

John JAMES' CV

WEBSITE DESIGNER/DEVELOPER

Freelance Website Designer/Developer passionate about creating unique browsing experiences via minimalist and responsive websites, over the past 4 years. Currently looking for exciting openings where I can showcase my expertise whilst improving my personal skills and contributing to company growth.

WORK EXPERIENCE

1. Freelance Website Designer/Developer & WordPress Developer

August 2015 – Present

- Working on a range of web projects and being actively involved in all processes from start to finish.
- Utilizing languages & technologies like HTML, CSS, JavaScript, WordPress to build static websites & dynamic websites including blogs, landing pages, corporate websites and ecommerce websites.
- Conducting research to create website content and importing already existing content.
- Purchasing domain names/website hosting services for various clients.
- Managing domains, files, SSL certificates, email accounts and more processes in cPanel.
- Customizing free & premium WordPress themes and also creating custom themes from scratch.
- Making layout and design tweaks to already existing websites, both static & dynamic.
- Debugging common web development errors and creating/restoring website backups.
- Improving website responsiveness and cross-browser compatibility.
- Boosting website search rankings via SEO and providing web analytics reports.
- Setting up a business named "JORP DESIGNS" to source for and interact with new & existing clients.
- Meeting with said clients to understand their website needs and converting them into deliverables.
- Collaborating with various marketing leads and company executives to create user-friendly content and targeted specific audiences to increase website traffic and promote company brands.

2. EXPOSURE NINJA, NOTTINGHAM, UK.

June 2019 – Present

Remote WordPress Developer

- Working remotely with a team of designers & developers to create websites for company clients.
- Converting PSD/PNG files and other wireframes to fully functional WordPress websites.
- Utilizing tools like Figma, Slack, Hubstaff Time Tracker, Teamwork Projects & more in daily workflow.
- Attending and participating in webinars to improve personal and team development skills.

3. THE DORCAS CANCER FOUNDATION, LAGOS, NIGERIA.

Nov. 2017 – Present

Website Designer/Developer & Administrator

- Designing and building the organization's website.
- Updating and maintaining the organization's website & email accounts.

4. LAGOS JAZZ SERIES, LAGOS, NIGERIA.

Oct. 2017 – Nov. 2018

Website Designer/Developer & IT Support

- Maintained the company websites and managed workspace email accounts.
- Collated and organized client information in a database.
- Configured and maintained network-connected devices and softwares.
- Researched on designated topics and presented finished reports.
- Ran several email campaigns with Mailchimp to promote company events.
- Ran several social media advertising campaigns to promote company events.
- Worked part-time as company accountant and managed financial records.

5. CRYSTAL CRUMBS LTD., LAGOS, NIGERIA.

July 2015 – May 2018

Contract Web Designer/Web Developer

- Designed websites for company clients.
- Offered maintenance and consultancy services from time to time.

6. ACCESS SOLUTIONS LTD., ABUJA, NIGERIA.

Jan 2014 – July 2014

Web Design & UI Intern

- Created various user interfaces for online bill payment kiosks.
- Designed an online bookstore for selling old school books.
- Provided IT support for Office Word and other programs.
- Was appointed IT department secretary and took meeting minutes.

EDUCATION: DEGREES

COVENANT UNIVERSITY, NIGERIA.

July 2015

B. Eng Information and Communication Engineering

Modules offered include: Applied Computer Programming, Software Development Techniques, Internet Technology, Website Development and Programming.

EDUCATION: CERTIFICATIONS

Udacity.com

July 2018

- Front-End Web Developer

GIIT, Lagos, Nigeria

March 2017

- Certified Web Developer (GCWD)
- Certified Web Professional (GCWP)

CREATIVE AND TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Website Coding Skills including **HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, Flexbox, CSS Grid, JavaScript & jQuery.**
- Working knowledge of Backend Development languages including **PHP & MySQL.**
- Content Management Systems including **WordPress.** Able to customize premium WordPress themes, create themes from scratch, create and display custom post types using Toolset & ACF plugins, create eCommerce sites using **WooCommerce**, write functions, customize plugins and troubleshoot common errors.
- Digital Marketing Skills including **SEO, Email Marketing, Social Media Advertising** and **Content Development.**
- Team, Management & Communication Software Skills including **Figma, Zeplin, Teamwork Projects, Hubstaff Time Tracker, Slack, Skype** and **LastPass.**
- Website Management Skills including **cPanel, Google Search Console, Google Analytics, Google reCaptcha** and **WordPress Security.**
- Microsoft Office Skills including **Word.**

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