SAMUEL AJANAKU

Frontend Developer | Software Engineer

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Frontend-focused Software Engineer with 8+ years of experience building responsive, accessible, and SEO-optimized websites and web applications. Proficient in React, Vue.js, Next.js, TypeScript, and modern JavaScript, with additional backend experience in Laravel, PHP, and WordPress. Proven track record delivering client-facing platforms, e-commerce solutions, and custom builds across healthcare, education, NGO, and public-sector projects. Strong remote-collaboration background, with a consistent focus on performance, accessibility (WCAG), and clean, maintainable code.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript (ES6+), TypeScript, PHP, Python
Frameworks & Libraries: React.js, Vue.js, Next.js, Tailwind CSS, Laravel
Build Tools & Version Control: Vite, Git, GitHub
CMS & E-Commerce: WordPress, WooCommerce, Shopify, Elementor, Divi
APIs & Integrations: REST APIs, Stripe, PayPal, Third-Party API Integration
Practices: Responsive Design, Accessibility (WCAG), SEO, Cross-Browser Compatibility, Web Performance Optimization
Tools: Figma, Slack, Basecamp, VS Code

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Web Developer
2026 – Present

NaijaWetinDey — Remote

- Contribute to ongoing development of a Nigeria-focused local discovery platform covering businesses, events, deals, and emergency services.
- Maintain and optimize the website with regular updates, bug fixes, and performance improvements.
- Provide ongoing technical support to ensure consistent uptime and a smooth experience for a mobile-first user base.

Web Developer
2025 – 2026

Candlelight Foundation for Children with Special Needs — Lagos, Nigeria (Remote)

- Rebuilt the organization's existing website from the ground up, delivering a visually appealing, modern, and professional design aligned with the NGO's mission and brand.
- Designed and developed a full webinar management system supporting registration, scheduling, and live session management.
- Implemented accessibility-first (WCAG) standards throughout the site to ensure inclusivity for users of all abilities.
- Manage ongoing website operations, perform regular updates, and provide technical support to ensure consistent uptime and performance.

Software Engineer Intern
Aug 2024 – Oct 2024

Brainy Codes Global Technologies — Remote

- Built an interactive WordPress-based contest platform with CSS animations and real-time responsive behavior.
- Collaborated closely with UI/UX designers to implement pixel-accurate layouts and ensure cross-browser compatibility.
- Contributed to QA testing and performance optimization prior to launch.

Social Media Manager (Remote)
Oct 2023 – May 2024

CAC Testifier — Houston, Texas (Remote)

- Produced multimedia web content and coordinated website updates aligned with digital campaign strategy.
- Ensured media campaigns and landing pages delivered a consistent, optimized user experience.

ICT Instructor
Mar 2023 – Apr 2024

Second Home College — Ibadan, Nigeria

- Taught a modern web development curriculum covering WordPress, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, and SEO fundamentals.
- Developed and deployed responsive demo sites optimized for performance and accessibility to support student learning.

- Emphasized code reusability, clean architecture, and industry best practices across all training modules.

Web Developer / Instructor Sept 2017 – Oct 2019

Intra Metropolitan Technology — Lagos, Nigeria

- Designed and customized WordPress websites using Divi and Elementor, with a consistent focus on responsive UX, accessibility, and on-page SEO.
- Delivered hands-on training to junior developers on web standards, cross-browser compatibility, and performance best practices.
- Liaised with clients to translate business requirements into clean, scalable web solutions, managing projects from brief to launch.
- Built and maintained custom PHP components and WordPress plugins to extend CMS functionality for client needs.

KEY PROJECTS

LSPSC — Lagos State Public Service Club — lspsc.com.ng

- Developed a full-featured WordPress-powered membership platform for Lagos State public servants.
- Integrated a secure admin dashboard, member login system, advanced search filters, and a payment gateway for dues and transactions.
- Implemented responsive, accessible UI with strong SEO optimization and fast load speeds.

Clive Limited — Corporate Conglomerate Website — cliveplanet.com

- Built a multi-section corporate website for a diversified conglomerate spanning Food, Energy, Logistics, Technology, and Human Development divisions.
- Implemented a structured CMS architecture supporting ongoing content management across multiple business verticals.
- Delivered a responsive, performance-optimized design with SEO best practices and cross-browser support.

Candlelight Foundation — NGO Website (Rebuilt) — candlelightspecialneeds.org

- Completely rebuilt the foundation's existing website with a modern, visually compelling design representing the NGO's mission of supporting children with Autism, ADHD, and Dyslexia.
- Developed a custom webinar system enabling the foundation to host, manage, and promote webinar programs, including registration, scheduling, and session management.
- Implemented WCAG accessibility standards throughout, ensuring all users can navigate and engage with the site.

NaijaWetinDey — Local Discovery Platform — naijawetindey.com

- Developed the web presence for a Nigeria-focused local discovery app covering businesses, events, deals, and emergency services.
- Built responsive landing pages with app-download CTAs, user sign-in flow, and event listings.
- Applied performance optimization and mobile-first design for a predominantly mobile Nigerian user base.

Remedy Hospital Website — remedyhospital.com.ng

- Built a custom WordPress site for a hospital, integrating external APIs for patient registration and doctor appointment booking.
- Applied SEO best practices and optimized Core Web Vitals / Lighthouse performance metrics across all pages.

EDUCATION

B.Sc. Computer Science

Joseph Ayo Babalola University — Ikeji-Arakeji, Nigeria | 2016 – 2022

CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Web Developer — 2017
- Microsoft Learn: AI Skills — 2023
- Jobberman Soft Skills — 2023
- Python Programming, New Horizon — 2024
- English for STEM, U.S.A. — 2024
- Software Engineering, LSETF/USADF Honey Treat Academy — 2025