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ABOUT ME

I'm a **Web Developer** with over 5 years of experience building modern web applications using **React**, **JavaScript**, **Tailwind CSS**, **Redux**, **Firebase**. I specialize in creating responsive, scalable, and user-friendly interfaces with clean and maintainable code. As a **permanent resident** of Australia, I'm eager to contribute to impactful projects and grow within a collaborative tech environment.

WORK EXPERIENCE

TRINITY CONSULTING BUSINESS - CONTRACT - SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER - 2025 - CURRENT

Working with small businesses and early-stage startups to build fast, clean, and responsive websites that are easy to maintain and scale.

- Build modern web apps using **React.js**, with smooth state management via **Redux Toolkit**
- Style everything using Tailwind CSS, keeping the design clean, consistent, and fully responsive
- Turn Figma designs into live, pixel-perfect UIs
- Connect apps with REST APIs, handling async logic and error states
- Use Firebase (Firestore, Auth, Realtime) for backend and data storage when needed
- Write reusable components and keep code easy to understand and maintain
- Comfortable using **Git**, making clear commits, and collaborating in a team setup
- Manage tasks with Jira and communicate ideas and feedback over Slack
- · Always learning and experimenting with new tools to help businesses move faster online

MASTATINN - REMOTE

Website https://quant-agile.com/

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER - 2023 - 2025

- Team Collaboration: Worked in a team of five, including two senior developers who mentored me.
- Frontend Development: Built **React**-based user interfaces with reusable components.
- State Management: Used **Redux** for efficient data flow and state handling.
- API & Data Integration: Connected APIs and managed real-time data with Firebase/Firestore.
- Styling & Performance: Applied **Styled Components** for optimized, consistent UI.
- Navigation: Implemented **React Router** for smooth and dynamic user experience.
- Optimization: Enhanced performance with lazy loading and code splitting.
- Responsive & Accessible Design: Ensured cross-device compatibility and usability.
- Continuous Growth: Learned best practices and improved development skills through mentorship.
- User-Centric Approach: Delivered high-quality solutions aligned with best UI/UX practices.

ZACODE – REMOTE

Website https://www.zacode.io/

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER - 2024 - 2025

- Frontend Development: Built interactive web application using **React**, **Redux**, and **Material-UI**.
- Independent Problem-Solving: Worked mostly solo on assigned tasks, taking full ownership of development.
- State Management: Implemented Redux RTK Query for efficient data handling.
- UI/UX Expertise: Developed responsive, user-friendly interfaces with pixel-perfect precision.
- Performance Optimization: Enhanced application speed and efficiency through best practices.
- Code Quality: Wrote clean, maintainable, and scalable code.
- Startup Environment: Adapted to a fast-paced, dynamic setting with evolving requirements.
- Proactive Approach: Took initiative in solving complex technical challenges independently.
- Continuous Learning: Passionate about staying updated with the latest frontend technologies.
- Innovation-Driven: Focused on delivering cutting-edge, efficient web solutions.

FREELANCE - REMOTE

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER - 2020 - CURRENT

Working on personal projects and building real-world web apps to improve my frontend skills using tools that are commonly used in the industry.

- Building apps with React, and using TypeScript and Redux Toolkit for state management
- Styling with Tailwind CSS, Material UI, Bootstrap, SaSS and sometimes Chakra UI, usually based on Figma designs

- Practicing API integration using **Axios**, and handling async data and error states
- Using Firebase and Clerk for authentication and user management
- Managing real-time data and simple backend logic with **Firestore**
- Writing clean, organized code and focusing on code that's easy to maintain
- Simulating team collaboration with **Jira** for task tracking and **Slack** for communication
- Using **Git** and **GitHub** for version control and managing branches
- Always learning and trying to make each new project better than the last

PROJECTS

TRAVEL MARVEL

Personal Project

Developed a full-featured travel planning web application that allows users to:

- Organize trips, manage destinations, budgets, and packing lists
- Securely store essential travel documents and personal photos
- Use custom forms for data input with validation and smooth UX

Key Technologies & Features:

- React & TypeScript for robust, type-safe component-based development
- Redux Toolkit for managing global state across the app
- Firebase for authentication, Firestore database, and secure cloud storage
- React Hook Form for performant and accessible form handling
- Material UI (MUI) for responsive and modern UI design
- Feature-based folder structure for scalability and maintainability

Successfully built the entire app from scratch within **4 weeks**, despite it being my **first experience with Firebase**, showcasing adaptability, problem-solving, and rapid learning in a real-world scenario.

Link https://travel-marvel.vercel.app/

SHOPFINITY (eCommerce)

Personal Project

Built a complete eCommerce web application using modern frontend technologies as a personal project to demonstrate full proficiency in frontend development. The project includes:

- · React.js for building a modular, component-based UI
- Redux Toolkit for managing global state (cart, products, etc.)
- React Router for client-side routing and dynamic navigation
- Axios for API integration and data fetching
- Clerk for secure user authentication and account management
- Tailwind CSS for fast, responsive, and utility-first styling
- · Features like product filtering, quantity adjustment, and real-time cart total calculation
- · Clean, scalable folder structure with reusable components following best practices

This personal project highlights strong frontend architecture, state management, and third-party service integration skills.

Link https://e-commerce-react-js-opal-ten.vercel.app/

SKILLS

HTML5 | CSS3 | TailwindCSS | Bootstrap | Styled Components | Chakra UI | Material UI | JavaScript | TypeScript | React | Redux | Firebase | Node|S

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2023 - 2024 Remote

FULL STACK WEB DEVELOPER Zacker Academy

Website https://www.zacker-academy.com/

2011 - 2014 Belgrade, Serbia

BACHELOR OF ECONOMY Belgrade Business School

Website https://www.bpa.edu.rs/en-us

DRIVING LICENCE

Driving Licence: B