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In the interest of client/employer confidentiality and non-disclosure agreements with prior freelance clients, much of my professional work cannot be made publicly-accessible via my website, nor can I post code to a public GitHub repository.

Please see below for a sampling of my recent professional work, as well as links to private GitHub repos provided via GitFront.io. Please note that linked code examples only contain relevant files that I worked on, rather than the entire codebase. As such, they will likely not run on a standalone basis.

PROFESSIONAL PORTFOLIO - NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

SMS Integration with RFI forms

Worked with university enrollment & marketing teams to implement an automated series of SMS text message follow-ups for certain 'request-for-information' forms on our site. This feature is conditionally-enabled, and only happens if the prospective student indicates interest in either a business- or psychology-related degree program within the form. SMS #1 is sent to the prospective student immediately upon form submission, and SMS #2 is then sent approximately 30 minutes later and contains a link to schedule an appointment with an enrollment advisor. Additionally, I adjusted existing data integrations with numerous third-party platforms used by our enrollment & marketing teams, to automatically flag SMS-enabled form entries as such.

This feature was built as a standalone WordPress plugin, and has a couple major moving parts: It involves heavy integration with Gravity Forms (our existing RFI forms have a high degree of customizations/modifications built on top of Gravity Forms); usage of a third-party API to send automated text messages; custom database entries and the WP-Cron Job API to schedule and send the delayed SMS #2; creation of a custom settings page within wp-admin; and various hooks & filters to conditionally-modify data that integrates with various external data platforms.

This project is still an on-going work-in-progress. Code example represents our initial launch which is currently live.



Custom Metabox Database Converter

In an effort to migrate multiple WordPress sites from a legacy 'custom field' plugin to a more modern solution, I developed a custom 'migration' plugin to ensure no existing data or content would be lost in the transition. Plugin scans the WordPress database for legacy custom fields, converts the data into a structure that's compatible with the new custom field solution, and then deletes the legacy data. Plugin was built to be easily-extendable & reusable across all sites (more than a dozen) that we manage.



WordPress Multisite Management Plugin

For an existing WordPress multisite installation, created a network-level plugin to centralize certain data & functions that were previously replicated across all network sites. Plugin allows a non-technical site admin to easily manage & customize various third-party integrations (such as Google Tag Manager) on a site-by-site basis.



PROFESSIONAL PORTFOLIO – CONTRACT WORK

WordPress Dynamic Post Filter & Search via Custom REST API

For multiple existing WordPress sites with hundreds of pre-existing posts stored across numerous custom post types and with numerous custom meta fields & taxonomies, I built out functionality to allow site visitors to dynamically search & filter results across multiple parameters. I accomplished this by building out a series of custom REST API endpoints on the WordPress backend, and then implementing an AJAX-based filter on the front-end. Solution was built to scale, with the ability to handle multiple different post types, meta fields, as well as account for future client additions. I am currently in talks with one of my agency clients about the process of converting this solution to a standalone WordPress plugin for them.



Live Example #1



Live Example #2



Live Example #3



Code Example

Toyota Career Expo – Applicant Progress Tracker

For Toyota's 2021 "Drive to Employment" career expo microsite, I built out a basic progress-tracking system for registered users. The broader site was pre-existing and built in WordPress, utilizing a third-party "user-registration/membership" plugin. I built in extra functionality on top of this, to track and save user progress as they advance through various sections of the site. Additionally I also added functionality to allow registered users to 'bookmark' pages, posts, and videos to their profile page for later viewing.



Live Site



Code Example

Digital Advertisement Scraper App

Assisted in building a full-stack JavaScript app that takes a user-entered URL and scrapes that site for certain advertising-related content. For each result found within the scraped site, various metadata about the advertisement is saved, along with a screenshot and a timestamp. Results are saved to a database which can then be viewed, edited, or deleted by the admin user. Uses Strapi.io and Node.js on the back-end, SQLite as the database, and React.js on the front-end.



Code Example

ErosSTX

Took an existing WordPress site which had been previously built by another developer with the Divi page builder and converted it to a custom-built solution, while still maintaining the exact same look-and-feel of the site. Due to the media-intensive nature of the site, this conversion resulted in a significantly improved page speed and performance of the site.



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Sultre

Built out a brand-new e-commerce site for an upscale brick-and-mortar boutique fashion retailer. Site was built upon the BigCommerce back-end platform and included numerous integrations with third-party services, including inventory management systems and the store's physical point-of-sale system. Site is currently generating over \$1,000 in average daily sales.



Live Site (note: *potentially* NSFW – women's fashion retailer that sometimes features swimsuit models)

Various Custom WordPress Builds

Have completed numerous custom WordPress builds for various agency clients. All sites feature custom-built themes (usually based on either Underscores + Bootstrap.css, or an internal agency boilerplate theme) based on high-fidelity mockup designs, with a general goal of avoiding third-party plugin bloat. Most sites make heavy use of ACF and Custom Post Types, and are designed to allow a non-technical end-client to manage the site content on an ongoing basis. Please see below for a sampling:

- M₄BL.org
- The Rising Majority.com
- BrightideasFL.com
- RootandRebound.org
- Proesolar.com
- CareerSourceCentralFlorida.com
- DSRHospitalityExperts.com
- LarrysGutters.com
- DefundPolice.org
- DiscoverGuruNanak.com
- OurCourtsOurFight.com