OLIVER PALMER

JAVASCRIPT DEVELOPER | REACT, NEXT.JS

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SKILLS

JavaScript

React

NextJs

React Native

TypeScript

CSS3

Git

Contentful

AWS

GraphQL

Automated Testing

CI/CD

EDUCATION

Chulalongkorn University

2014-2016

MSc. Finance GPA: 3.79

University of East Anglia

2010 - 2013

BSc. Accounting & Finance 2:1

PROFILE

Highly skilled **frontend specialist** with expertise in crafting high-performance, accessible, and scalable **full-stack** solutions for globally recognised brands. Experienced in modern JavaScript frameworks, particularly **React** and **Next.js**, with a strong focus on optimising **performance**, **accessibility**, and user experience.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Frontend Engineer (Contract)

Diageo   Febrauary 2024 – July 2025

Played a key role in migrating major websites to modern technologies, ensuring compliance with web standards and best practices. Built reusable packages, tools and systems to streamline development for 200+ brands under the Diageo umbrella.

Contributions:

- **Website Migration**: Collaborated on the migration of **johnniewalker.com** from a legacy tech stack to **Next.js** and **Contentful**, achieving **Lighthouse scores of 90+** in performance, accessibility, best practices, and SEO.
- **Design System Development**: Contributed to the development of a scalable **component library and design system** used by over 200 Diageo brands, accelerating development timelines and ensuring consistent UI/UX standards.
- **Accessibility Enhancements**: Ensured compliance with **WCAG guidelines**.
- **Performance Optimisation**: Enhanced site performance and loading times by optimising assets, build processes, caching strategies, and more.
- **Comprehensive Testing**: Implemented extensive unit, and integration tests, maintaining high code quality.

Senior Frontend Engineer

App Bar   April 2023 – December 2023

As a senior developer in a fast-paced digital agency, I successfully developed high-quality projects for several multinational clients. I focused on mobile app development using **React Native**, as well as web applications and **content management systems (CMS)** utilising **React** and **Next.js**.

Achievements/Tasks:

- Configured and built React Native apps for Android and iOS, releasing them to the **Play Store** and **App Store** respectively.

- Kept up-to-date with the **latest front-end technologies** and trends, incorporating them into projects where appropriate.
- Undertook the challenge of working on **projects from scratch**, taking ownership of the entire development life-cycle, and delivering successful solutions.
- Provided technical guidance and support to junior team members.

Reason for leaving:
• Move back home to be closer to family.

Frontend Engineer
Crypto.com   December 2021 – February 2023

At Crypto.com, I played a key role in delivering core features for the **crypto.com/price** and **crypto.com/nft** platforms. I collaborated with UX designers to deliver engaging, **cross-browser** compatible, **mobile-first** UIs using **React/NextJs**. I was also a key player in a site-wide UI redesign which resulted in a 23% increase in user session length.

Achievements/Tasks:
- Added tracking and set up **analytics** dashboards allowing management to make key decisions.
- Developed a **rich text editor** that was used on various projects.
- Worked with designers to develop a design system for a more consistent UI.

Reason for leaving:
- Laid off due to challenging market conditions within the crypto industry and the wider economy.

Full Stack Engineer
Shamaazi   January 2021 – December 2021

At Shamaazi, a Fin-tech-for-good company, I contributed to building technologies that empowered individuals to make the most of their financial resources. I played a key role in designing and implementing full-stack solutions using various **AWS** services.

Achievements/Tasks:
- Tested and Fixed several bugs in a billing process that took 1,000,000 payments totaling $21,000,000 over 10 days without any errors.
- Added Apple / Google Pay to our UI checkouts resulting in a 20 increase in conversion.
- Architected solutions using **AWS (Lambda, DynamoDB, SQS, SES, Cloudwatch**, and more).
- Followed **Github** best practices and maintained our **CI / CD** pipeline to production using Github Actions.
- Wrote comprehensive unit and integration **tests.**

Reason for leaving:
- Desire to specialise in frontend development.