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Front-end developer

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Summary

Versatile front-end developer with 3+ years' experience building scalable, maintainable websites and apps using React, TypeScript, Next.js, SCSS and Tailwind. I'm passionate about writing clean code, collaborating, and learning new technologies. Currently seeking a role where I can continue to grow while contributing to meaningful products.

Tech Stack

React, React Native, TypeScript, JavaScript, Next.js, CSS, SASS, GSAP, Framer Motion, Tailwind, APIs, Git/GitHub, Firebase, SQL, PostgreSQL, Node.js and Auth0.

Tools & platforms

Shopify, Gatsby.js, Sanity CMS, Figma and Photoshop.

Employment History

Working on personal projects, built a website for a local charity and travelled across Europe

JAN 2025 – OCT 2025

o   Built a website for a family friend who set up a charity to help parents of kids with autism.
o   Created my portfolio and consistently adding new projects to demonstrate my understanding of different technologies.
o   Exploring setting up an alternative investment fund in a niche area.

Front-end developer - Ignition, Hatfield Heath

JUN 2021 – DEC 2024

o   Led development and maintenance of the company's in-house React Native app - resolved long-standing bugs, optimised performance, and delivered major new feature releases used by internal teams and clients.
o   Developed responsive, accessible e-learning courses using React, ensuring consistent performance across devices and compliance with web standards.
o   Fast paced creative agency so different clients required different tools.
o   Created a suite of reusable React components leveraged across multiple e-learning projects, significantly accelerating development timelines and improving maintainability.
o   Consistently delivered pixel-perfect, high-quality learning experiences in close collaboration with designers and content teams – always with careful attention to detail and timely delivery.
o   AI ambassador – implemented tools like Synthesia and HeyGen for multilingual video translation, streamlining workflows and reducing production time and costs.

o Provided technical support during live events, including real-time troubleshooting of spreadsheets and our proprietary mobile app - ensured smooth delivery under pressure.

Portfolio projects

o Life OS – full stack application to manage habits, goals, to-do lists, gym workouts and journals, all in one place. Built with Next.js connected to a Supabase database. Displays charts for progress, streaks and previous achievements.
o Travel Buddy - travel planning app built with Vite, React, Tailwind, and TypeScript. Focus on integrating multiple APIs, reusable components and responsive UI.
o Portfolio website – uniquely designed portfolio built with React, Tailwind and TypeScript. Code editor inspired side menu and fully responsive and accessible.

Data analyst - Credit Benchmark, London

SEP 2018 – JAN 2020

o Wrote SQL queries and R scripts for internal reporting and external client analysis.
o Led bespoke data investigations - ensuring a high degree of data quality.
o Maintained and created many excel spreadsheets (v-lookups, pivot tables etc.) to be used for meetings and further analysis.
o Worked closely with Research, Product and Development teams to help fix bugs and look at ways to improve.

Volunteer English Teacher - Trishuli Rafting, Nepal

NOV 2017 – JAN 2018

o Taught English to multiple ability groups, ensuring strong progress across all learners, including children with no prior formal education.
o Delivered tailored functional English lessons to rafting guides, helping them improve job-specific communication skills.

Education

Accounting & Finance BSC - Swansea University, Wales

SEP 2013 – AUG 2016

o Completed modules in Management Accounting, Financial Accounting, Investment Banking, Entrepreneurship, SAGE and graduated with a 58.47% average.

TEFL, Saint George International, London

AUG 2017 – SEPT 2017

o Qualified to teach English as a second language after completing an intensive 1 month in-person course.
o Received excellent feedback and made life-long friends. Developed the ability to talk in front of many people at once.

Ashmole School, Southgate, London

o A-levels in Maths, Biology and Economics.

* References available upon request