# Michael Dickson

# Web Developer/ IT Support

Experienced Web Developer with passion for creating attractive and interactive websites meeting customer needs and exceeding expectations. Well-versed in developing custom WordPress themes and plugins. Excels in HTML, CSS, JavaScript and PHP development. Detail-oriented, organized and meticulous employee. Works at fast pace to meet tight deadlines. Enthusiastic team player ready to contribute to company success. To seek and maintain full-time position that offers professional challenges utilizing interpersonal skills, excellent time management and problem-solving skills.

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

# OPTIX MANAGEMENT - Lagos, Nigeria

# Founder/Web Developer

## January 2023 - Current

- Lead responsible for driving the vision and direction of the company's web
  development initiatives and oversee the entire web development process,
  from concept ideation to implementation and deployment
- Lead a team of developers and designers, providing guidance, mentorship, and fostering a collaborative work environment
- Develop and maintain a strategic roadmap for web development projects, aligning with business goals and objectives
- Conduct market research and analysis to identify trends, user needs, and competitor insights to inform web development strategies
- Perform code reviews, quality assurance, and testing to maintain high standards of performance, security, and user experience
- Monitor and analyze website analytics, user feedback, and metrics to optimize and improve web development efforts
- Stay abreast of industry trends and advancements to identify opportunities for innovation and improvement in web development processes.,
   Engineering

# RADISSON BLU ANCHORAGE HOTEL - Lagos, Nigeria

# IT Officer Intern

# July 2022 - December 2022

- Provide technical support to end-users, troubleshooting and resolving hardware and software issues
- Assist in the setup, maintenance, and configuration of computer systems, network devices, and software applications
- Help manage user accounts, permissions, and access controls
- Support system backups, disaster recovery planning, and network performance monitoring
- Stay updated with emerging technologies, recommend their implementation, and contribute to process improvement initiatives
- Demonstrate a willingness to learn and take on new responsibilities within the IT department.

#### **SKILLS**

**Critical Thinking** Web development projects Agile Workflow **Technical Analysis** Software Best Practices Website optimization **Technical Support** PHP Site template development CMS management SEO techniques Organization JavaScript HTML Responsive design Search Engine Optimization **CSS** Programming

### **EDUCATION**

WordPress

# Federal Polytechnic, Oko

OND Computer Engineering
January 2019 - July 2021
Anambra, Nigeria

#### **LANGUAGES**

English - Excellent

# MEGATEK ICT ACADEMY - Lagos, Nigeria

# Wordpress Developer/Tutor

# February 2022 - June 2022

- Develop and customise WordPress themes and plugins to create visually appealing and functional websites
- Provide web design tutoring, guiding and mentoring individuals or groups in best practices for creating compelling and user-friendly website layouts
- Collaborate with clients and stakeholders to understand project requirements and translate them into effective WordPress solutions
- Optimise website performance, ensuring fast loading times, responsiveness, and compatibility across different browsers and devices
- Troubleshoot and resolve technical issues, such as plugin conflicts, theme inconsistencies, or website errors
- Stay updated with the latest WordPress trends, tools, and techniques, and share knowledge with team members and students to foster continuous learning.
- Developed and implemented SEO and AB testing strategies to improve effectiveness of marketing efforts.
- Implemented and assessed performance of SEO best practices.
- Collaborated with end users on project specifications, strategy and execution to build new WordPress pages and update existing ones.
- Used Chrome Inspector and Firebug to debug live sites.

# REVOCUBE TECHNOLOGIES - Lagos, Nigeria

# Web Development Intern

### September 2021 - January 2022

- Assist in the development and implementation of web projects, following best practices and coding standards
- Collaborate with the development team to create and maintain responsive and user-friendly websites
- Gain hands-on experience in coding languages such as HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Php and frameworks like Bootstrap, React or Angular
- Support the debugging and troubleshooting of website issues, ensuring optimal functionality and performance
- Learn and utilize version control systems, such as Git, to manage and track code changes
- Shadowed developers to learn key details about job duties and tasks.
- Studied user requirements to gain strong understanding of project initiatives and deadlines.
- Worked closely with developers on creating new code.
- Assisted with troubleshooting tasks to uncover issues within software.
- Wrote custom HTML and JavaScript for existing websites.
- Conceived and built optimized landing pages in HTML and CSS for integration and cross-browser compatibility.
- Take part in team meetings and actively contribute ideas and solutions to enhance the development process.

# NIYOTEK TECHNOLOGIES - Lagos, Nigeria

# Laptop Technician

# August 2017 - December 2018

- Diagnose hardware and software issues in laptops, identifying and resolving problems efficiently
- Perform repairs and replacements on laptop components such as keyboards, screens, batteries, and motherboards
- Install and configure operating systems, software applications, and drivers on laptops
- Conduct system maintenance, including virus scanning, software updates, and disk cleanup
- Provide technical support to customers, both in-person and remotely, guiding them through troubleshooting steps and offering solutions
- Keep up-to-date with the latest laptop models, technologies, and industry trends to deliver accurate and effective support
- Academic Qualifications
- Documented changes and actions in computer-based tracking system.
- Explained diagnostic findings to customers and outlined repair or service options.
- Replaced defective components and parts on malfunctioning computers and office machines.
- Diagnosed and troubleshot problems, repairing, and restoring machines to peak performance.
- Restored data on computers and office machines.