

EL MEHDI ESSAADI

FRONTEND ENGINEER

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PROFILE

Frontend engineer focused on React, Next.js and TypeScript, with experience leading frontend architecture and delivering consumer and agency travel products. Combines product ownership, attention to user experience and practical use of AI throughout engineering, with contributions to backend services in TypeScript and Go.

SKILLS

- React, Next.js, TypeScript
- JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Sass
- React Native, Tailwind CSS
- Styled Components
- REST APIs, GraphQL, Stripe
- AWS, Amazon Cognito
- Payload CMS, Bit.dev
- Caching, accessibility, SEO
- Localization, RTL
- Claude Code, Codex, ChatGPT
- Agent skills, browser QA
- Git / GitHub, Git worktrees

EXPERIENCE

FRONT-END SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Overseas Network | Oct 2024 to Present

- Led frontend development of an official FIFA World Cup 2026 travel booking platform, from search to trip management and checkout.
- Built Fanatrips' B2C booking journeys for hotels, experiences and car rentals.
- Built a multi tenant university white label frontend with domain based branding and event content.
- Lead Overseas Express (OX), enabling agencies to assemble, book and share trips with travelers.
- Built reusable React components with Bit.dev and a Payload CMS website, with caching, SEO and accessibility.
- Apply Claude Code skills and parallel AI workflows to development, debugging and browser QA; contribute to TypeScript and Go services.

REACT / NEXT.JS DEVELOPER

FtFt | Jan 2023 to Oct 2024

- Led frontend development of fftt.ma using Next.js, TypeScript, Tailwind CSS and GraphQL, with attention to performance and SEO.
- Worked on React Native grocery picking and delivery applications, resolved mobile issues and mentored interns.

FREELANCE FRONTEND DEVELOPER

Upwork | Sep 2022 to Jan 2023

- Built React interfaces and browser extensions, and customized Wix, Ecwid and Squarespace storefronts.

REACT / NEXT.JS DEVELOPER

in-House | Oct 2022 to Dec 2022

- Translated UI designs into reusable interfaces using Next.js, Styled Components and Redux, and fixed product issues.

EDUCATION

HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA

Ibn Khaldoun High School
2016 to 2018

CS50 COURSEWORK

Harvard / edX · 2021

LANGUAGES

ARABIC · NATIVE
ENGLISH · PROFESSIONAL
WORKING