Sam Kauffman

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# Summary

I'm a web developer who loves building apps and bringing designs to life. My go-to technologies right now include **HTML5**, **CSS3**, and **JavaScript**(ESNext) — amped with the help of **React** & **Redux** and **PostCSS** & **Sass** — built with the help of **Webpack** and **Babel**. I also work with some **PHP**, **SQL**, and **NodeJS**.

Feel free to check me out on GitHub at **https://github.com/samvk** or take a look at my portfolio at **https://samvk.com**.

# Experience

1. **Software Engineer | Web Application Developer** 2016 – Present

Konica Minolta Business Solutions, Windsor, CT

* Led a small team in the development and adoption of React & Redux and PostCSS for the new global app store
* Redesigned the app store for a modern look and better user-friendliness
* Worked closely with QA to improve the stability, user-interface, and internationalization & localization of the store
* **Tools:** HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript(ESNext), React, Redux, PostCSS, Webpack, Babel, PHP, SQL

**Freelance Front-End** **Web Developer** 2015 – 2016

Greater Hartford, CT

* Performing front-end maintenance and upgrades for existing websites
* Developing mobile-friendly responsive websites
* Basic back-end management

**Information Technology Specialist** March 2016 – November 2016

CREC Capitol Region Education Council, Greater Hartford, CT

* Troubleshooting and resolving issues related to computer software and hardware
* Installing software updates and hardware upgrades on end user machines
* Performing desktop and laptop re-imaging tasks

**Mathematics Associate Instructor** 2015 – 2016

CREC MLC High School, Bloomfield, CT

* Supporting students in the strengthening of math skills and conceptual understandings
* Integrating technology into the classroom to help visualize, analyze, and interpret data
* Gathering school data to track long-term student growth

**Tech Associate** February – September 2014

Staples Inc, Lancaster, PA

* Resolving computer hardware, software, and operating system issues
* Determining and fulfilling client needs

**Technical Assistant** 2011 – 2015

F&M Schnader Theatre, Lancaster, PA

* Operating sound board and A/V equipment
* Rigging audio systems and troubleshooting lighting and rendering problems

# Education

1. **Franklin and Marshall College** May 2015

* B.A. in Technical Theatre and Design
* Graduated cum laude