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SUMMARY

Senior Software Engineer bringing over 7 years of experience at industry-leading companies such as **Spotify**, **FIS**, and **The Home Depot**. Expert in various frontend & backend technologies including **JavaScript**, **TypeScript**, **CSS**, **React**, **Next.js**, **Node.js**, **GraphQL**, and **SQL**. Proven ability to deliver scalable, high-impact solutions that serve millions of users worldwide by bridging the gap between user interfaces and server-side functionalities.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Spotify (Contract)

Jul. 2024 – Oct 2024

Senior Frontend Engineer

Remote

- Development kick-off of flagship web app using TypeScript, Next.js, CSS, Node.js, impacting millions globally.
- Contributed to and enhanced Spotify's Design System, transforming intricate Figma designs into responsive, accessible user interfaces, achieving 100% design accuracy and enhancing user satisfaction across all devices.
- Optimized data fetching with Apollo Client for GraphQL integration, enhancing efficiency.
- Implemented testing with Jest and Playwright to ensure robust, error-free deployments.
- Coordinated with designers, product managers, and backend engineers in a fast-paced Scrum environment to meet tight deadlines and deliver iterative improvements ahead of schedule.

Chief Inc.

Nov. 2022 – Present

Senior Fullstack Engineer

Remote

- Transformed a monolithic API to a microservices architecture using TypeScript, Node.js, SQL, GraphQL Federation, NestJS, Docker, and AWS services, improving system reliability and reducing load times by 40%.
- Created a reusable component library with React and Storybook, accelerating front-end development by 25%.
- Overhauled interfaces, reducing legacy code by 70% with React, Vite, and NX.
- Implemented analytics tools (Google Analytics, Datadog), enabling proactive issue resolution.
- Developed CI/CD pipelines with Jest and Playwright, achieving >=90% test coverage.

FIS Global (Contract)

Jul. 2021 – Nov 2022

Lead Frontend Engineer | Apr. 2022 – Nov. 2022

Remote

Senior Frontend Engineer | Jul. 2021 – Apr. 2022

Remote

- Coordinated the delivery of an International Payments Dashboard handling over \$1.5 billion annually. Built with React, Redux, TypeScript, GraphQL, and Jest.
- Researched and implemented emerging design patterns and server-side rendering technologies with Next.js, enhancing application performance and scalability.
- Implemented OAuth 2.0 with JWT refresh tokens and HTTP request interception, strengthening security and ensuring reliable real-time data transactions.
- Leveraged Next.js for server-side rendering, reducing page load times and improving user experience.

The Home Depot

Feb. 2017 – Mar. 2021

Fullstack Software Engineer | Jul. 2017 – Mar. 2021

Atlanta, GA

Apprentice Software Engineer | Feb. 2017 – Jul. 2018

Atlanta, GA

- Maintained a monolithic legacy application handling over 1.6 billion transactions annually while driving the transition to a modern microservices architecture.
- "One Returns" Project: Founding member of full-stack React application used nationwide across all Home Depot stores for processing customer returns, using React, Redux, Typescript, Node.js, Java & Spring Boot
- Streamlined the customer return process, reducing transaction times and decreasing cashier training expenses by 20% across over 2,300 stores.

SKILLS & INTERESTS

- Frontend:** JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript, HTML5, CSS3 (TailwindCSS, Sass), React, Redux, Next.js, ChakraUI, Styled Components, Jest, Vitest, Cypress, Playwright, Selenium Web Driver, Figma, Storybook
- Backend:** Node.js, NestJS, GraphQL Federation, ApolloServer, REST APIs, PostgreSQL, MySQL, Docker, Kubernetes, AWS (EC2, S3, Lambda, SQS, EventBridge), SQL, Git
- DevOps & Tools:** CI/CD Pipelines, Webpack, Vite, NX, Docker, Kubernetes, AWS Services, Git, Docker, Storybook, Contentful, Braze, Segment, Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator

EDUCATION

Kennesaw Mountain

GPA: 3.8/4.0

August, 2012

Kennesaw, GA