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## SUMMARY

- Full-stack web developer with extensive experience building modern, high-performance applications using React, Next.js, TypeScript, JavaScript and Supabase.
- Skilled in frontend frameworks, backend REST and GraphQL APIs, DevOps workflows, and database design. Adept at migrating legacy code to modern stacks.
- Proficient in responsive UI, accessibility, SEO best practices, and caching strategies. Familiar with SSR, CSR, ISR, and hybrid rendering for optimal performance.
- Strong communicator who values collaboration and user experience. Passionate about continuous learning, writing clean code, and creating scalable systems.
- Thrives on solving complex challenges, whether optimizing database queries or crafting intuitive, accessible frontends that delight end users.

## EDUCATION

### 🏛 Technical University of Cluj-Napoca    📍 Cluj-Napoca, Romania
**Master of Applied Informatics (Year 1)**

📅 Sep 2024 – Present

- Built a strong foundation in computer science through a comprehensive first-year curriculum.
- Developed core programming skills and explored software testing techniques.
- Learned the fundamentals of web development alongside essential concepts in algorithms and data structures.
- Gained introductory experience with embedded systems, operating systems, and computer networks.
- Enhanced research methods and technical writing to support advanced academic work.

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### </> IT School    📍 Remote
**Web Development Course**

📅 Dec 2022 – Jun 2023

- Completed a full-stack web development program covering HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, REST APIs, and version control with Git.
- Built multiple data-driven interfaces with responsive layouts and implemented user authentication.
- Practiced CI/CD using GitHub Pages and Netlify.
- Strengthened best practices in semantic HTML, modular CSS, and debugging.

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### 🏛 Babeş-Bolyai University    📍 Cluj-Napoca, Romania
**Bachelor Degree in History (Specialization in Contemporary History)**

📅 Oct 2019 – Jul 2022

- Completed a comprehensive study of history with a specialization in contemporary history.
- Developed critical thinking, structured writing, and research skills.
- Explored memory studies and digital archives in a bachelor's thesis, examining the role of modern technology in preserving cultural heritage.
- Engaged in extensive documentation projects, honing accuracy and attention to detail.

## LANGUAGES

- Romanian — Native
- English — C1 (Advanced – fluent in technical and conversational contexts)
- German — Beginner

# EXPERIENCE

### 💼 Full-Stack Web Developer  📍 remote

**as freelancer**

📅 Jul 2023 – Present

- Built custom solutions with React, Next.js, Tailwind CSS, and Supabase. Ensured clean code, efficient API integrations, and smooth user flows.
- Migrated clients' legacy sites to modern frameworks, implementing CI/CD pipelines (Docker, GitHub Actions) and container-based deployments on Linux VPS.
- Deployed SSR and dynamic routing to improve SEO. Utilized caching and indexing to reduce load times by up to 40%.
- Implemented secure user authentication flows and role-based access via Supabase.
- Built **dictionarurban.ro**, a dynamic "urban dictionary" platform featuring user-generated slang terms and local expressions, serving tens of thousands of monthly visitors. Implemented real-time data updates, robust moderation tools, a responsive UI, and on-page SEO best practices to boost discoverability and user engagement.

### 💼 Content Writer & SEO Strategist  📍 remote

**at quidest.ro**

📅 May 2019 – Mar 2022

- Created 100+ articles on history and culture, applying on-page SEO, keyword analysis, and internal linking to boost organic visibility and user engagement.
- Managed WordPress-based site updates, plugin maintenance, backups, and performance tuning. Monitored KPIs via Google Analytics and Search Console.
- Optimized page speed by compressing images, minifying CSS/JS, and implementing schema markup. Achieved consistent first-page rankings for targeted keywords.

# TECHNICAL SKILLS

- </> **Languages:** JavaScript, TypeScript, C, C++
- 🖥 **Frontend:** React, Next.js, Tailwind CSS, HTML5, CSS3, SASS, Bootstrap
- 🗄 **Backend:** Supabase, PostgreSQL, REST APIs, GraphQL, MySQL, Node.js (entry level)
- ⚙ **DevOps:** Docker, Docker Compose, NGINX, VPS provisioning, Let's Encrypt, GitHub Actions
- 🔧 **Tools:** Git, VS Code, Postman, Figma, Trello, Notion, Chrome DevTools, Lighthouse
- 🐛 **Testing & QA:** Selenium IDE, Jest (basics), Manual Testing, Regression Testing

# SOFT SKILLS

- 💬 **Communication & Collaboration** – Excellent written/verbal communication, adept at explaining technical concepts to varied audiences
- 💡 **Analytical Thinking** – Strong debugging, systems thinking, and incremental approach to feature implementation
- **Adaptability** – Thrives in fast-paced environments; quickly learns new frameworks, libraries, and tooling
- 🕐 **Time Management** – Skilled at estimating tasks, meeting deadlines, and coordinating resources
- ❤ **Empathy & UX Awareness** – Prioritizes usability, accessibility, and inclusive design principles
- 👤 **Ownership & Initiative** – Takes responsibility for project outcomes; proactive in identifying process improvements

# HOBBIES

⚽ Football      🏓 Tennis      📖 Reading      🎮 Gaming      🏛 History