José Matos

Senior Software Engineer | With 15+ years of experience building scalable, performant web apps using Angular, React, and Lit. Known for delivering polished UI/UX in fast-paced, fully remote environments. Recently focused on AI-powered side projects—building AI-integrated assistants, smart automations, and RAG prototypes. I thrive in agile teams, ship fast with strong testing practices, and mentor others through code reviews and shared learning.

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EXPERIENCE

Reddit
Senior Frontend Engineer

San Francisco, US - Remote · Oct '23 - Apr '25

- Built and shipped new moderation queue and tools with Lit + TypeScript, improving mod efficiency by 25%.
- Refactored legacy React + Redux modules, improving UX consistency and reducing user complaints by 20%.
- Led cross-team code reviews to improve quality, cutting production defects by 15%.
- Delivered multiple frontend features independently in a high-autonomy team.

Norby
Senior Frontend Engineer

NewYork, US - Remote · Apr '22 - Sep '23

- Developed a component UI Kit in Angular + Storybook, reducing feature delivery time by 30%.
- Built a drag-and-drop landing page editor using Angular and internal design system.
- Collaborated with product/design to launch campaign tooling, improving marketing efficiency.

TestGorilla
Senior Frontend Engineer

Netherlands - Remote · Dec '21 - Apr '22

- Delivered high-quality features in Angular TypeScript apps with strong E2E test coverage.
- Conducted team-wide code reviews, helping reduce bug frequency by 20%.
- Debugged performance issues and improved stability on key user flows.

Swiss International Air Lines
Senior Application Engineer

Basel, Switzerland · Feb '19 - Dec '21

- Developed responsive Angular 8–12 dashboards, improving load speed and engagement by 25%.
- Mentored junior devs and led best practices adoption across frontend guild.
- Increased test coverage on .NET Core and Angular projects, reducing post-release bugs by 25%.

CloudWorks
Senior Software Engineer

Oporto, Portugal · Oct '14 - Jan '19

- Led 5-person development team delivering projects on a 95% on-time basis.
- Partnered with clients to define specs and ensure business alignment.
- Oversaw architecture design and implementation with focus on scalable systems.

Kiosk Zone
Software Engineer

Oporto, Portugal · Jul '08 - Sep '14
- Developed custom insurance sector software improving client workflows by 30%.
- Mentored junior developers and led cross-functional delivery of core systems.
- Integrated SOAP and REST APIs across internal and partner platforms.

EDUCATION

University of Oporto

Bachelor's Degree
BSCS - Computer Science · Graduation: Jun '08

LINKS

Blog @ Medium · blog.josematos.work

Personal Website · josematoswork.com

SKILLS

Frontend: Angular · Lit · React · Ionic Framework · TypeScript · JavaScript · CSS · Tailwind CSS · HTML · Storybook · RxJs · Web Components · Redux · ngRx · PWA

Backend: C# · Node.js · REST APIs · GraphQL · .Net Core

Testing: Jest · Jasmine · Cypress · Playwright · Unit/E2E

AI Integration: OpenAI · Claude · LangChain · Prompt Engineering · RAG

Infrastructure: Git Actions · Docker · Redis · Firebase · AWS · Azure · Google Cloud · PostgreSQL

Collaboration: Agile · Jira · Figma · Remote first culture

Soft Skills: Mentorship · Communication · Adaptability · Ownership · Proactive Problem Solving