

# KAYLA GRIFFITH

## SOFTWARE ENGINEER

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### TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Frontend Development:** React, Redux, JavaScript, TypeScript, HTML5, CSS3, SCSS
- **Backend Development:** Node.js, Ruby on Rails, RESTful APIs, MongoDB, MySQL
- **Tools & Frameworks:** Storybook, Bootstrap, MUI, Sanity CMS, Jest, React Testing Library
- **Performance Optimization:** Web accessibility (W3C standards), responsive design, testing (RSpec, Capybara)
- **Version Control:** Git, GitHub, CI/CD Pipelines (GitHub Actions, Netlify)
- **Collaboration Tools:** Jira, ClickUp, Slack, Microsoft Teams

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### STITCH FIX

San Francisco, CA

##### Software Engineer I | Software Engineer II (Remote)

June 2022 - July 2024

- **Cross-Functional Collaboration:** Led engineering efforts with teams including data scientists and product managers to design and deliver AI-driven features and run A/B experiments.
- **Frontend Development:** Developed and maintained scalable, high-performance, and accessible frontend UIs using TypeScript, React, and JavaScript for e-commerce functionalities.
- **UX/UI Enhancement:** Rebuilt key frontend components and pages, aligning with a full-site rebrand to enhance user experience and maintain brand consistency across the platform.
- **Refactoring:** Overhauled experimentation architecture in a Ruby on Rails app, accelerating experiment implementation across multiple teams.
- **Error Monitoring:** Monitored and resolved errors in 12+ microservices using PagerDuty, Datadog, and Bugsnag while participating in on-call rotations.
- **Documentation & Mentorship:** Authored technical documentation for software architecture and led mentoring initiatives for frontend and early-career developers, supporting groups ranging in size from 7 to nearly 70 individuals.

#### GRIFFCODES, LLC

Chicago, IL

##### Software Developer (Remote)

January 2022 - Present

- **Custom Solutions:** Engineered custom websites using React, Node.js, Sanity CMS, SCSS, and Bootstrap to meet diverse client needs.
- **API Integration:** Implemented third-party API integrations, including CMS and Google Maps functionality, for enhanced platform capabilities.
- **Client Management:** Directed client presentations and ensured project alignment with client goals throughout the development lifecycle.
- **Troubleshooting & Deployment:** Designed responsive websites, debugged code, deployed projects, and provided post-launch support.
- **Mentorship:** Guided individuals aged 25-65 transitioning into software engineering roles, offering expertise in frontend technologies and best practices.

#### CREATING CODING CAREERS

San Diego, CA

##### Software Engineer | Software Engineering Apprentice (Remote)

July 2021 - December 2021

- **Web Development:** Built responsive, client-centric web applications using JavaScript, React.js, Node.js, Sanity CMS, and SCSS.
- **Accessibility Standards:** Created comprehensive agency-wide accessibility guidelines based on W3C standards.
- **Communication Skills:** Led client interactions and ensured seamless collaboration during the software development lifecycle.
- **Responsive Design:** Designed adaptive layouts and resolved bugs to deliver polished, user-friendly web applications.

### EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS

#100Devs

Full-stack Software Engineering Bootcamp

July 2021

Northwestern University

Communications, B.A.

June 2017

Fulbright

Fulbright Scholar, Germany

2017