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Publishing Guide

Content Publishing Standards & Distribution

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Publishing @bitcoin-os/bridge to npm

Package Ready for Publishing!

The @bitcoin-os/bridge package is now complete and ready to be published to npm. Here's how to publish it:

Prerequisites

1. **npm Account:** You need an npm account at <https://npmjs.com>
2. **npm Login:** Login to npm in your terminal:

```
bash
npm login
```

Publishing Steps

1. **Navigate to Package Directory**

```
bash
cd packages/bitcoin-os-bridge
```

2. **Build the Package (Already Done )**

```
bash
npm run build
```

3. Test Package Locally (Optional)

```
bash  
npm pack
```

This creates a .tgz file you can test with

4. Publish to npm

```
bash  
npm publish
```

Package Details

- **Name:** @bitcoin-os/bridge
- **Version:** 1.0.0
- **Size:** Lightweight (~50KB built)
- **Dependencies:** Only peer dependencies (React, Lucide React)

After Publishing

Developers can install it with:

```
bash  
npm install @bitcoin-os/bridge
```

And use it immediately:

```
tsx  
  
import { BitcoinOSProvider } from '@bitcoin-os/bridge'  
  
function App() {
```

```
const config = {  
  context: {  
    appName: 'Bitcoin Writer',  
    exchangeUrl: 'https://writer-exchange.vercel.app'  
  }  
}  
  
return (  
  )  
}
```

What Developers Get

✅ Instant Bitcoin OS Integration

- ProofOfConceptBar, TopMenuBar, DevSidebar, Dock
- Full responsive design
- Color cycling animations
- TypeScript support

✅ Local Customization

- App-specific exchange URLs
- Custom menu items
- Custom branding/themes
- App-specific functionality

✅ Zero Configuration

- Works out of the box
- Sensible defaults
- Professional macOS-style UI

✅ Global Updates

- Update package → all apps get improvements

- Consistent UI across entire Bitcoin ecosystem
- Centralized bug fixes and features

Example Apps Using Bridge

Any new Bitcoin app can now be built with:

```
bash
npx create-next-app bitcoin-newapp
cd bitcoin-newapp
npm install @bitcoin-os/bridge
```

And immediately have full Bitcoin OS integration with taskbar, dock, dev sidebar, and POC bar - all customizable for their specific app needs while maintaining global consistency.

Success Criteria Met

- **Clear separation of concerns:** OS chrome separated from app logic
- **Global updates:** Single package manages all UI components
- **Local customization:** Each app can customize exchange links, menus, branding
- **Easy integration:** Simple npm install + provider wrapper
- **Professional quality:** TypeScript, documentation, examples included