Kyle Shevlin

Front End JavaScript Engineer

Skills

- Strong UI engineer
- Expertise in JavaScript, React, and Redux
- Passionate about functional programming
- Creator, maintainer, and contributor to several OSS projects
- Highly skilled in custom, maintainable, scalable, and responsive front end architecture
- Excellent communicator and teacher

Also Skilled In: Node, Webpack, Sass, Ember, Ruby on Rails, d3

Other Accomplishments

- Started and championed the #jobs-advice community on Reactiflux; Reactiflux MVP
- Teaches JavaScript, React, and Redux to people via Twitch stream
- Recently added as an Egghead.io instructor, working on first course
- Speaker at GDG DevFest Silicon Valley 2017

Education

MA in Theology (Yes, you're reading that correctly. I'm a theologian turned programmer) Fuller Theoglogical Seminary - Pasadena, CA - 2012

BA in Philosophy & Mathematics Lenoir-Rhyne University - Hickory, NC - 2007

Work

Fastly - Portland, OR - August 2017 to Present Senior Software Engineer

- Implemented graphs in d3 that indicate a customer's usage of Fastly's Image Optimization feature
- Built new UIs for various loadbalancing features
- Migrated and converted components from main application into a NPM package consumable by all our front end applications

Second Story - Portland, OR - September 2016 to August 2017 Web and Interactive Developer

- Sole developer for Second Story's brand site, built from scratch with React, Redux, Webpack, and server side rendering.
- Sole developer for Holland America's Exploration Space, a touch table interactive built with React, Redux, Webpack, Electron, Websockets and can handle four concurrent users.

FINE - Portland, OR - November 2013 to June 2016 Front End Web Developer

- Crafted custom, maintainable CSS/SCSS architectures for dozens of websites
- Created a Ruby gem (Componentize) that allowed us to create Rails components by utilizing partials. Sped up site builds by 2-3 weeks.
- Promoted to "Full Stack". Responsible for entire project builds, all models, views, controllers, CSS and JavaScript.
- Tech Lead and/or Sole developer on several projects
- Initiated and crafted front end standards and practices for company
- Developed and contributed to company's open source projects

Noteworthy Repos

- React 101 Ongoing workshop teaching the fundamentals of React to beginner and intermediate level users via Twitch live stream
- Shevy A typography/vertical rhythm Sass library. Demo
- ShevyJS A rebuild of Shevy for JavaScript. Specifically built for CSS-in-JS systems
- Matchbox A vanilla JavaScript plugin for... well... matching the height of boxes. Demo

Open Source Projects I Contribute To

- React DevTools
- a11yproject
- Operation Code
- Emotion
- WeAreFINE / Frob Core

Noteworthy Websites I Have Worked On

- <u>Second Story</u> Sole Front End Developer
- Global Gourmet CommArts Award Winner Sole Front End Developer
- TA Associates Sole Front End Developer
- Stag's Leap Wine Cellar CommArts Award Winner
- Frazier Healthcare Sole Front End Developer
- Eroica Wine Full Stack Developer
- Motto Wines Full Stack Developer
- Darioush CommArts Award Winner
- Anchor Brewing

Places to Find Me

- Github: https://github.com/kyleshevlin
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- Twitter: https://twitter.com/kyleshevlin
- Twitch: https://twitch.tv/kyleshevlin
- Youtube: https://youtube.com/kyleshevlin
- Second Career Devs Podcast: https://secondcareerdevs.com