

Stephanie Coates

Software Engineer

ABOUT

I'm an experienced developer focused on creating beautiful, high-quality digital experiences. With a unique background in journalism and wilderness therapy guiding, I believe communication and self-awareness are just as valuable as a strong work-ethic and technical expertise. I thrive when collaborating with other ambitious people and feel passionate about using code to solve problems and empower people to live happier, healthier lives.

EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer | Sesh | Remote | 10/2020 - Present

- Built a full stack web application from the ground up using Svelte, Golang, and PostgreSQL
- Built a feature-packed chrome extension with auth to complement the web application
- Joined as the 2nd engineer at a 5-person startup, owning features and driving initiatives with minimal guidance
- Wore various hats, embraced challenges, and maintained a fun, communicative, driven culture while operating fully remote

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- Translated requirements from product and design teams into modern interfaces for both internet and intranet applications using latest React practices
- Optimized and open sourced One App, Amex's custom frontend framework
- Overhauled the Nginx config on Amex's critical static asset servers. Regulated CORS permissions, set headers to cache assets on the CDN, added developer tooling, and gave a company-wide presentation on the effort
- Drove initiatives for better onboarding, friendlier documentation, full test coverage across all repos, and more diverse hiring pipelines within the organization
- Promoted from junior to mid-level engineer within first 8 months on the Enterprise Architecture team after continuously seeking out new opportunities to grow and provide value

EDUCATION

DevMountain — Web Development Bootcamp, 2019

Sierra Nevada College — B.A. Journalism & Outdoor Adventure Leadership, 2017

SKILLS

Web: HTML, CSS, REST, GraphQL, CORS, CDNs

JavaScript: React, Svelte, ES6+, Redux, Node.js, npm, Jest, Webpack, ESLint

Other: git, command line, Docker, Golang, CI/CD, Nginx, PostgreSQL, Scrum, mentoring

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