

# John JAMES' CV

## WEBSITE DESIGNER / DEVELOPER

Website Designer / Developer passionate about creating unique browsing experiences via minimalist and responsive websites. Specializing in WordPress themes / plugin development and WooCommerce integrations over the past 5 years. Currently looking for exciting opportunities where I can showcase my expertise whilst improving my skillset and contributing to company growth.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### 1. AUTOMATTIC, SAN FRANCISCO, USA.

*Oct. 2021 – Present*

#### Happiness Engineer

*Lagos, Nigeria • Full-time*

Duties:

- Supporting customers of WordPress.com via Live Chat and tickets.

### 2. EXPOSURE NINJA, NOTTINGHAM, UK.

*June 2019 – Sept. 2021*

#### WordPress Developer

*Lagos, Nigeria • Full-time*

Duties:

- Working remotely with a team of designers & developers to create websites for company clients.
- Converting design mockups and wireframes to fully functional WordPress websites.
- Fixing broken sites, adding new functionalities and performing other maintenance-related tasks.

### 3. JORP DESIGNS, LAGOS, NIGERIA.

*August 2015 – Sept. 2021*

#### Freelance Website Designer / Developer

*Lagos, Nigeria • Self-employed*

Duties:

- 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.
- 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.

#### **4. LAGOS JAZZ SERIES, LAGOS, NIGERIA.**

*Oct. 2017 – Nov. 2018*

##### **Website Designer / Developer & IT Support**

*Lagos, Nigeria • Full-time*

Duties:

- Maintained company websites and managed workspace email accounts.
- Collated and organized client information in database.
- Configured and maintained network-connected devices and softwares.
- Conducted research on designated topics and presented reports.
- Ran several email campaigns with Mailchimp to promote company events.
- Ran several social media advertising campaigns to promote company events.

#### **5. CRYSTAL CRUMBS LTD., LAGOS, NIGERIA.**

*July 2015 – Sept. 2017*

##### **Web Designer / Web Developer**

*Lagos, Nigeria • Contract*

Duties:

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

#### **6. ACCESS SOLUTIONS LTD., ABUJA, NIGERIA.**

*Jan 2014 – July 2014*

##### **Web Design & UI Intern**

*Abuja, Nigeria • Internship*

Duties:

- Created various user interfaces for online bill payment kiosks.
- Designed an online bookstore for selling old schoolbooks.

- 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**

**British Computer Society**

*March 2021*

- Certificate in IT

**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, JavaScript**.
- 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 ACF plugins, create and customize eCommerce sites using **WooCommerce**, integrate plugins, create functions / custom-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, Basecamp, Teamwork Projects, Hubstaff Time Tracker, Slack, Skype** and **LastPass**.
- Website Management Skills including **cPanel, Google Search Console, Google Analytics, Google reCaptcha** and **WordPress Security**.

## **CONNECT**

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