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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Innovative and results driven Frontend Engineer specializing in React, JavaScript, and TypeScript. I bring a wealth of experience in web development, creating dynamic, immersive digital experiences. With a sharp design sense and a focus on user-centric solutions, I transform complex concepts into visually stunning, intuitive interfaces that captivate users. My expertise in responsive design and cross-browser compatibility ensures seamless performance across devices. Thriving in fast-paced, collaborative environments, I consistently deliver high quality projects on time and within budget. Eager to leverage my skills and drive groundbreaking results, I am a strategic asset ready to elevate your team's digital presence.

SKILLS

- **Frontend Development:** HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, SCSS
- **Frameworks and libraries:** React JS, Next JS, Tailwind CSS, Chakra UI, React Hook Forms
- **UI Components:** Next UI, Shadcn UI
- **State Management:** Redux Toolkit, Zustand
- **Version Control:** Git, GitHub, Bitbucket
- **Other Technologies:** Docker, Rest API, CI/CD, TDD

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Frontend Engineer (Remote, Contract)

Voc AI — California, United States

January 2024 – June 2024

- Harnessed advanced Next.js features and cutting-edge image optimization techniques to maximize website performance, delivering seamless user experiences across diverse devices and platforms. [rainbasketballus](#)
- Utilized TypeScript for rigorous type safety and employed Tailwind CSS to optimize the styling process. Incorporated Framer Motion and GSAP to craft compelling animations, enhancing user engagement and retention.
- Directed the integration of Shadcn UI to develop robust and responsive components, significantly improving accessibility and usability for both mobile and desktop users.
- Proactively managed and updated the website, efficiently resolving domain issues to minimize downtime and ensure uninterrupted functionality, demonstrating a steadfast commitment to superior user experiences.

Frontend Engineer (Remote)

Declan Work— Uyo, Nigeria

June 2023 – December 2023

- Spearheaded the development and expansion of [DeclanWork](#), ensuring seamless functionality and scalability. Implemented advanced search algorithms and optimized user experience across devices.
- Led the frontend team in spearheading the development of a cutting edge product within the Web3 domain during a prestigious hackathon, resulting in a top-ten ranking achievement. The product garnered attention for its intuitive user interface and outstanding design

- Engineered a waitlist platform to optimize registration and anticipation for upcoming events or services. Enhanced user experience and streamlined organizational processes.

Frontend Engineer (Remote)

Upwork Inc — California, United States

December 2021 – Present

- Spearheaded the development of pixel-perfect UI designs for a diverse clientele, including [danritbeautysalon](#), [JourneytoWealth](#), [HirschKeshav](#), [SoftwareEngineerPortfolio](#), [BriansPortfolio](#), [tukay](#) Utilized HTML, CSS, React, Next.js, ES6, JavaScript, Bootstrap, and Tailwind CSS to establish a robust online presence and deliver exceptional user experiences
- Architected and optimized a high-performing e-commerce platform using ReactJS and Next.js, achieving a 30% increase in sales and a 25% boost in user retention through the implementation of dynamic product pages, efficient payment gateways, and a seamless user experience
- Integrated third-party services and APIs to enhance platform capabilities, including real-time updates, payment processing, and social media sharing features.
- Optimized front-end performance by implementing efficient coding practices, lazy loading, and caching techniques to enhance website speed and responsiveness.
- Ensured cross-browser compatibility and responsiveness across various devices and screen sizes, providing a seamless experience for all users.
- Implemented and maintained UI component libraries to standardize design elements and promote consistency across multiple projects, facilitating scalability and efficiency in

EDUCATION

University of Uyo, Nigeria

- B.Sc. Chemistry

May 2018 - August 2023

PROJECTS

- **Journey to Wealth:** Journey to Wealth is a dynamic platform designed to empower individuals on their financial journey towards prosperity. Expert coaches provide personalized guidance and strategies tailored to each individual's financial goals. Utilizing cutting-edge front-end technologies such as React.js for seamless user interactions and Tailwind CSS for modern and stylish design, the platform offers a user friendly experience. From mastering budgeting and debt management to building wealth and planning for retirement, the platform offers comprehensive support at every step. With a focus on empowerment and education, users are equipped with the knowledge and tools needed to take control of their finances and pave the way for a secure financial future. [Project Link.](#)
- **DeclanWork** DeclanWork is a cutting edge platform revolutionizing the way businesses connect with professionals. With expertise in both traditional and Web3 technologies, the platform offers seamless hiring solutions and cost-effective services. Powered by React.js for dynamic user interactions, Tailwind CSS for sleek design, and Next.js for optimized performance, DeclanWork ensures a user-friendly experience for employers and freelancers alike. [Project Link.](#)
- **Nuifashion Ecommerce:** Nuifashion Ecommerce is a modern and dynamic platform tailored for online retail businesses. With a focus on user experience and cutting edge technology, the platform offers seamless shopping experiences for customers and robust management tools for businesses. Leveraging advanced front-end technologies such as React.js for dynamic interfaces, Tailwind CSS for responsive design, and Redux for state management, Nuifashion Ecommerce ensures an engaging and visually appealing shopping environment. [Project Link.](#)