Nick Lyons

I'm a front end generalist at heart exploring LLM development and design. Solid communication skills, a desire to document and track work and usually thinking of a way to do something better/different. My current interests are Interface and Design Engineering.

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Front End Developer

Bixal

2022—2025 • 3 YEARS

- Led 2 engineers in refactoring the codebase into USWDS components, cutting code 50% and achieving site-wide accessibility for Digital.gov and Analytics.usa.gov
- Co-led content and back-end teams through a Hugo-to-Drupal migration, launching the new site in 90 days.
- Refactored the responsive image pipeline to use AWS S3, reducing image variants by 75%.
- Implemented GitHub Actions for linting, formatting, and build checks.
- Led retros and sprint planning, and authored documentation across code, engineering, design, and team processes to maintain cross-team consistency.

Print Pre-Press & Online Projects Coordinator

GSB Digital

2018—2021 • 3 YEARS

- Developed a Node.js app aggregating 3 ticket systems into real-time order tracking on production floor monitors, reducing delivery time 25%
- Collaborated with the CEO and marketing team to build LegalTabs.com, a WooCommerce store that expanded client base and sales to West Coast law firms
- Managed 2 web-to-print platforms for 40+ client sites and automated bulk file uploads for 70% faster product updates
- Reduced print proof turnaround times 45% for high-volume clients by creating custom Indesign and Illustrator scripts

Software Test Analyst

Nationwide Insurance

2014—2018 • 4 YEARS

- Reduced testing time 33% by mentoring analysts and developing processes for a new test case management system
- Reduced onboarding training time from 3 months to 1 by building a consolidated, cross-team documentation and best-practices website

PROJECTS

Shea Memo
GSAP powered vanilla js website presentation

Flexulator
Flexbox spacing algorithm visualizer

NIST Uncertainty Machine
UX/UI enhancements for a statistical tool

Digital.gov
Website for digital services within the federal government

SKILLS

Photoshop
Illustrator
Indesign
Figma
Paper

Prototyping
Interface Design
HCI/UX
USWDS
SEO
Analytics

ES6
React
Typescript
GSAP

CSS
CLI/TUI Tools
Neovim
Cursor
Claude

Trello
Jira
Linear
FedRAMP

Kanban
Agile
Scrum
Cloud.gov

EDUCATION & TRAINING

Ohio University 2003—2007
BS in Visual Communications

Obys Courses
InterfaceCraft.dev
Animations.dev
Interfaces.dev
Devouring Details
AI Hero
Front End Masters
React.gg
MadeWithGSAP
Osmo.supply
CodeGrid