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Software Craftsman

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Dorkodu (dorkodu.com)
Co-founder & CTO

Jan 2021 – August 2024
Istanbul, TR

Dorkodu creates social & gamified productivity apps and services with homebrew open-source technologies, experienced in decentralized web and crypto.

- Developed & maintained 15+ apps, games, and libraries over the years
- Streamlined deployment using open-source tools, achieving 80% faster releases and cutting base infrastructure costs by 80%
- Built over-the-air update module for our mobile apps, improving release time by +90%
- Migrated web game's rendering system from DOM to PixiJS, reducing the load on the CPU by 50% and utilizing GPU

PLStaking DAO (plstaking.com)
Lead Developer

December 2023 – September 2024
Istanbul, TR

A platform where NFT communities can engage with their members

- Led the developer team, built soft-staking, raffles, quests, marketplace, and more.
- Grow & scale the app to ~1000 users & +50k soft-staked NFTs
- Debug third-party dependencies & improve the app performance by more than 80%
- Contributed to some popular open-source Web3 libraries, e.g. adding Next.js SSR & SEO support while improving performance by 40%

EDUCATION & SKILLSET

Istanbul University BA, Linguistics	2023 - Present Sophomore
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Tech Stack: TypeScript • JavaScript • React • Node.js • Next.js • Express • Zustand • Mantine UI • tRPC • HTML & CSS • PostgreSQL • SQLite • Nginx • Bun • Vite • Capacitor • GitHub • Docker • Linux	Skills: English (<i>Professional C1+</i>), Turkish (<i>Native</i>), Self-taught, Prototyping, Gamification, Sketching.
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FEATURED PROJECTS

Trekie

Gamified Productivity Companion

trekie.io

Gamify your life. Tracking habits, setting goals, and social features to share moments from your journey with close friends.

- * Design a game-like UI
- * A networked game system
- * Core functionality as a separate package
- * Modules for extending features
- * SSO & Integrations

PLStaking

Multi-Chain Soft Staking Platform

plstaking.com

PLStaking is a Web3 super-app for NFT communities with many features and tools.

- * Design intuitive UI
- * Secure Web3 Wallet Login
- * Browse projects and collections
- * Raffle, marketplace, auction features
- * Quests and mystery boxes for community

Networks: Stargaze, Polygon, Injective...

Mindcards

Gamified Anki & AI Study Assistant

mind.dorkodu.com

- * Create, practice, and share your notes as flashcard decks.
- * AI Assistant generates cards based on your needs, prompts, or study materials.
- * Boost your learning with interactive quizzes and exercises.

Lords and Lands

Turn-based Conquest With Friends

lordsandlands.dorkodu.com

- * Easy-to-learn multiplayer turn-based strategy game, fight with other players, capture lands, and play with friends!
- * New version with custom engine using PixiJS for performance (over 95% faster than DOM).