

# JAMES, John Oluwadamilola

Website Designer / Developer

Website Designer / Developer passionate about creating unique browsing experiences, via minimalist and responsive websites. Specializing in WordPress (including custom development and WooCommerce integrations) for over 5 years. Currently looking for exciting opportunities where I can showcase my expertise, while improving my skill set and contributing to company growth.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Happiness Engineer

*Oct. 2021 – Present*

Automattic, San Francisco, USA

*Remote • Full-time*

- Supporting customers of WordPress.com via Live Chat and tickets.
- Troubleshooting Content Management, Website Hosting, Domains and Email Hosting issues.

### WordPress Developer

*June 2019 – Sept. 2021*

Exposure Ninja, Nottingham, UK

*Remote • Full-time*

- Worked remotely with a team of designers & developers to create websites for company clients.
- Converted design mockups and wireframes to fully functional WordPress websites.
- Resolved website issues, added new functionalities and performed maintenance tasks.

### Freelance Website Designer / Developer

*August 2015 – Sept. 2021*

Jorp Designs, Lagos, Nigeria

*Self-employed*

- Worked on a range of projects and was actively involved in all processes from start to finish.
- Utilized languages & technologies like HTML, CSS, JavaScript and WordPress to build static websites & dynamic websites; including blogs, landing pages, corporate websites and ecommerce websites.
- Conducted research to create website content and imported already existing content.
- Purchased domain names / website hosting services for various clients.
- Managed domains, files, SSL certificates, email accounts and more processes in cPanel.
- Debugged common web development errors and created / restored website backups.

- Improved website responsiveness and cross-browser compatibility.
- Boosted website search rankings via SEO and provided web analytics reports.
- Set up a business named “JORP DESIGNS” to source for and interact with new & existing clients.
- Met with said clients to understand their website needs and converted them into deliverables.
- Collaborated with various marketing leads and company executives to create user-friendly content and targeted specific audiences to increase website traffic and promote company brands.

**Website Designer / Developer & IT Support**

*Oct. 2017 – Nov. 2018*

Lagos Jazz Series, Lagos, Nigeria

*Full-time*

- Maintained company websites and managed workspace email accounts.
- Collated and organized client information in a database.
- Configured and maintained network-connected devices and softwares.
- Conducted research on designated topics and presented reports.
- Ran Social Media advertising and email marketing campaigns to promote company events.

**Website Designer / Developer**

*July 2015 – Sept. 2017*

Crystal Crumbs Ltd., Lagos, Nigeria

*Contract*

- Built and maintained websites for clients.
- Offered consultancy services.

**Website Design & UI Intern**

*Jan 2014 – July 2014*

Access Solutions Ltd., Abuja, Nigeria

*Internship*

- Created user interfaces for online bill payment kiosks.
- Provided IT support for Microsoft Word and other programs.

**EDUCATION**

**BCS Level 4 Certificate in IT**

*November 2020*

British Computer Society, United Kingdom

## **Bachelor of Engineering in Information and Communication Engineering**

*July 2015*

Covenant University, Nigeria

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

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

### **Google Africa Scholarship Front End Course**

*August 2018*

Andela Learning Community

### **Certified Web Developer (GCWD) and Certified Web Professional (GCWP)**

*March 2017*

GIIT, Lagos, Nigeria

## **CREATIVE AND TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Website coding languages and libraries skills; including **HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery** and **PHP**.
- Working knowledge of Database Management languages; including **MySQL**.
- Content Management Systems skills; including **WordPress**. Able to customize and create WordPress themes and plugins, create and display custom post types, set up eCommerce sites using **WooCommerce** and troubleshoot issues.
- 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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