

Matthew Garrity

FRONTEND DEVELOPER

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SUMMARY

Frontend Developer with 13+ years of professional experience building modern, performant, and maintainable web applications. Highly proficient in React, TypeScript, JavaScript, HTML5, and CSS3, with a strong understanding of UI/UX, responsive design, and security best practices. Experienced collaborating with distributed teams and managing projects from concept to deployment. Currently seeking a remote contract-to-hire frontend role at a startup or product-focused company.

EXPERIENCE

Atlantic Webworks

2013 - Present

Lead Frontend Developer

2019 - Present

- Modernized 20+ applications by migrating from jQuery/Bootstrap to React + TypeScript + Next.js, improving performance and maintainability.
- Collaborated closely with designers to translate Figma designs into pixel-perfect, responsive interfaces.
- Built CI/CD pipelines and deployed with Vercel and Docker, ensuring reliable, automated releases.
- Reduced technical debt by introducing modular architecture and consistent state management (Redux).
- Implemented unit and integration tests with Jest and React Testing Library, strengthening code reliability.

Senior Frontend Developer

2016-2019

- Designed a custom CMS powering 50+ client websites, cutting build times by nearly half.
- Developed reusable frontend components with enforced linting and style consistency.
- Mentored junior developers in accessibility and responsive design best practices.
- Collaborated remotely with designers and backend teams using Git-based workflows.

Frontend Developer

2013-2016

- Maintained client websites, ensuring WCAG accessibility and responsive design.
- Worked extensively with jQuery and legacy JavaScript codebases to implement interactive features.
- Introduced mobile-first practices that improved usability across devices.

University of North Carolina at Greensboro (UNCG)

2011-2012

Web Developer

- Updated the university's main website for branding and accessibility compliance.
- Supported a full redesign project, improving navigation and structure.

Drexel University - English Department

2011

Web Developer

- Managed website updates and security patches.
- Built user-friendly templates for faculty and staff.

SKILLS

Languages & Frameworks

JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript, Python, React, Next.js, Vue.js, Node.js, Express.js, FastAPI, Flask

AI Tools & Workflow

ChatGPT, GitHub Copilot, Cursor; AI-assisted coding, documentation, refactoring, and workflow automation

UI & Styling

HTML5, CSS3, Responsive Design, Tailwind CSS, SASS/SCSS, Styled Components, Material UI, Accessibility

Testing & Quality

Jest, React Testing Library, Cypress, ESLint, Prettier, Lighthouse, Core Web Vitals

Build & Tooling

Webpack, Vite, Babel, Git, GitHub Actions, Docker, Agile/Scrum, Jira, Notion

API & Data

REST, GraphQL, Apollo, Axios, Fetch API, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Prisma, Firebase, JWT, OAuth, NextAuth

Cloud & Deployment

Vercel, Netlify, Render, Railway, AWS Amplify, CI/CD pipelines

EDUCATION

University of North Carolina at Greensboro (UNCG) – Bachelor of Fine Arts, 2013