JASON E. THOMAS

Front-End Developer | React • JavaScript • HTML/CSS

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SUMMARY

Front-end developer and U.S. Navy veteran who builds and ships websites and web apps for real businesses with React, JavaScript, HTML, and CSS, connected to REST APIs and Node.js or PHP/MySQL back ends. Uses AI assistants (Cursor, ChatGPT) to work faster; writes, reviews, and tests the code. Brings 13 years of Navy electrical troubleshooting and 10 years running a service business. Seeking a remote junior front-end or React role.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: JavaScript (ES6+), HTML5, CSS3, SQL, C, C++; learning TypeScript
Front end: React (hooks, React Router), Vite, responsive design, DOM, form validation, accessibility basics; learning Next.js
APIs and back end: REST APIs, Fetch, async/await, JSON; working knowledge of Node.js, Express, PHP
Databases: PostgreSQL, MySQL (SQL schemas, migrations, transactions); browser localStorage
AI-assisted development: Cursor, ChatGPT, prompt engineering to speed up coding; review and test every suggestion
Tools: Git, GitHub, VS Code with GitHub Copilot, Hostinger hosting and VPS

PROJECTS

Business and Personal Projects – AI-assisted workflows (Cursor, ChatGPT); wrote, reviewed, and tested the code

NFPRU Invoicing | invoices.nfprullc.com | React 18, Vite, React Router, Node.js, Express, PostgreSQL, PDFKit
- Built the company's web app for customers, estimates, invoices, and payments, with a phone-first React UI.
- Implemented deposit, minimum, markup, and travel-fee rules with automated tests; deployed and maintain it.

That Doggone Cart | thatdoggonecart.com | HTML, CSS, JavaScript, PHP, MySQL, Stripe
- Built a live ordering site that takes real card payments via Stripe Checkout, linked to a kitchen display and back office.
- Added a customer order tracker that chimes when the order is ready; set up the MySQL database and Hostinger hosting.

North Florida Property Repair & Upgrades website | nfprullc.com | HTML, CSS, JavaScript
- Designed, built, and maintain the responsive company site with service pages, estimate forms, and a work gallery.

North & Loom | shop.jet380.com | github.com/jthomas380/shop-demo | HTML, CSS, JavaScript
- Built a fictional apparel store with a responsive catalog, search, cart with stock limits, promo codes, and checkout.

Frontend Simplified Training Projects – hand-coded, in progress (HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React)
- **ReelFinder** (movie.jet380.com, github.com/jthomas380/movie-database): OMDb API movie search with sorting and loading/error states.
- **Blacktop Mobile Detailing** (detailing.jet380.com): booking demo with live pricing, scheduling, and form validation.
- **Mortgage Lender** (mortage.jet380.com): payment calculator and multi-step prequalification form.
- **YouTube Clone** (in progress): React and React Router video site with a home feed, collapsible sidebar, and video pages.

EXPERIENCE

Owner | North Florida Property Repair & Upgrades LLC, Middleburg, FL | 2016–Present
- Run a licensed, insured property repair business: estimating, scheduling, purchasing, customers, and quality control.
- Designed, built, and maintain the company website and invoicing app, turning business needs into tested features.

Quality Assurance / Test Technician | IEM, Jacksonville, FL | Jan 2025–Dec 2025
- Tested switchboards against drawings and schematics; worked with engineers to fix problems and retest.

Aviation Electrician's Mate, QA Representative, Work-Center Supervisor | U.S. Navy | Jul 1999–Sep 2012
- Diagnosed and repaired P-3 aircraft electrical systems (instruments, autopilot, power) using schematics.
- Supervised and trained technicians, and reviewed maintenance work as a Quality Assurance Representative.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

B.S., Electrical Engineering and Communications Technology | ITT Technical Institute, Jacksonville, FL | Sep 2016
Relevant coursework: C Programming, C++ Programming, Computer Structure and Logic, Digital Fundamentals, Microprocessors and Microcontrollers, Embedded Systems, Networking, Calculus I–II
Front-End Development Training | Frontend Simplified | Aug 2026–Present