Steven Hale

Experienced JavaScript Developer focused on
building people centric products for the web

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Relevant Experience

Senior JavaScript Developer - **Knowby Pro** May 2023 - Present

- Contributed to the development of dynamic web applications using React.JS, Next.JS, TypeScript, JavaScript, and Node.JS.
- Designed, developed, and integrated robust APIs while managing code across multiple repositories.
- Created Node applications to facilitate transfer of Legacy data to current state.
- Played a pivotal role in enhancing and optimizing Knowby's Retool interfaces.
- Worked closely with the design team to translate digital visions into tangible, functional platforms.
- Demonstrated a consistent ability to create engaging, intuitive user interfaces, ensuring an optimal user experience.

Front-End Developer - **Shine Lawyers** May 2022 - May 2023

- Architected and developed the National Shine Lawyers "Website Overhaul Project" from a frontend perspective, delivering a custom website builder
- Supervised and assisted with the entire SDLC, focusing on frontend development and user experience design
- Devised an internal component library using React, TypeScript, and Next.js to streamline brand alignment and accelerate future development
- Integrated Contentful headless CMS to empower content management by non-technical staff
- Instituted type-safety across the software stack, augmenting code stability and developer experience
- Transformed UI/UX designs into live components and websites, collaborating with other developers for quality and consistency
- Contributed extensively to the Agile project, ensuring timely delivery and adherence to scope within each Sprint
- Maintained subsidiary and legacy websites, ensuring peak performance and user experience for 300,000+ unique users monthly

Web Developer - **Online Solutions Experts** Mar 2021 - May 2023

- Developed visually impressive websites and eCommerce stores using JavaScript and React
- Utilized React Router for effective page routing and implemented lazy loading techniques to optimize load times and performance
- Facilitated transactions by setting up and integrating payment APIs
- Optimized SEO through the use of semantic HTML5 and industry best practices
- Transformed complex UI/UX designs into live, responsive, and cross-browser compatible websites, upholding design integrity and accessibility standards

Junior Developer - **Dynamic Digital Solutions** Feb 2019 - Mar 2021

- Developed web based products using JavaScript and React adhering to industry best practices for code quality and performance optimization
- Integrated applications with third-party platforms using REST APIs (Xero, CRMs, Square), ensuring data consistency
- Contributed to in client meetings to understand project requirements and scope, providing technical insights to guide solution development

Relevant Experience

Programming Languages
JavaScript, TypeScript, CSS/SCSS, SQL, NoSQL

Libraries & Frameworks
React, React Hooks, Redux, Jotai, Next.js, Node.js, Gatsby, GraphQL, Styled-components, MUI, Axios, Fastify, Node-Tap

Tools & Platforms
Git, GitHub, Vercel, Netlify, Headless CMS, WordPress, GTM, Google Analytics, Firebase (Firestore), Jira, Asana

Selected Projects

Website Overhaul
Developed a custom website builder for Australia's leading law firm, using React, TypeScript, and Next.js.
Integrated the Contentful headless CMS for streamlined content management. 300,000+ unique users monthly.

Astronyx
An innovative Space Photography, Marketing, and Space Imaging Hardware business. Simple, clear UI with some incredible imagery.

Education

University of South Australia
Bachelor of Information Technology and Data Analytics

Central Queensland University
Diploma of Business

Interests

Science fiction movies and novels, travel, coffee, weight lifting, and triathlons