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Crafting sophisticated digital experiences is my passion. As a senior frontend creative developer and designer with almost 2 decades of experience across agency and corporate landscapes, I bring a refined sense of taste and meticulous craft to complex user interfaces. My deep expertise in web technologies, coupled with a proven track record of seamless collaboration and independent execution, ensures impactful and aesthetically elevated results. I thrive on challenging projects and contributing my unique blend of technical mastery and design sensibility to a successful team.

SKILLS / TECHNOLOGIES

JavaScript

- Vue Nuxt
- GSAP
- Framer Motion
- Vuex/Pinia
- Lottie Vite
- Svelte Webpack SvelteKit
- React Next
- Redux/Valtio Typescript
- jQuery
- · Gulp/Grunt · Rest/AJAX
- Axios SPA/SSR
- · Electron

CSS

- · Sass/Less
- Animation
- Responsive
- CSS-in-JS
- Tailwind

HTML

- Accessibility (a11y)
- Localization (i18n)
- SEO

CMS

- Payload
- Strapi
- Sanity
- WordPress
- Umbraco
- Firebase
- · Firestore
- Airtable

SVG

Version Control

- Git
- Github

Asana

Jira

Bitbucket

· Agile/Scrum

- Subversion/SVN
 - Photoshop
 - Illustrator

UX/UI Design

Figma

Sketch

· Design Systems

Estimation/planning

Backend

- Node
- Notion .Net/Razor
 - PHP/Twig



Senior Frontend Developer Active Theory / Buttermax

March 2021 - May 2024 (Full-time) August 2024 - January 2025 (Contract)



Frontend Director **Northern Ground**

September 2013 - March 2021



Designer - Digital Innovations Kohl's Dept. Stores

June 2012 - September 2013



Interactive Designer / Developer McDill Design

February 2006 - June 2012

- Developed award-winning interactive user interfaces for a wide range of applications
- Key clients included Hubspot, Google, Kia, Spotify, Patreon, Delta Airlines, IBM, Accenture, and TikTok
- Produced fully immersive and responsive virtual conferences that drew more than 70,000 participants for Hubspot: Inbound & Grow, Google Marketing Live, and several other clients
- Worked closely with designers to create a custom design token system for reusable, composable components
- · Built, maintained, and improved internal tools, frameworks, and libraries
- Produced fully responsive websites and web applications for diverse clients across fintech/banking, healthcare, manufacturing, food/beverage, real estate, and e-commerce verticals
- Developed creative and performant solutions for complex UI designs, layouts, and interactions
- Introduced new technologies and workflows to improve code base efficiencies and maintainability
- · Crafted custom CMS implementations on multiple platforms
- · Worked on the Digital Innovations team to explore, prototype, and refine creative digital solutions for marketing needs
- Designed and developed cross-platform interactive media for omnichannel, brand, and seasonal experiences on kohls.com and other Kohl's digital outlets, utilizing HTML5 technologies
- Mentored and led a team of developers in prototyping web applications that creatively solved unique brand needs within limited systems by introducing new technologies
- Led team involved in all phases of interactive projects (creative concept, client presentation, design exploration and refinement, production development)
- Designed and produced websites, Flash microsites, touch-screen applications, animation, e-mail campaigns, and interactive PDFs





Additional Certificates

- Multimedia
- Photography & Digital Imaging

