

# Joseph ThankGod

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## Professional Summary

Full-Stack (MERN) Developer with 2 years of hands-on experience building responsive, scalable, and user-friendly web and mobile applications. Skilled in MongoDB, Express.js, React/React Native, Node.js, and Clerk authentication, with additional experience using Convex for serverless backend functions. Passionate about delivering end to end solutions from intuitive user interfaces to secure backend systems—while ensuring performance, security, and scalability.

## Core Skills

- Frontend: React.js, React Native, Next.js, JavaScript (ES6+), HTML5, CSS3
- Backend: Node.js, Express.js, Convex, REST APIs
- Database: MongoDB, Mongoose
- Authentication & Security: Clerk (SSO, MFA, passwordless), JWT
- Payments & Integrations: Paystack, Stripe, Webhooks, Subscription Billing
- UI/UX: Responsive Web Design (RWD), Mobile-First Development, Cross-Browser Compatibility
- Tools & DevOps: Git/GitHub, Postman, Agile/Scrum, VS Code, Deployment (Vercel/Render/Heroku)
- Soft Skills: Problem-solving, Collaboration, Rapid Learning, Communication

## Experience

### Full-Stack Developer (Freelance / Personal Projects) — Remote (2023 – Present)

- Designed and developed MERN stack applications with full CRUD functionality.
- Implemented user authentication & authorization using Clerk (Google SSO, email/password) and JWT.
- Integrated payment systems including Paystack and Stripe for subscriptions and e-commerce flows.
- Built RESTful APIs with Express.js and managed data with MongoDB
- Used Convex functions for real-time updates and serverless backend workflows.
- Deployed production ready apps on Vercel and Render

### Front-End Developer (Training/Capstone Projects)

Tech Studio Academy — Lagos, Nigeria (2025 – Present)

- Started in 2025 to sharpen skills in the MERN stack and modern full-stack practices.
- Built and deployed capstone projects with React, Express js, Node.js, and MongoDB.
- Collaborated with peers on real-world project simulations.

## Education

### Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) – Computer Science

Estam University, 2022 – 2025

### Full-Stack Development (MERN)

Tech Studio Academy — Lagos, Nigeria (2025 – Present)

## Projects

- **Instagram Clone (MERN):** Built a full-stack clone with authentication, post creation, and MongoDB for data storage.  
🔗 Live link
- **Portfolio Website:** Designed and deployed a personal portfolio to showcase skills and projects.  
🌐 Live link

## References:

Available upon request.