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PROFILE

Results-driven Full-Stack Software Engineer with extensive experience in backend development using TypeScript and Node.js. Proficient in front-end frameworks like React.js, creating seamless web experiences within a microservices architecture. Skilled in applying Clean Architecture and SOLID principles to build maintainable, scalable, and testable systems. Experienced in Agile practices and implementing robust CI/CD pipelines to ensure high-quality, efficient delivery. With a proven track record of optimising system performance, reducing technical debt, and enhancing user satisfaction, I consistently deliver high-performance applications that meet both technical and business objectives.

EXPERIENCE

Software Engineering Lead   📅 Mar 2025 - Jul 2025
Punch Group | Miami, United States

As an Engineering Lead, I drive the technical vision and execution of projects, ensuring alignment with business goals. I led cross-functional teams, architected scalable systems, and oversaw the end-to-end software development lifecycle. My role included mentoring engineers, enforcing best practices, conducting technical reviews, and facilitating collaboration between product, design, and engineering teams to deliver high-quality solutions on time. I also contributed to strategic planning, team growth, and continuous process improvements.

Software Engineer   📅 Jan 2025 - Jul 2025
Punch Group | Miami, United States

As a Software Engineer at Punch Group in Lagos, Nigeria, I was responsible for developing innovative software solutions to meet the company's needs. I collaborated with teams to implement new features, conduct code reviews, and provide technical guidance to junior team members.

Lead Software Engineer   📅 Jul 2023 - Dec 2024
NotJustEvent | Lagos, Nigeria

- Built the company's backend systems from scratch, launching the app within eight months with 99.9% uptime and handling 50,000+ API requests daily.
- Integrated Stripe and Paystack for secure payment processing, enabling seamless transactions for over 10,000 active users.
- Developed event creation and ticketing microservices using TypeScript, Node.js, MongoDB, and RabbitMQ, supporting 2,000+ events and 100,000+ attendees.
- Implemented a scalable promo and discount code system using Redis, validating over 20,000 codes for organisers and attendees.
- Managed a team of five engineers, conducted code reviews, and implemented Agile workflows with CI/CD pipelines for fast, reliable releases.

Software Engineering Lead   📅 Jan 2023 - Jan 2025
Yoris Africa | Lagos, Nigeria

- Built and maintained scalable backend APIs using Node.js, Express.js, and TypeScript, supporting over 50,000 daily API requests and ensuring 99.9% uptime. Utilised MongoDB to manage a database with millions of records efficiently.
- Designed and implemented a microservices system with RabbitMQ, handling 10,000+ messages daily, enabling asynchronous communication and fault-tolerant workflows.
- Revamped the company's admin dashboard using React.js and TypeScript, improving page load times by 40% and user satisfaction by integrating seamlessly with APIs and modernizing the UI/UX.
- Containerized and deployed all backend services with Docker, reducing deployment time by 60% and ensuring consistent performance across development and production environments.

Content Advisory Board Member   📅 Jan 2023 - Jul 2024
LogRocket | Boston, United States

- Reviewed and provided input on blog posts, articles, videos, and other content produced by LogRocket.
- Provided guidance and feedback on LogRocket's content strategy and direction as a Content Advisory Board Member.
- Stayed up-to-date with industry trends and developments to provide insights and recommendations on LogRocket's content strategy.
- Demonstrated strong analytical and communication skills to provide actionable recommendations and feedback on LogRocket's content strategy.

Fullstack Web Developer

STLEMLab NG | Kano, Nigeria

- Met with clients to discuss project requirements and workflow.
- Designed and coded websites, from layout to function, according to client specifications.
- Project lead responsible for the successful completion and launching of various company web products.
- Involved in various team-based project development and using technologies, tools, and frameworks tools like: React, Node, Express, MongoDB
- Mentoring junior developers by providing technical guidance and support.
- Implementing best practices and standards for coding and testing, including using linting tools like ESLint and implementing pull-request workflows, to improve the team's code performance and reliability.
- Designed mainly the company's frontend interfaces using HTML, CSS, Bootstrap
- Added some functionalities to already-existing company's codebase using Vanilla JavaScript Mentoring junior developers by providing technical guidance and support.
- Implementing best practices and standards for coding and testing, including using linting tools like ESLint and implementing pull-request workflows, to improve the team's code performance and reliability.

EDUCATION

Computer Science, Bachelor's Degree

📅 **2019**

Federal University Otuoke | Nigeria

LANGUAGES

English   Fluent