

AUSTIN MULA

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Experienced Software Engineer & Frontend Developer with a strong background in building scalable, high-quality web and mobile applications across diverse domains, including fintech, ERP systems, company websites, and the creative industry. Proficient in JavaScript frameworks such as Next.js, React.js, Express.js, and React Native, with expertise in designing intuitive UI components, implementing efficient data management strategies, and ensuring seamless API integrations to support business processes.

Passionate about performance optimization, accessibility, and scalability, I thrive on solving complex operational challenges using cutting-edge technologies. With a global perspective, I excel in collaborative, fast-paced environments, delivering clean, maintainable code that enhances user experience and drives business growth.

STRENGTHS AND EXPERTISE

Technical Skills

- Frontend Technologies:** React.js, Vue.js, React Native, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Sass
- Frameworks & Libraries:** Next.js, Nuxt.js, Redux, Context API, Framer Motion, GSAP, animate.css
- Mobile Development:** React Native (iOS & Android), Expo
- Backend & APIs:** RESTful APIs, Laravel, PHP
- UI/UX & Design Integration:** Responsive Design, Cross-Browser Compatibility, Pixel-Perfect UI, Figma to Code

Soft Skills

- Problem Solving & Critical Thinking
- Team Collaboration & Communication
- Fast Learner & Self-Motivated
- Adaptability in Fast-Paced Environments
- Attention to Detail
- Servant Leadership & Mentorship Readiness

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Nathan Digital

January 2024- Present

Mid-Senior Web Developer

- Developed and maintained 15+ high-performance web applications using modern JavaScript frameworks such as Next.js and Nuxt.js, optimizing speed and enhancing user experience across platforms.
- Reduced page load times by 25% through strategic image compression, script optimization, and asset minimization, improving overall performance and SEO.
- Collaborated with UI/UX designers to translate wireframes into interactive interfaces, integrating smooth animations and transitions using Framer Motion, GSAP, and animate.css to boost user engagement.
- Implemented responsive design principles to ensure consistent user experience across mobile, tablet, and desktop devices.
- Built reusable UI components and features, managing complex states with Redux and Context API, resulting in dynamic and data-driven interfaces.
- Integrated secure RESTful APIs, enabling efficient frontend-backend communication while safeguarding user data and supporting seamless business workflows.
- Led SEO strategy efforts, increasing website traffic by 35% through optimization techniques and targeted content enhancements.
- Led frontend performance optimization efforts, including image compression, script minimization, and asset lazy loading, resulting in notable speed and UX improvements.

Senior Software Engineer

- Collaborated with senior engineers to develop and maintain cross-platform applications using Vue.js, React.js, and React Native for both iOS and Android, ensuring consistent and scalable architecture.
- Implemented new UI features and optimized frontend code to enhance responsiveness, reduce rendering time, and deliver a seamless mobile experience.
- Worked closely with designers to translate UI/UX concepts into interactive interfaces, ensuring visual consistency and intuitive user flow across platforms.
- Integrated RESTful APIs in collaboration with back-end teams using Laravel and PHP, enabling real-time data updates and dynamic content rendering.
- Executed performance tuning and debugging, resolving bottlenecks and ensuring smooth app behavior across various screen sizes and operating systems.
- Conducted functional and UI testing on mobile platforms to ensure cross-device compatibility, responsiveness, and accessibility.
- Managed codebase using Git, participating in version control workflows, pull requests, and code reviews to maintain clean, modular, and maintainable code.

Jenzabar, USIU**May 2022 - December 2022****Junior Frontend Developer**

- Assisted in the development of user-facing web components using React, ensuring responsive layouts and clean UI across devices.
- Translated Figma and design mockups into pixel-perfect interfaces using HTML5 and CSS3, maintaining brand consistency and accessibility.
- Wrote reusable, modular JavaScript code to support dynamic functionality such as dropdowns, sliders, and form validations.
- Collaborated with senior developers in debugging and troubleshooting UI issues, learning to identify performance bottlenecks and browser inconsistencies.
- Integrated frontend components with APIs, enabling smooth data flow and enhancing interactivity across pages.
- Gained hands-on experience with React Hooks and component lifecycle methods, contributing to feature enhancements and refactors.
- Participated in daily stand-ups, code reviews, and version control practices using Git, enhancing team collaboration and workflow efficiency.

EDUCATION**United States International University - Africa, Nairobi, Kenya****January 2019 - September 2022**

BSc. Applied Computer Technology (3.65/5 - Cumulative GPA)

REFEREES

References are available on request.