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TypeScript **Next.js**

Ruby on Rails **NestJS**

AWS **EC2** **S3**

Docker **PostGIS**

Vercel **Heroku**

AnythingLLM **Bedrock**

LM Studio **OpenAI API**

Playwright **Redis**

Cypress **Jest**

MongoDB **PostgreSQL**

Prisma **Algolia**

Tailwind **Figma**

EDUCATION

Business Administration
Les Roches, BBA

Software Engineering
Le Wagon, Amsterdam

OTHER INFO

Awards / Nominations
- UN, Human Rights 🔗 🔗
- Design Awards London, 2019 🔗

Languages
- English (Fluent)
- German (Fluent)
- Spanish (Fluent)

Sr. Front-End Engineer
2024- Present

The Official Massachusetts State Portal my.mass.gov (VIA Last Call Media Inc.)

- Front End Engineer for MyMassGov, the official Massachusetts state portal serving 5.5M+ users.
- Built with Next.js 15, TypeScript, NestJS, Tailwind, Docker, AWS.
- Integrated proprietary APIs and custom routing system.
- Delivered within Agile/Scrum workflows (Jira, sprints, retros).
- Deployed on multi-region, government-grade infrastructure with auto-scaling, container orchestration, and zero-downtime blue/green deployments.

Front-End Engineer (fractional)
2024

www.busesforsale.com

- Sole Front End Engineer for the world's largest bus sales marketplace ($250K+ MRR).
- Migrated legacy PHP platform into a robust Next.js + NestJS stack.
- Delivered a modern, scalable front end powering high-traffic global sales.

Full-Stack Engineer
2020-2023

OB Studio

- Built 50+ Real Estate Websites feeding from OpenBroker API.
- Collaborated with 15+ developers in distributed Agile teams.
- Next.js (React), Tailwind, Node, Rails, Custom React Components
- Deployed on Heroku, Vercel, Digital Ocean
- Connected to OpenBroker's API via GraphQL
- e.g. elliottjames.es / carlingpetri.com / solvilla.es

Founder / CTO
2020-2023

www.openbroker.com

- Built a B2B SaaS MVP on Next.js, Ruby on Rails, React, Stimulus JS, PostgreSQL, PostGIS, AWS.
- Secured €180K funding from Sherry Ventures; grew userbase from 0 → 10,000.
- Integrated APIs: OpenAI, Stripe, Twilio, Google Maps, Analytics (Google/Meta).
- Deployed via Heroku CI/CD, Elasticsearch, Logstash, Kibana, Segment, ActiveMQ.
- Designed GraphQL & REST APIs, enabling partner agencies to launch database-less property portals, streamlining data flow and eliminating redundancy.

Full-Stack Engineer
2018 - 2020

CleanHero Inc (New York City)

- Developed a headless app dispatching housekeepers on demand, using Rails, Stripe, Nokogiri, PostgreSQL, Twilio, and AirTable.
- Product Manager for iOS and web-app development.
- Hired and trained freelance full-stack engineers.

PAST PROJECTS

Full-Stack Engineer

www.subletny.com

- Front End Engineer for SubletNY.com, a high-traffic sublet marketplace serving New Yorkers.
- Built with Next.js, TypeScript, Tailwind, Ruby on Rails, Algolia AI search and Stripe.
- Scaled with Heroku CI/CD, Elasticsearch, delivering a fast, resilient, and data-driven platform.

Full-Stack Engineer

www.eth-roulette.com

- Crypto Roulette Platform for Betting Enthusiasts
- Built on Next.js (React), Tailwind, TypeScript, Express.js
- Notable APIs: Alchemy (Ethereum Blockchain), MetaMask Wallet
- CI/CD: Vercel, Netlify, Heroku
- Web3.js for Ethereum interactions.