

Max Zavatyi

Software Engineer - Senior React (5+ years exp)
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About me

Experienced Front-End Engineer with 5 years of experience building web apps, admin panels, and websites using various technologies. Strong focus on React and its ecosystem. Led front-end development for multiple products and worked extensively with CMS systems, payment solutions, and third-party integrations. Also skilled in server-side development, middleware, and plugins, with familiarity in the basics of React Native.

Languages: English, Romanian, Ukranian, Russian

Work Experience

Senior React Engineer at [Engenious](#) Nov 2024 - Present

- Led the implementation of subscriptions and payments on two MVP projects using React and TypeScript, integrating Stripe and a custom back-end API for secure payments and recurring billing. Reduced payment fees by 35% by transitioning payments to the web.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams, including front-end, mobile, and back-end engineers, to drive brainstorming sessions, develop impactful demos, and consistently deliver high-quality results within sprint and project deadlines.
- Prototyped an AI solution with OpenAI API to deliver custom reports tailored to user and business needs, enhancing decision-making capabilities.

Middle Front-end Engineer at [Engenious](#) May 2023 - Oct 2024 · 1 yr 6 mos

- Designed and implemented mobile-specific web view functionality using Next.js to optimize user experience and performance for mobile devices, including seamless cross-platform login support by writing custom middleware in Next.js.
- Set up and created content models for a Headless CMS in pair with Next.js, optimizing content management processes and enabling efficient updates for the platform's dynamic content.
- Developed robust user profile management features and an admin panel, enabling users to manage subscriptions, update settings, and personalize their experience.

Middle Software Engineer at [Arounda](#) Feb 2022 - Mar 2023 · 1 yr 2 mos

- Led front-end development for a client's FinTech product, refactoring the core web app with modern React to enhance performance, improve user experience, and implement new features. These changes resulted in positive user feedback on Trustpilot, with a 4.5-star rating.
- Enhanced Headless CMS functionality to meet business needs by developing a custom server plugin using Node.js for automated data processing and storage, achieving approximately a 40% improvement in front-end performance and loading speed.
- Contributed to a large-scale, complex CMS system by integrating multiple APIs, developing forms, tables, filters, and widgets, and implementing real-time previews of CRM updates.

Junior Front-end Developer at Arounda Nov 2020 - Feb 2022 · 1 yr 4 mos

- Built high-performance, content-rich websites using Next.js and Scss, leveraging SSR, SSG, and ISR to optimize speed and user experience.
- Worked with design teams to create pixel-perfect, custom styles that aligned with visual aesthetics.
- Optimized websites for performance, integrated Google Analytics, and implemented SEO strategies, boosting search rankings and lead generation.

Skills

Core Technologies

- JavaScript, TypeScript
- React (Hooks, Router, Query, Context)
- React Native (Fundamentals)
- State Management (Redux, Saga, Zustand)
- CSS (Scss, Styled Components)
- Next.js (SSR, SSG, ISR), Remix
- Headless CMS (Contentful, Strapi)
- REST API (Swagger, Postman)
- Git (Gitflow Workflow), GitHub, Bitbucket
- Build Tools (Vite, Webpack)
- Jenkins CI/CD

General

- Project Architecture & Design
- Team & cross-team communication.
- Agile & Scrum Workflows
- Research, mentoring, & documentation.

Projects

GoChamp

Built the front end from scratch with React.js, integrating a custom API and Stripe. Developed onboarding with BMI calculations, custom authorization, payments, subscriptions, user profiles, custom styles, and Google Analytics, enhancing user experience and platform functionality.

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University Platform

Collaborated with front-end and back-end developers to implement Stripe payments, subscription management, and dashboard optimizations. Architected and integrated a headless CMS Strapi to improve content management.

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