





Tess Lockey Software Engineer


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PROFILE

I'm a full-stack software engineer with extensive experience in the JavaScript ecosystem, and proficiency in Ruby, HTML/CSS, and Go. I have a background in design – so I enjoy solving problems, whether visual or code-based!

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Creator, Software Engineer at Campfire  2024 – present

Campfire  is a self-hosted, CI/CD development framework that deploys dedicated preview environments with integrated collaboration tools on AWS.

- Designed overall architecture of Campfire composed of AWS ECS Clusters, Application Load Balancer, Lambdas, S3, Secret Manager, GitHub Actions and GitHub App.
- Architected a routing system using AWS Application Load Balancer to enable reliable access to preview apps hosted on ECS Clusters.
- Contributed to Campfire's CLI, which automates the deployment and teardown of AWS cloud infrastructure, reducing a 40-step workflow to one command.
- Developed a GitHub App that manages synchronization of comments between the feedback interface and the pull-request.
- Implemented a Campfire SDK to enable session-replay functionality through inter-iframe communication otherwise blocked by security protocols.
- Architected and implemented RESTful API facilitating serverless backend communication (AWS API Gateway, Lambda, Secrets Manager).
- Implemented a user-friendly UI for integrated commenting and session-replay using React and Material UI.
- Authored a comprehensive **case study**  providing an in-depth analysis of Campfire's problem domain, system design, and engineering decisions. campfire-previews.github.io 

Software Engineer on Open Source Projects 2021 – 2024

Developed numerous personal and open-source web applications.

- **Rainbucket** - A web development tool to inspect and debug webhook integrations at real-time (React, Express, Node.js, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, WebSockets, Nginx, Digital Ocean)
- **Musical Boxes** - An interactive musical experience using the Tones.js framework that captures and replays your notes (HTML, CSS, JS, jQuery)
- **Ultimate Team Tracker** - An application to track Ultimate Frisbee teams, players, and scores (Ruby, Sinatra, Postgres, Puma, ERB)

Designer & Illustrator | Self-Employed 2020 – 2022


Designed and illustrated assets for start-ups, non-profits, animation studios.

- **Common Energy** designed and art-directed video and graphic ads and informational assets.
- **Bearded Fellows** illustrated 48 stills under an art director for use in an animation.

SKILLS

Back End	Front End	Cloud	Other
Node.js, Express, GoLang, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, REST APIs, Ruby, Minitest, Sinatra	JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript, React, jQuery, Handlebars, HTML/CSS, Material UI	AWS (ECS, ELB, Lambda, CloudFormation, S3, IAM), Digital Ocean, Heroku, Fly.io	Git/GitHub, Docker, Linux, Bash, WebSockets, HTTP, Jest, OOP, Nginx, Postman, Cypress

EDUCATION

Launch School 2021 – 2024
Multi-year, mastery-based software engineering curriculum. Read more at launchschool.com/employers 

AAS Software-Web Development (Honors), College of Southern Nevada 2021 – 2023 | Las Vegas, NV

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Illustration (Honors), Ringling College of Art and Design 2015 – 2019 | Sarasota, FL