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Summary

Frontend Engineer with 5+ years of experience building performant, accessible, and scalable web applications using React, TypeScript, and modern JavaScript frameworks. Skilled in design systems, accessibility (WCAG 2.1), and cloud deployments. Community leader passionate about mentoring and inclusive tech education.

Core Skills

Languages & Frameworks: JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript, React, Next.js, Vue.js, Node.js

UI & Design: Tailwind CSS, HTML5, CSS3, Figma, Responsive Design, Accessibility (WCAG 2.1)

Testing & Tools: Jest, Cypress, GitHub Actions, Keycloak, Passport.js

Cloud & Deployment: AWS, Netlify, Vercel, Cloudflare Pages

Projects

- **Portfolio Site** – Built with Next.js + Tailwind; scored 95+ in Lighthouse; migrating to Cloudflare Pages for global performance.
- **Admin Dashboards (Freelance)** – Delivered responsive, data-driven dashboards for small business clients; optimized for accessibility and SEO.

Experience

Enfuse.io | Remote

Full Stack Software Engineer (Frontend Focus) | Jul 2022 – Jun 2024

- Migrated UI system to AWS with zero downtime, improving security and client ownership.
- Built customer-facing AI chatbot UI in React, cutting deployment time by 25%
- Improved accessibility with Figma prototyping + responsive design, boosting WCAG compliance.

JPMorgan Chase & Co. | Wilmington, DE

Full Stack Software Engineer (Frontend Focus) | Jul 2021 – Jul 2022

- Developed real-time financial dashboards used by 50,000+ stakeholders.
- Implemented WCAG 2.1 accessibility standards across internal apps.
- Refactored architecture with React Hooks/Context API, improving delivery speed.

Freelance Frontend Development | Newark, DE

Frontend Developer | Dec 2018 – Present

- Delivered custom dashboards and landing pages for small business clients.
- Achieved 95+ Lighthouse scores across projects for SEO, performance, and accessibility.

Black Tech Philly | Philadelphia, PA

Co-Founder / Web Instructor | Mar 2020 – Present

- Co-founded nonprofit delivering STEM/digital skills training to 100+ underserved youth.
- Mentored participants into internships and jobs; built partnerships and led community events.

Education

Zip Code Wilmington | Wilmington, DE – *Java Certification, Aug 2018*