

# Phillip Sanchez

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## Summary

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Experienced Front-End Developer with +1 years of experience contributing to end to end, user-friendly, and dynamic web applications. Adept in streamlining legacy code, enhancing user experiences, and boosting site performances using React, Next, Node, Express and MongoDB.

## Skills

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**Frontend:** React.js, Next.js, JavaScript, TypeScript, Redux Toolkit, Tailwind.css, HTML, CSS

**Backend:** Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, SQL, Python, APIs

**Testing:** Cypress, Jest, Postman

**Other:** GitHub, Figma, Docker, Vercel, Railway

## Experience

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**Hack for LA** | August 2022 – Present

[hackforla.org](https://hackforla.org) | [vrms.io](https://vrms.io)

### Full Stack Developer

- Enhanced code maintainability using **React.js** by developing a reusable Form component which led to a **20% decrease** in code files and streamlined future updates.
- Boosted PM experience by modernizing the Edit Project page UI to simplify project management.
- Conducted **code reviews** to maintain quality standards and minimize potential bugs in production.
- Successfully **debugged** authentication server errors to restore user access to Vrms.io.
- Worked with cross-functional teams using **Kanban** and **CI/CD** to rollout features before deadlines.
- Led weekly meetings to discuss project goals and assist with blockers.

## Projects

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### Popfliix

[Repo](#) | [Live](#)

- Designed and developed fully responsive UIs using **React** and **Tailwind**.
- Increased site performance by 53%** by optimizing images using **lazy loading**, **WebP format**, and the **srcSet** attribute.
- Integrated End to End testing using **Cypress** to ensure a consistent and stable **user experience**.
- Built backend endpoints using **Node** and **Express** to serve user data from **MongoDB**.

### The Open Book

[Repo](#) | [Live](#)

- Utilized the **MVC** architectural pattern for easy maintenance, readability, and extension.
- Integrated **OAuth** using **Passport.js** middleware to enable secure authentication.

### WGU Parcel

[Repo](#)

- Develop a package delivery system using **Python** and **OOP**.
- Utilized the **Nearest Neighbor Algorithm** to reduce expected delivery route time by 30%.

## Education

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**B.S. Computer Science** | **Western Governors University** | April 2024

- Data Structures and Algorithms I & II, Web Development Foundations, Scripting and Programming Applications, Software I & II, Version Control, and Computer Architecture.

**The Front-End Developer Career Path** | **Scrimba** | January 2023

- HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React, APIs, GitHub, and Responsive Web Design.