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Web Developer

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Creative, driven, strategic web developer with 2+ years of coding experience. Finishing a master's in Business Informatics, combining business insight with technical expertise. Eager to bring my passion for smart contract and frontend development—bridging blockchain technology with user-friendly interfaces—to forward-thinking teams. My mission is to create innovative, impactful solutions, and I thrive on delivering results that drive performance and user engagement.

Experience

- **NIOVLabs - Full-Stack Developer (React/React Native & Solidity)** *Oct. 2024 - present*
 - Played a major role in front-end development using React and React Native for multiple web2 and web3 projects, ensuring smooth user experiences and consistent performance.
 - Explored and implemented smaller-scale smart contracts with Solidity and the Hardhat framework, contributing to blockchain-based features.
 - Helped shape product development by actively participating in discussions on emerging web2/web3 technologies, proposing feature enhancements, and driving innovation in a fast-paced environment.
 - Researched various industry trends, continuously learning and applying new insights to optimize both product design and functionality.

Projects

- **PositionManager - Full-stack DEFI Dapp** <https://position-manager.vercel.app/>
 - Inspired by my economics background and love for DeFi, I aimed to create a platform that replicates the convenience of centralized exchanges (like Binance) on the blockchain.
 - Developed a full-stack application where users can set timed trading positions on decentralized exchanges, automatically executing trades without constant monitoring.
 - Used React, Next.js, Node.js, and Solidity (Hardhat) to deliver a user-friendly interface that seamlessly merges advanced Web3 functionality with practical trading features.
- **DevQuiz - Nextjs Powered Quiz App for Software development** <https://developmentquiz.vercel.app/>
 - Built an AI-powered quiz game to expand web development knowledge, dynamically generating questions with OpenAI's API for each session.
 - Implemented secure Gmail login (NextAuth), storing win/loss records via Prisma & PostgreSQL, with a public leaderboard for friendly competition.
 - Delivered a user-friendly Next.js app deployed on Vercel, offering a fun, competitive way for developers to learn and test their skills.

Education

- **University of Ljubljana** *2020-2023*
 - Bachelor of International Business
- **University of Ljubljana** *2023-present (end 2025)*
 - Masters of Business Informatics
 - Notable Coursework: Analysis and Design of Information Systems (10/10), Developing Software Solutions (10/10), Big Data Analytics (9/10).

Skills

- React
- Nextjs
- Solidity
- Hardhat
- React Native
- Creativity
- Time Management
- Problem-solving