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Freelance Senior Frontend Engineer

React & Next.js Architecture | TypeScript

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Profile

Freelance Senior Frontend Engineer (12+ Yrs) acting as a technical consultant for complex, enterprise-grade web applications. My core expertise lies in architecting scalable and highly performant frontend solutions within the React and Next.js ecosystems (TypeScript, Tailwind CSS v4). Operating fully remotely, I seamlessly integrate into Agile teams to deliver maintainable UI architectures, optimize Core Web Vitals (Lighthouse 100), and accelerate project timelines for demanding clients.

Core Skills

Frontend Core	React.js, Next.js, TypeScript , JavaScript (ES6+), HTML5, CSS3
Architecture & UI	Tailwind CSS v4 , Storybook, Design Systems, SASS, Scalable UI
State & Data	Zustand, Redux Toolkit, TanStack Query (React Query)
Mobile	Ionic, Capacitor, Flutter (Prototype), Native Android (Java)
BaaS & DevOps	Git, CI/CD , Supabase, Appwrite, Dokploy, Docker, Vercel
Testing	Jest, React Testing Library, Cypress

Experience

Mar 2026 – Present **Freelance Senior Frontend Engineer, B2B & IT Consulting**, Rome, Italy (Remote)
Acting as a technical consultant and lead developer for complex frontend architectures.

- Architecting scalable frontend solutions using **React, Next.js**, and **TypeScript** for diverse client projects.
- Integrating seamlessly into Agile teams to deliver maintainable, enterprise-grade codebases.
- Optimizing legacy codebases to achieve perfect Core Web Vitals and Lighthouse 100 metrics.
- *Stack: Next.js, React, TypeScript, Tailwind CSS v4, Zustand, Redux, TanStack Query, Git, CI/CD.*

Nov 2023 – Nov 2025 **Co-Founder & Lead Frontend Engineer, Laika Developments LTD**, London, UK (Remote)

- Operating as the primary hands-on developer, building the product from zero to production.
- Personally architected and coded a scalable, multi-tenant SaaS platform using **Next.js 14**, **TypeScript**, and **Supabase**.
 - Wrote **90% of the frontend codebase**, translating complex designs into highly performant, responsive interfaces while managing state with **Zustand**.
 - Managed the full CI/CD pipeline (Dokploy/Docker) and technical decision-making, while remaining an Individual Contributor.
 - *Stack: Next.js 14, React, TypeScript, Zustand, TanStack Query, Tailwind CSS, Supabase.*

Feb 2020 – Oct 2023 **Senior Software Engineer, Los Angeles LTD**, London, UK

- Developing critical, high-traffic user-facing applications for a leading retail platform.
- Played a lead role in designing new features for the main e-commerce site using **React.js** and **Next.js**.
 - Championed the adoption of **Tailwind CSS** and built a comprehensive **Design System** in Storybook, increasing team velocity by 30%.
 - Managed complex global state using **Zustand** and TanStack Query (React Query).
 - *Stack: React.js, Next.js, TypeScript, Zustand, Tailwind CSS, Storybook.*

- Dec 2018 – Jan 2020 **Senior Digital Engineer, Bauer Media Group, London, UK**
Architecting platforms for major media brands including **Heat, Grazia, Empire, and Absolute Radio**.
- Introduced and led the hands-on development of a new editorial platform using **Next.js**, significantly improving **Core Web Vitals** and SEO.
 - Architected a shared component library in React to unify UI/UX across multiple brands.
 - Managed complex application state using Redux Toolkit for predictable data flow.
 - *Stack: React.js, Next.js, TypeScript, Redux, SASS, AWS.*
- Feb 2018 – Nov 2018 **Software Engineer, STEM (formerly Kano Computing), London, UK**
Creating digital experiences for innovative build-your-own computer kits.
- Developed features for **Kano World**, an educational social platform for children, utilizing **Polymer** and Web Components.
 - Proactively prototyped a new mobile application using **Flutter** (early adoption).
 - Collaborated on the Kano App to implement interactive coding challenges.
 - *Stack: Polymer, Web Components, JavaScript, CSS3, Flutter (Prototype).*
- Jan 2016 – Jan 2018 **Software Engineer (Lead Developer), HUD Agency, Latina, Italy**
Joined as the sole technical lead during the agency's founding phase.
- Led the complete **UI/UX redesign** and frontend modernization of the **Rapidoo** ecosystem (website & CRM).
 - Built the corporate website and a dedicated mobile app for **ACM Plastic** (packaging supplier for brands like **Haribo**) for the Düsseldorf trade fair.
 - Delivered digital solutions for industrial leaders like **Giaguaro Edilizia** and **TSEnergy**.
 - *Stack: React.js, Ionic (Mobile), JavaScript, PHP, MySQL.*
- Sep 2014 – Jan 2016 **Software Engineer, Teknè Consulting Srl (Unit Group), Latina, Italy**
Tenure includes transfer to parent company Unit Group.
- Contributed to the core development of the Rapidoo CRM platform using **Angular**.
 - Developed native mobile applications using **Android (Java)**.
 - Developed custom internal management modules (gestionali) to improve workflows.
 - *Stack: PHP, Angular, Android (Java), JavaScript, jQuery, MySQL.*

Education

- 2015 – 2016 **Degree in Computer Science, University of Rome "La Sapienza", Rome**
Faculty of Computer Science
- 2009 – 2015 **High School Diploma, G. Marconi, Latina**

Languages

- Italian Native
- English Professional Working Proficiency
- Spanish Intermediate