

# Daniel Marinelarena

## Full Stack Software Developer (Next.js / MERN)

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## About Me

Full Stack Software Developer with hands-on experience building and deploying production-ready web applications using React, Next.js, Node.js, Express, and MongoDB.

Proven ability to deliver responsive, user-focused solutions including e-commerce platforms, admin dashboards, and Stripe payment integrations. Strong collaborator with a blue-collar work ethic and a bias toward shipping real features.

## TECH STACK

**Frontend:** React, Next.js, JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript, HTML5, CSS3, TailwindCSS

**Backend:** Node.js, Express, MongoDB, REST APIs, Authentication

**Tools & Platforms:** Git, GitHub, Netlify, Render, Stripe, Appwrite, Vercel

**Other:** Responsive Design, API Integration, CRUD Applications, Deployment

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## Experience

## Full Stack Developer - (Client Projects)

Self Employed, Remote | 2023- 2025

- Designed and developed full-stack web applications using the MERN stack and Next.js, delivering responsive, mobile-first user experiences.
- Implemented Stripe payment processing, including checkout flows and secure transaction handling, for e-commerce functionality. As well as an admin dashboards enabling business owners to manage products, pricing, and content without developer intervention.
- Refactored and enhanced existing applications with TypeScript and Tailwind CSS, improving maintainability, performance, and UI consistency.
- Deployed applications to Netlify, Render and Vercel, managing environment variables, build pipelines, and production configurations.

## Front-End / Full Stack Developer

100Devs, Remote, CA | 2022 - 2025

- Built and deployed multiple full-stack applications including a barbershop booking platform and an e-commerce site using React, Node.js, Express, and MongoDB.
- Implemented authentication, RESTful APIs, and database relationships to support real-world business logic.
- Collaborated in a remote, team-based learning environment emphasizing industry best practices, code reviews, and production-ready standards.

## Bartender / Barback

Event Aces, Los Angeles, CA | 2021 - 2025

- Managed and worked in high-pressure, fast-paced environments serving 100+ customers per shift, developing strong communication, time management, and reliability.
- Trusted with inventory management, logistics, and end-of-event operations — experience directly transferable to production ownership in engineering teams.

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## Projects

### **E-Commerce Platform (Next.js / Stripe / MongoDB)**

- Developed a full-stack e-commerce application with product listings, cart functionality, Stripe payments, and admin controls.
- Implemented responsive UI using Tailwind CSS and optimized performance with Next.js,
- Visit my most recent website I built for a commission - (Not test mode for stripe) <https://www.thehiddengiftstore.com>

### **Barbershop Booking App (React / Node / MongoDB)**

- Built an appointment booking system with user authentication, service selection and stripe functionality

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## Education

### **Software Development Certificate**

Springboard · Jan 2025 - July 2025

-Covering key aspects of front-end & back-end development, algorithms, databases and data structures.

### **Full Stack Bootcamp**

100Devs · Nov 2023 - Nov 2024

-Completed 55-class curriculum via live and recorded sessions on YouTube, covering beginner-to-advanced full-stack development with HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Node.js, Express, MongoDB, and real-world projects.