlier AI, OpenAI, Scale – California (Remote)
- **Senior Oracle QA:** Delivered state-of-the-art (SOTA) outcomes for dozens of large language model (LLM) projects, conducting over 1000+ task assessments for thousands of users.
- **LLM Training & Optimization:** Engineered training, writing, and response generation.
- **Multimedia AI Development:** Developed multimedia modules with visual and auditory elements.

Front-End Developer *2020 - 2022*
Motiv – Austin, Texas
- **Website Development**: for high-profile clients including the Cayman Islands Government, Stem Cell Institute, Thomson Reuters, and ABC Fine Wine & Spirits.
- **Oracle Cloud**: Oracle Content Management (OCM), Eloqua, Oracle Commerce Cloud (OCC).
- **OCM**: AI CMS, sites, apps, portals, OCM toolkit, server migrations, news feed automation.
- **Tech Stack**: React, GraphQL, Knockout.js, Node.js, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, Mustache.
- **Content & UX Strategy**: Structured asset data, taxonomies, publishing workflows; wireframing with Figma, Photoshop.
- **Cayman Islands projects:** Optimized layouts, components, and architecture for 1000s of CMS-driven, dynamically rendered pages across six major sites for accessibility and mobile.
- **Expanded Motiv's OCM**: with 100s of internal docs, custom components, scripts, & automation tools.

Web Developer *2018 - 2020*
The Sails Company – Austin, Texas
- **Website Development:** apps for real estate Seller's Shield with 10K+ users, IoT monitoring for Avimesa, legal filing for CLAS, and custom bookkeeping for Texas title companies.
- **Tech Stack:** Sails.js, Node.js, Vue.js, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, LESS, PHP, Grunt, Bootstrap.
- **DevOps**: Heroku, Cloudflare, GitHub, Papertrail, monitoring, alerts.
- **Databases:** MySQL, MongoDB, MSSQL, PostgreSQL, Redis.
- **Integrations:** Zoho CRM, AWS S3, Sendgrid, Stripe.
- **UX:** Adobe XD, Sketch, Photoshop.

User Experience (UX) Specialist *2015 - 2018*
UserTesting – Mountain View, California (remote)
- **UX research** for **1000+ mobile/desktop apps**, games, websites, & prototypes.

AppleCare Technician *2012 –2014*
Volt & Apple Inc, Austin, Texas
- **Trained 30+ AppleCare technicians**, collaborated with engineers to **triage 1000+ software issues**, and provided **IT support for thousands** of iCloud, iTunes, and Apple ID accounts.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts (BA): Communications Media & Journalism *2012*
St. Edward's University, Austin, Texas
Oracle Cloud Platform Content Management Certified Specialist *2021*
Oracle Corporation, Austin, Texas