

Web Developer

Profile

I love shipping great stuff and learning new things. I've been a full time professional developer since May 2016. Currently focusing on web apps and sites using WordPress, React, Next.js, node.js, Sanity, Strapi, etc. I started out working primarily in front end but have been moving steadily into full stack development. I value design, performance and accessibility. I've done many accessibility retrofits.

Experience

Freelance Web Developer – January 2015 - Present

I provide WordPress, JavaScript ecosystem (eg Next.js, node.js etc), and other development services for enterprise clients, SMB, design agencies, and marketing companies. I set up and maintain hosting on WPEngine, Vercel, Heroku, Netlify, Render, etc. I build and modify custom themes and plugins including Gutenberg blocks as well as third party integrations. I work with designers, managers, client stakeholders and other developers to design, build and maintain beautiful, highly performant, high conversion, secure and accessible websites and web apps, using tools such as GeneratePress, ACF, VS Code, Sublime, vim, git, bash, Jira, Basecamp, Local.

Full Stack Lead Web Developer (Contract), Sandbox, Sebastopol CA – September 2022 - Present

I architected, built and maintain a carbon impact calculator web app for the landscape design space. We are continually adding features. The app uses a headless JS stack: Next.js/Vercel - Strapi/Heroku; using MUI, Cloudinary, Stripe and AMCharts. I also built and maintain a custom theme for the company's WordPress website. I work directly with the founder as technical lead.

Lead Full Stack Web Developer, Flight LLC, Santa Rosa CA – March 2018 - September 2022

I built and maintained SMB and nonprofit web apps and websites in WordPress, React/node.js, and Shopify. Flight LLC was a design-driven branding and development agency. I worked directly under the technical and design founders and collaborated with many other contractor roles to deliver high quality, accessible and converting web experiences. I built custom themes and apps from mockups and modified existing themes. I worked with most of the major WordPress themes and page builders as well as building custom themes using underscores and ACF. I set up and maintained hosting on various providers including Vercel, Heroku, cPanel (eg Siteground), and WPEngine.

Lead Web Developer, TIV Branding, Santa Rosa CA, May 2016 - March 2018

I built and maintained enterprise and SMB websites on WordPress, Drupal and other technologies. All work used custom themes including underscores, Bootstrap, ACF, Gravity Forms and other major plugins and integrations. TIV hosts approximately 200 SMB sites on CentOS (linux) running on Rackspace / Plesk. I built custom themes start to finish from

Photoshop mockups and performed fast-turnaround updates and maintenance on WordPress and Drupal sites. I also worked on Shopify, Craft CMS and Rails sites.

Education

A.S. Electronic Technology, Santa Rosa Junior College

Skills

HTML5, CSS3, SASS, JavaScript, React, Typescript, Next.js, Sanity, Strapi, WordPress Theme and Plugin Development, ACF, Gutenberg blocks, GeneratePress, Gravity Forms, node.js, npm, Express, EJS, MUI, PHP, Python, WooCommerce, Shopify, Vue, Bootstrap, Tailwind, Foundation, jQuery, MySQL, Postgres, mongoDB, Laravel, Alpine.js, Cloudinary, Stripe, AMCharts, Drupal, Craft CMS, Git, Github, Gitlab, MacOS, Bash/zsh, Linux, VS Code, Sublime Text, vim, nano, Apache, Plesk, AWS, Pantheon, Heroku, Vercel, Netlify, Local, MAMP, Vagrant, Jira, Basecamp, Asana, Teamwork, Trello, Notion, Figma, Photoshop.