



# Mark E. Carter

## Front-end Developer

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- **Nine years** of proven experience in front-end developer roles spanning several industries with a strong focus on user experience.
- **Expert level JavaScript**, CSS, and HTML. Experience with GraphQL, MySQL, Python, and PHP.
- **Robust design abilities**, from wireframing to full-fledged comps. Proponent of rapid prototyping, design systems, component libraries, and user testing.
- **Strong desire to learn** new skills and technologies. Adept at learning on the fly.

## Skills

- **Development:** JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Git, Agile, GraphQL, MySQL, Python, PHP.
- **Recently Used Frameworks:** React, Redux, RxJS, Apollo Client, Styled Components.
- **Design:** Responsive design, wireframing, user maps, color theory, typography, style tiles, high fidelity mock ups, brand guidelines.
- **Preferred Tools:** Mac OSX, Chrome, Sublime Text, Sketch, InVision, Illustrator.

## Experience

### Front-end Developer

**Hatch Studio (PVH)**, Amsterdam, NL – March 2018 - Present

- Collaboratively architected, scoped, and built a suite of complex interconnected webapps while mentoring a junior developer and leading mid-level developers.
- Vetted, tested, and implemented best-practice solutions, including building and maintaining a reusable component library and refactoring data flows from Redux/RxJS to Apollo Client.

### Front-end Developer

**Discogs**, Beaverton, OR / Amsterdam, NL – October 2013 to February 2018

- Prototyped, user tested, and implemented new features as well as redesigned existing features to demonstrably improve user experience while modernizing a legacy codebase.
- Created assets for the Marketing team including event posters, postcards, promotional materials. Designed and developed informational mini-sites.

### UX Developer

**Emerge Interactive**, Portland, OR – August 2012 to October 2013

- Built and maintained a diverse array of client sites using a variety of CMSs. Designed wireframes, typographic styles, information architecture, as well as retrofitted legacy sites with responsive web design.

### UX Developer

**ShopIgniter**, Portland, OR – November 2010 to August 2012

- Website implementations for clients using HTML, CSS, Javascript (jQuery), and PHP. Designed client sites, tech demos, marketing materials.

## Education

### Bachelor of Arts in Visual Communication Design

**Purdue University**, West Lafayette, IN – Graduated 2009