

Alex Gulsoy

Frontend Developer

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Frontend-focused software developer with over a year of experience building responsive, modern web applications using scalable frontend frameworks, TypeScript, cloud services, and API integrations. I approach every project with a creative mindset that inspires curiosity and experimentation, allowing me to quickly adapt to the rapidly evolving software and AI landscape.

Professional Experience

Skinstric AI

[Remote](#) | [June 2026 - July 2026](#)

Frontend Engineer

- Architected an AI-powered skin analysis platform with Next.js, integrating OpenAI Vision API for real-time image analysis and personalized skincare insights
- Designed responsive interfaces with dynamic skincare recommendation cards and GSAP animations to enhance user engagement.
- Optimized performance through Next.js Server Components and Lottie animations, achieving sub-2-second analysis times
- Built a custom GSAP animation system to provide visual feedback during skin analysis, thereby improving user experience
- Developed a modular component system for scalable skincare displays, improving UI consistency and accelerating layout iteration.
- Integrated an AI image processing pipeline to analyze skin tone, texture, and visual features

NFT Virtual Internship

[Remote](#) | [May 2026 - June 2026](#)

Frontend Developer

- Developed responsive React.js components for an NFT display platform with Firebase Authentication and Firestore integration, supporting 1,000+ digital assets and 500+ registered users.
- Integrated RESTful APIs using Axios to retrieve NFT metadata and digital assets, optimizing data fetching workflows to achieve sub-2 second load times
- Implemented Firebase Authentication to support 500+ registered users with secure account management and protected user data
- Engineered a React component architecture using JavaScript ES6+, Redux, and Material-UI to improve scalability, efficiency, and UI consistency
- Deployed Firebase Cloud Functions to handle backend operations, reducing NFT metadata retrieval response times by 30%
- Collaborated with a three-person team using Git, Agile, and Jira to complete 40+ tickets within a one-month development cycle

Projects (personal)

Search API Project: [Live Demo](#) | [Github Link](#)

Built a fully functional search platform for movies

- Engineered & integrated a search api for (movies/anime/etc) with a fully responsive design, loading states & dynamic routing to showcase end users movies on a mass level search and showcase (movies/anime/etc) on an individual route.

Library: [Live Demo](#) | [Github Link](#)

Built a dynamic digital library platform for book discovery and management

- Engineered a digital library platform with dynamic content rendering, advanced search functionality, and detailed book routes to showcase digital content at scale. Implemented responsive design, optimized loading states, and a dynamic cart experience while creating seamless navigation and intuitive user interactions.

Technical Skills

Programming Languages: TypeScript, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Python, C++, SQL

Frameworks: React, TailwindCSS, Firebase, Supabase, NextJS, Redux, React Hook Form, Zustand

Tools & Other platforms: Vercel, GitHub, Vite, Figma, VsCode, Jest, Stripe, React Testing Libraries

Education:

University of California, Santa Cruz | [Certificate](#)

[August 2017 - August 2022](#)

Computer Science 3.7 GPA

Degrees: Computer Science: Computer Game Design, Art and Design: Games and Playable Media

Other

Interests: Basketball, Tennis, Bowling, Pool, Swimming, 3D Modeling
Referees: Provided upon request