DIVINE ORJI

FULL-STACK SOFTWARE ENGINEER // ENGINEERING LEAD // TECHNICAL WRITER

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PROFILE

I'm Divine Orji, a full-stack software engineer and Head of Engineering at The Kreativ Studio, where I lead a remote team and stay hands-on across frontend, backend, and deployment.

I also write technical guides on my blog and created the software engineering curriculum behind Alchemy Of Code.

TECHNICAL CAPABILITIES

REACT · NEXT.JS · TYPESCRIPT · TAILWIND CSS · GSAP · SUPABASE · BETTER AUTH · WORDPRESS · GOOGLE MAPS API · GIT & CI/CD (GITHUB, VERCEL) · CLOUDFLARE · TECHNICAL WRITING · CURRICULUM DESIGN

SELECTED WORK

Bonjour Quick Bites

bonjourquickbites.com

Port Harcourt customers use this storefront to order fresh bread, pastries, hot meals, and celebration cakes for outlet pickup or doorstep delivery. I built it end to end with Next.js, TypeScript, Supabase, and Better Auth, backed by GitHub and Vercel for CI/CD.

NEXT.JS · TYPESCRIPT · SUPABASE · BETTER AUTH · GIT · GITHUB · VERCEL

Crunchies Online

crunchiesonline.com

Over a seven-month redesign in Next.js and Tailwind CSS, I reworked checkout, pickup, and delivery location selection and wired up Google Maps outlet discovery. Monthly online sales grew from NGN200,000 to over NGN3 million.

NEXT.JS · TAILWIND CSS · GOOGLE MAPS API · BETTER AUTH

Alchemy Of Code

aoc.divineorji.com

Behind this learning platform is a software engineering curriculum I wrote to help people move from fundamentals to shipping their own ideas. Under the hood, it runs on Cloudflare with Supabase and Better Auth.

CLOUDFLARE · SUPABASE · BETTER AUTH

Noma

noma-study-prep.vercel.app

I built Noma for nursing students prepping for exams, pairing quick flashcards for revising key concepts with quizzes that show what's actually sticking.

BETTER AUTH

The Iroko Circle

theirokocircle.org

For this African literature community, my focus was designing and building a WordPress publishing home where readers can discover new stories, writers can submit work, and members can find local chapters.

WORDPRESS · EDITORIAL CMS · COMMUNITY FORMS · BETTER AUTH

EXPERIENCE

THE KREATIV STUDIO

January 2019 - Present

HEAD OF ENGINEERING

January 2025 - Present

I lead a remote engineering team across 10+ client and internal web products, steering architecture, sprint planning, and code reviews while staying active in the codebase myself.

- My week centers on technical roadmaps and sprint planning for products in development, including Merphils (multi-tenant school operations and academic records in Next.js, TypeScript, and Better Auth) and Grooovy (event discovery, ticketing, and host tools in React, Supabase, Better Auth, and GSAP).
- I maintain our engineering standards, code reviews, and GitHub/Vercel CI/CD workflows so releases stay predictable across projects.

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

January 2019 - Present

Working closely with founders from early requirements to launch, I've built and shipped 15+ custom web applications.

- From database schema to checkout, I built Bonjour Quick Bites end to end with Next.js, TypeScript, Supabase, and Better Auth for outlet pickup and doorstep delivery.
- On the education side, I built flashcards and quizzes for nursing students in Noma and authored the software engineering curriculum powering Alchemy Of Code.
- For The Iroko Circle, I designed and developed a WordPress home for publishing African literature, accepting submissions, and connecting readers with local chapters.

INNOVATION GROWTH HUB

January 2024 - March 2026

Software Engineer

Over two-plus years in Aba, I split my time between building client web apps, maintaining our internal tools, and teaching the next wave of local developers.

- My engineering work ran across two parallel tracks: client-commissioned platforms and the internal tools that kept daily operations moving.
- In the classroom, I trained and mentored 100+ web development students and wrote the foundational curriculum cohorts still learn from today.
- Alongside the team, we hosted meetups and co-building sessions that brought together 300+ local tech builders.

CRUNCHIES FRIED CHICKEN LIMITED

April 2024 - October 2024

Fullstack Developer

Crunchies brought me on for a seven-month contract to lead the end-to-end redesign of Crunchies Online, helping grow monthly digital sales from NGN200k to over NGN3M.

- Checkout, delivery zones, and pickup options were where orders used to stall, so I smoothed out those three friction points first.
- To cut down on delivery address errors, I integrated the Google Maps API for real-time outlet lookup.
- Rebuilding the frontend in Next.js and Tailwind CSS got load times under two seconds, even on slower mobile connections.

FREECODECAMP

September 2021 - Present

Freelance Technical Writer

My long-form guides on React patterns, web performance, and developer tools appear on freeCodeCamp News, where tens of thousands of engineers have read them.

- I break down tricky frontend topics through project-based walkthroughs and interactive code examples readers can try right away.
- Several of my published guides consistently rank on Google page 1 for core React and JavaScript searches.

HACKMAMBA March 2021 - September 2024

Technical Writer & Editor

Developer-tooling teams around the world relied on the 50+ articles and interactive demo apps I wrote, edited, and built over three-plus years at Hackmamba.

- My writing covered 50+ in-depth tutorials, SDK integration guides, and API docs for SaaS and devtools platforms.
- Rather than stopping at prose, I built working demo repositories showing how those tools fit into real projects.
- We also ran global hackathons, where I helped review and evaluate dozens of community project submissions.

GOOGLE DEVELOPER STUDENT CLUBS October 2021 - December 2024

Core Team Member

At MOUAU, I helped introduce over 200 university students to software engineering through hands-on workshops and practical bootcamps.

- We organized and ran practical web development bootcamps that took 200+ students from first lines of code to real projects.
- Outside group sessions, I mentored aspiring developers one-on-one as they prepared for their first tech internships.
- Together with fellow leads, I helped host campus-wide tech conferences, hackathons, and networking events.

TRUPARSE February 2021 - July 2021

Junior Software Engineer

On the engineering team at Truparse, I spent six months shipping React and TypeScript frontend features inside two-week agile sprints.

- Day to day, we worked through agile sprint rituals, daily standups, and collaborative Git workflows to get features into production.
- I built responsive, accessible UI components in React and TypeScript that held up across screen sizes.
- When client WordPress sites needed a refresh, I wrote custom CSS to modernize their look and layout.

PAYVEST GLOBAL October 2020 - January 2021

Frontend Developer Intern

My first taste of production fintech came as a four-month intern, where I earned team recognition within two months for helping get features out faster.

- My day-to-day work focused on modular HTML5, React.js, and CSS for customer-facing financial interfaces.
- Pairing with senior engineers, I refactored legacy stylesheets into cleaner, reusable CSS components.
- We also built and launched company marketing sites using WordPress, Bootstrap, and Sass.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science - BS, Mathematics SEPTEMBER 2018 - DECEMBER 2022

Michael Okpara University of Agriculture Umudike

CERTIFICATIONS

- Create User Stories in Trello
- Hackerrank Skills Certificate for CSS
- Google Africa Developer Training Program

LANGUAGES

English (Full Professional)