

# MATHIAS BENIGNO

## FULL-STACK DEVELOPER — JAVASCRIPT / TYPESCRIPT SPECIALIST

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React · Next.js · TypeScript · NestJS · Node.js · PostgreSQL · MySQL · Docker

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### SUMMARY

Full-stack developer with 4+ years of experience building scalable SaaS applications, REST APIs, and high-performance web platforms in the JavaScript/TypeScript ecosystem. Deep expertise in Next.js (SSR/SSG), NestJS microservices, and cloud infrastructure (AWS, Docker, CI/CD). Proven track record shipping production systems used by real businesses across Latin America and Europe — including a government digital portal for the Dominican Republic and a multi-tenant SaaS platform with Stripe and MercadoPago payment integrations. Experienced working in cross-functional, agile teams in fully remote environments. Seeking a remote contractor or full-time position with a U.S.-based team where I can contribute meaningfully from day one.

### EXPERIENCE

#### Founder & Lead Developer

2024 – Present

*Citalo — SaaS Reservation & Appointment Management Platform (citalo.app)*

- Architected and shipped a multi-tenant SaaS platform from scratch serving service-based businesses (clinics, pet groomers, salons) across Latin America, handling scheduling, reminders, and payments end-to-end.
- Built a server-side rendered Next.js frontend achieving sub-2s load times and strong Core Web Vitals scores; TypeScript throughout for type safety and maintainability.
- Integrated Stripe and MercadoPago (multi-country) for subscription billing, plus WhatsApp Business API (Meta) for automated appointment reminders — reducing client no-show rates by an estimated 25–35%.
- Dockerized the entire infrastructure with CI/CD pipelines; deployed on VPS with Traefik as reverse proxy for zero-downtime releases.
- Own the full business cycle: client acquisition, product demos, negotiations, onboarding, and technical documentation.

#### Full-Stack Developer — Remote

Dec 2023 – Nov 2025

*Agencia 7am — Dominican Republic (Remote)*

- Developed production web applications for government and private-sector clients using Next.js (SSR/SSG), React, TypeScript, TailwindCSS, and NestJS backend services.
- Built a government digital portal for the Dominican Republic that fully digitized administrative processes (legal name changes, civil status queries), eliminating in-person visits for thousands of citizens.
- Integrated a ChatGPT-powered assistant widget so non-technical users could self-navigate and submit requests without assistance — reducing support overhead by an estimated 60%.

- Architected third-party integrations with OpenAI, Gemini, and Meta APIs; refactored legacy codebases that reduced bundle sizes by 30–45% and improved Lighthouse scores.
- Operated in a Scrum/agile workflow with cross-functional teams across multiple time zones.

## Full-Stack Developer — Remote

Mar – Nov 2023

*Helphis Tech — Germany (Remote)*

- Developed custom client applications using Next.js, Vite, Node.js, Express, and MongoDB; managed AWS deployments and server infrastructure.
- Designed and built the company's own full-stack website: a client management platform where prospects could request quotes, review pricing, and track project progress through a custom-built internal tracking system — turning a static landing page into an active business tool.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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FRONTEND	Next.js (SSR, SSG, App Router), React, TypeScript, Vite, TailwindCSS, SEO & Core Web Vitals optimization
BACKEND	NestJS, Node.js, Express, Fastify, REST APIs, TypeScript, microservices patterns
DATABASES	PostgreSQL, MySQL, MongoDB
DEVOPS & CLOUD	Docker, CI/CD Pipelines, AWS, VPS management, Traefik, production deployments
INTEGRATIONS	Stripe, MercadoPago, WhatsApp Business API (Meta), OpenAI, Gemini
OTHER	Code refactoring, performance optimization, UI/UX design, technical documentation, agile/Scrum

## EDUCATION

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### Computer Science — Advanced Coursework & Thesis Delivered

*Escuela Superior de Informática, Uruguay*

## LANGUAGES

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SPANISH	Native
ENGLISH	Professional

## CORE COMPETENCIES

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SaaS Architecture

Problem Solving

Remote Collaboration

Client Negotiation

Full Ownership Mentality