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## EXPERIENCE

September 2020 - present, Self-employed

### **KACHOW! LLC**

#### **General Technologist**

*Technologies: Gatsby, React, Flutter, Figma, Adobe Suite*

Consult and contract on topics such as accessibility, frontend engineering, technical recruiting, animation, UX research, UI design, and illustration. Clients include [ONRAMP](#), [Wowd](#), [Whetstone Brewery](#), and more.

September 2020 – September 2021, 1-year contract

### **Mutations Ltd**

#### **Senior Frontend Engineer & Designer Contractor**

*Technologies: Gatsby, React, Figma, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Premiere Pro*

Worked with clients to identify their needs, designed low-fi mockups of new software projects, created highly interactive marketing sites, and coded features in their existing codebases. Clients included [Imperfect Foods](#), [Parsely](#), [APANA](#), and more.

March 2017 – April 2020 (3 years), Fulltime

### **Patreon**

#### **Senior Frontend Engineer & Team Lead**

*Technologies: Flask, React, Redux*

- » Lead Patreon's Frontend Core team, which is responsible for frontend testing, performance, infra, accessibility, and Patreon's [design system](#)
- » Refreshed, onboarded people onto, and administered the two most technical frontend interview questions
- » Manually audited the product, contributed to the ally roadmap, worked with lawyers
- » Illustrated and animated foxes for Patreon's [404 page](#) and site under maintenance page

March 2015 – Feb 2017 (~2 years), Fulltime

### **Honor Technologies**

#### **Frontend Engineer**

*Technologies: Flask, Django CMS, React, SASS*

- » Worked as only one of two front-end engineers on both internal tools and the customer-facing web application.
- » Led general direction, engineering, and design of Honor's internal recruiting tool and external blog
- » Worked on data collection and visualization, and spearheaded Salesforce, WordPress, Autopilot, Workforce, and OnboardIQ integrations.

Aug 2013 – March 2015 (~1.75 years), Fulltime

### **Yammer Inc./Microsoft**

#### **Data Engineer**

*Technologies: Ruby on Rails, Backbone.js, d3.js*

- » Programmed, tech led, and demoed features for an internal analytics platform
- » Gave presentations at internal Microsoft-wide analyst and data engineering conferences about the correct use of analytical tooling.
- » Worked on the O365 event logging API

## LANGUAGES AND FRAMEWORKS

JavaScript (ECMA5+)	python
React	Flask
Reflux/Redux	HTML5+CSS3/SASS

## EDUCATION

### **Carnegie Mellon University**

**B.S. in Computer Science, 2013**

Additional major in Human-Computer Interaction