Maher Almashharawi

Senior Frontend Engineer | React | Next.js | TypeScript | Frontend Architecture | Performance Optimization

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Senior Frontend Engineer with 5+ years of experience building scalable, high-performance web applications with React.js, Next.js and TypeScript across SaaS, e-commerce, booking and high-traffic products. Improved application performance from approximately 55% to 95%+ on Lighthouse, built a FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022 ticket-booking experience supporting approximately $20,000 in revenue per match event, and advocated Next.js as the foundation of a multi-store SaaS platform. Experienced in frontend architecture, reusable component systems, state management, REST API integration, accessibility, testing and production reliability, working closely with product, design, backend and engineering teams.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming & Web: TypeScript, JavaScript (ES6+), HTML5, CSS3, Sass

Frontend Frameworks & Libraries: React.js, Next.js, Material UI, Tailwind CSS, Redux Toolkit, Zustand, Bootstrap, jQuery

Frontend Architecture: Component-Based Architecture, Reusable UI Systems, State Management, REST API Integration, Microservices-Based Applications, Technical Trade-off Evaluation

Testing & Quality: React Testing Library (RTL), Integration Testing, End-to-End Testing, Manual Testing, Code Review, Debugging

Performance & Production Reliability: Core Web Vitals, Lighthouse, Code Splitting, Lazy Loading, Caching Strategies, Asset Optimization, API Performance Validation, Application/Server Log Review, Error Diagnostics, Production Health Checks

Web Quality: Responsive Design, Cross-Browser Compatibility, Accessibility (WCAG), SEO, Progressive Web App (PWA) Practices

Engineering Practices: Clean Code, SOLID Principles, Agile, Scrum, Object-Oriented Programming (OOP)

Tools & Platforms: Git, GitHub, npm, Firebase, Sanity.io, Figma, Adobe XD

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Career Break **Oct 2025 - Present**

Career break due to the war in Gaza. Available to start immediately.

Senior Frontend Developer - Konin Cloud **May 2023 - Sep 2025**

Full-time | Remote

Tech: React.js, Next.js, TypeScript, Material UI, HTML, Sass, JavaScript

- Contributed to the development of a SaaS platform (KoninPay) supporting merchant and store creation, platform operations, payment workflows and a dedicated digital wallet.
- Influenced frontend architectural direction by advocating for Next.js over the initially proposed HTML, Sass and Blade-based approach, focusing on scalability, maintainability, development efficiency and long-term product evolution.
- Prepared a technical comparison of both implementation approaches, documenting architectural differences, advantages, trade-offs and maintainability considerations to support the team's technology decision.
- Built reusable, responsive UI components from Figma designs and integrated REST APIs with structured loading and error states, accessibility considerations and cross-browser compatibility.
- Performed frontend testing using React Testing Library, integration testing, end-to-end testing and manual validation across critical user flows, UI behavior, API interactions and release readiness.
- Supported production reliability by reviewing API request/response behavior, response performance, application/server logs and error information, while optimizing data-fetching patterns to reduce unnecessary payloads and improve responsiveness.
- Improved frontend performance through Lighthouse analysis, code splitting, lazy loading and asset optimization, contributing to stronger Core Web Vitals.

Senior Frontend Developer - The Sailors **Jan 2022 - Dec 2023**

Remote | Saudi Arabia | Full-time Jan 2022 - Apr 2023, Part-time May 2023 - Dec 2023

Tech: React.js, TypeScript, Material UI, Redux, Lighthouse, PWA, SEO

- Built and launched a high-traffic FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022 ticket-booking experience using React.js, TypeScript and Material UI, supporting approximately $20,000 in revenue per match event.
- Proposed integrating the World Cup booking experience into the company's existing platform rather than launching a separate website, reducing implementation scope and supporting delivery under a highly constrained timeline.
- Improved application performance from approximately 55% to 95%+ through rendering optimization, code splitting, caching strategies and media/asset optimization.
- Delivered multiple e-commerce storefronts with 95%+ Lighthouse scores across performance, accessibility, SEO, best practices and PWA readiness.
- Contributed to the product and UX design of an interactive venue seat-selection experience that allowed customers to select specific seats within cafes, halls and other venues.

- Contributed to enterprise microservices-based applications by implementing frontend modules, routing, state management, REST API-driven experiences and mobile-first responsive interfaces using React and TypeScript.
- Collaborated with product, design, management and backend stakeholders while balancing delivery speed, UX requirements, technical complexity and commercial objectives.

Frontend Developer - Mars Innovation Technology **Jan 2021 - Dec 2021**

Full-time | Remote | UAE

Tech: JavaScript, jQuery, React.js, Material UI, Metronic, AOS

- Held primary end-to-end frontend responsibility for the Beljwar platform, taking the frontend from implementation through production delivery while resolving technical and user-experience challenges.
- Translated 20+ Figma and Adobe XD screens into responsive, production-ready interfaces while introducing implementation and UX improvements where appropriate.
- Contributed to product-level UX decisions for a multi-category booking platform covering venues, restaurants, rooms, halls and other reservable spaces.
- Restructured frontend interactions and booking flows to reduce unnecessary user steps and create a more direct path from discovery to reservation.
- Built interactive React and Material UI dashboards supporting data-management and reporting workflows.
- Delivered 10+ booking and business websites focused on responsive design, usability and production-ready frontend implementation.

Internship Trainee - Gaza Sky Geeks **Jan 2020 - Aug 2020**

Internship | On-site

Tech: JavaScript, HTML5, CSS3

- Completed intensive practical training in JavaScript, HTML5, CSS3, web-development fundamentals and modern frontend development practices.
- Built hands-on projects simulating real development cycles, teamwork, problem-solving and client-facing delivery.

SELECTED PROJECTS

KoninPay - Multi-Store SaaS Platform | React.js | Next.js | TypeScript | REST APIs
Contributed to a multi-store SaaS platform supporting merchant and store creation, secure e-wallet API integration, real-time order and sales dashboards, and responsive customer and administrative experiences. Live demos: Digits Store | Market Store | Food Store | Fashion Store | Glammart Store | Pastries Online

Business Websites & Dashboards | JavaScript | Sass | Bootstrap | Metronic | Chart.js
Delivered production websites and dashboard experiences across education, hospitality, booking and business use cases. Live demos: Coffee Talk | Mars Technology | Dahran Schools | AJAD

Tuby | React.js | TypeScript | Zustand | RapidAPI
Built a data-driven application integrating RapidAPI, with lazy loading, code splitting, React Suspense and structured routing to improve frontend responsiveness and maintainability. GitHub

Nearby | React.js | TypeScript | REST APIs
Built a discovery application for restaurants, hotels and attractions, integrating external APIs with place-detail views (rating, price range, photos, contact details, address) and initial search and filtering. GitHub

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Engineering - Islamic University of Gaza **2014 - 2019**

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Frontend Development Professional Path - Frontend Masters **2019**