

# Stephen Gbolagade

## PROFILE

Experienced Frontend Engineer with +4 years of experience in web development using React.js, Next.js, TypeScript, GraphQL and CSS frameworks. Proven in team leadership, architecture decisions, pixel-perfect UI delivery, and backend integration. Passionate about crafting user-friendly web experiences.

## RECENT WORK EXPERIENCE

### Frontend Engineer, HOMESILO

Apr 2021 – Present Nigeria

- Led a team of 6 to build a successful Startup MVP, resulting in 50+ initial waitlist sign-ups within the first month.
- Played a key role in product architecture and decision-making.
- Contributed to major features:
  - Achieved pixel-perfect UI implementations.
  - Created usable components and hooks.
  - Connected frontend to backend services via GraphQL and REST.
  - Integrated payment gateways.
  - Implemented WebSocket chat functionality.

### Web Developer, AG CONSULTING & MEDIA, Inc.

Sept 2021 – Jun 2022 USA, Remote

- Redesigned the agency's website using WordPress, resulting in a significant increase in conversion rates compared to the previous version.
- Managed and maintained the website while concurrently building custom landing pages for event campaigns and live streams.
- Assisted the founder in talent outsourcing.
- Converted UI designs into responsive websites.

### Web Developer, INTODOORS, LLC

Sept 2019 – Jan 2021 USA, Remote

- Built, deployed, and maintained custom web pages using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript.
- Worked on the primary real estate web application using WordPress, HTML, and CSS.
- Integrated payment gateways and MLS/IDX for property listings.
- Managed and maintained the entire suite of marketing tools, including Yoast SEO, Google Search Console, Analytics, and Google Business.

## OTHER EXPERIENCE

### Freelance, FIVERR

Dec 2016 – Aug 2021

- Successfully completed over 70 projects in web development, SEO, and Digital Marketing
- Got 68 five-star ratings.

### Frontend Developer, OPENWAVER

Apr 2023 – May 2023

- Developed and delivered the web3 startup's website using Nextjs, Material UI and Tailwind.
- Integrated native blogging system using SANITY CMS and Groaq API.

## CONTACT

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- JavaScript (ES6+)
- TypeScript
- React.js (with Next.js)
- Vue.js
- HTML & CSS
- GraphQL
- Tailwind CSS
- Bootstrap
- Material UI
- Styled Components
- Bulma

### Additional Skills

- SEO
- Content Writing
- WordPress
- Shopify
- WIX

### Tools and services

- Firebase
- Vercel, Netlify, Render

## SOFT SKILLS

- Problem Solving
- Communication
- Teamwork
- Analytical Skills
- Adaptability
- Creativity
- Time Management

## EDUCATION

### Obafemi Awolowo University, Ile-Ife

BSc in Applied Geophysics.