

## Molly Jean Bennett

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## Frontend Developer

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### Skills

JavaScript, React, TypeScript, Apollo GraphQL, Recompose, React Hooks, Redux, React Testing Library, Material UI, HTML5, CSS3, CSS Modules, SASS, Styled Components, BEM, October CMS, Typo3 CMS, Wordpress, Timber, Twig templating, Sketch App, jQuery, a11y

### Experience

#### Software Engineer, Acorns

September 2019 - June 2020

- Delivered brand new investment product for the Acorns web app, built using React hooks, Apollo GraphQL, and styled-components. Collaborated closely with other web, mobile, and backend engineers to ensure a rich, bug-free experience for customers with parity across multiple client platforms. Advocated for best web-accessibility and testing practices during development
- Spearheaded complex refactor of potential growth graph for multiple investment products
- Wrote documentation for best practices using React Hooks + Typescript in the Acorns web apps, with examples for correctly typing stateful data and refactoring Recompose components to Hooks
- Mentored other junior developers through pair programming sessions

#### Frontend Developer, Cast Iron Coding

July 2018 - August 2019

- Wrote CSS/SASS, JavaScript, and markup for a wide variety of agency projects including CMS-based sites, React web apps, brochure sites, and more for clients ranging from art museums to public health organizations to multinational corporations
- Worked with designers to accurately represent design comps in new builds, redesigns, and new features for older projects while following best practices for a11y web accessibility

#### Freelance Writer

June 2011 - May 2018

- Authored technical guides on topics such as building serverless APIs and using lambda functions for a software startup making a UI for simplified AWS configuration
- Wrote features and essays for publications including [Paste](#), [Atlas Obscura](#), and [VICE Munchies](#)

#### Interim Manager, Media Institute for Social Change

May 2017 - December 2017

- Coordinated workshops, homestays, and equipment for a 7-week summer documentary intensive

*Previous work experience information available upon request*

### Speaking

The Agony and the Empathy of Supporting IE11, Donut JS ([video here](#))

January 2019

Metaphors for Making it Work, ACT-W Conference ([video here](#))

July 2018

### Community Engagement & Personal Projects

Volunteer Coordinator, ChickTech's ACT-W Conference

January 2018 - July 2019

Workshop Leader and Teaching Assistant, Thinkful

April 2018 - July 2018

Frontend Developer, Park-E-Mon Grow, Women Who Code IoT Hackathon

April 2018

Chorely - [github.com/MollyJeanB/Chorely-frontend](https://github.com/MollyJeanB/Chorely-frontend)

April - May 2018

NoseMaps - [github.com/MollyJeanB/NoseMap](https://github.com/MollyJeanB/NoseMap)

February - March 2018

### Education

Full Stack Web Development, Flex Program

[Thinkful](#)

Master of Fine Arts, Creative Writing

Hollins University

Bachelor of Arts, Cultural Anthropology

Colby College