Patrick Gannon

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Frontend Developer specializing in React and modern UI development, with experience building responsive, API-driven web applications using TypeScript, Tailwind CSS, and Vite. Focused on scalable, accessible, and performance-optimized interfaces, with additional background in web infrastructure management and cross-platform technical support.

SKILLS

Frontend: React, JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript, HTML5, CSS3, Tailwind CSS
APIs & Integration: REST APIs, Google Gemini API, Open-Meteo API, Async/Await
Tools & Workflow: Git, GitHub, Vite, npm, Figma
Accessibility: WCAG, ARIA standards
Backend Familiarity: Node.js, Express, MongoDB, AWS Lambda
CMS: WordPress (theme customization, content management)

EXPERIENCE

Frontend Developer (React) January 2024 – Present
Independent *Chicago, IL*

- Built a React 19 and Vite weather dashboard with responsive layouts using Open-Meteo API. Link to live version
- Built and deployed reusable React component libraries using Tailwind CSS and Vite
- Developed AI-integrated React application leveraging Google Gemini / Imagen API Link to live version
- Integrated third-party REST APIs with asynchronous data workflows using Async/Await
- Designed responsive, accessible interfaces following WCAG and ARIA best practices
- Deployed applications via GitHub Pages using structured Git workflows

Web Consultant (Contract) 2024 – Present
McKenna Storer *Chicago, IL*

- Perform paid WordPress updates and ongoing site maintenance
- Maintain SEO settings, plugin updates, and performance optimization
- Ensure accessibility compliance and cross-browser compatibility

I.T. Support 1995 – 2023
McKenna Storer *Chicago, IL*

- Built and maintained firm intranet and public websites using HTML, CSS, and WordPress
- Managed hosting environments, analytics, SEO tools, and performance optimization
- Provided cross-platform technical support and documentation

Office Services Coordinator 1989 – 1995
McKenna Storer *Chicago, IL*

- Maintain contracts, as well as review and approve invoices, for firm vendors
- Implement and communicate office procedures, processes, and policy.

OPEN SOURCE CONTRIBUTIONS

freeCodeCamp — Open Source Contributor September 2026

- Contributed four merged pull requests adding Markdown headings to React and JavaScript lessons; incorporated maintainer feedback and followed project contribution guidelines.

Merged pull requests: #70405 | #70403 | #70401 | #69920

CERTIFICATIONS

- Coursera-IBM: Generative AI for Software Developers (March 2026)

EDUCATION

CareerFoundry
Certifications: Full Stack Web Development – Cloud Computing for Web Developers *September 2024*
Columbia College
Bachelor of Arts. *May 2009*
Art Institute of Pittsburgh – Online
Web Design Diploma. *September 2007*