# Taryn Blake Miller

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## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Frontend: React, JavaScript, TypeScript, Next.js Storybook.js, HTML, CSS, Styled Components, Sass

**Backend:** Express.js, Node.js, GraphQL, MySQL, Firebase **Testing & Deployment:** Jest, Vercel, Heroku, Docker, Netlify

Tools and Software: GTM, CircleCI, PostgreSQL, Git, GitHub, Figma

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Front-End Engineer | Vice Media | i-D | Refinery29

June 2021 - Feb 2024

- Contributed to the re-launch and full rewrite of i-d.vice.com.
- Built components in a shared library for use across multiple sites within the company.
- Integrated with third party vendors for advertising and legal compliance.
- Collaborated closely with cross-functional teams to understand requirements and deliver tailored solutions in an Agile scrum environment.
- Coordinated with multiple stakeholders to ensure best practices and efficient delivery.
- Worked alongside ad operations to integrate advertising solutions, leveraging Google Tag Manager for implementation and maintenance.

### Back-End Engineer |

- Created the documentation for API team migration workflow from scratch.
- Collaborated seamlessly with DevOps teams to orchestrate smooth migrations of Vice's CMS databases.
- Engineered and maintained endpoints for retrieval, manipulation, and storage of content and metadata.
- Leveraged New Relic's monitoring capabilities within Dockerized environments to identify and resolve errors.
- Worked with CircleCI to monitor deployments to observe the success of release in addition to internalized release patterns to
  manage conflicting legacy dependencies within the code.

### Full-Stack Engineer | The Collab Lab

April - May 2021

An 8-week cohort with an emphasis on pair-programming in order to gain practical experience by working remotely on real world
projects with mentorship.

### Finalist | YearOne (Techstars 2020)

Jan 2021- Present

• Selected from nearly 800 candidates as a YearOne finalist.

## Production Assistant - Lighting Operator | Nitemind

Sept 2017 - Jan 2020

 Fabricated LED based lighting structures and accompanying internal electrical components for project builds, installations, and strikes under tight deadlines and environmental constraints.

## **PROJECTS**

## Smart Shopping List

React | Firebase | Netlify

- A shopping list mobile application that learns the users' buying habits and helps them remember what they most likely need to buy on their next trip to the store.
- Created components for shopping "list" and "add an item" navigation views with link implementation through React routing Implemented the ability for users to generate a unique token that is stored and persists in local storage.

#### <u>CreateMates</u> | <u>REPO</u>

React | Redux | Sequelize | Node.js | Express | Sockets | Bootstrap

 A progressive web app and resource for artists to reinvigorate their practices, receive feedback, and workshop ideas by connecting with other artists in real-time.

### **EDUCATION**

Grace Hopper, New York | Fullstack Software Engineer
University of Kansas, KS | Bachelor of Arts in Linguistics
Cowley County Community College, Arkansas City, KS | Associate of Arts in Music

August - November 2020 May 2013