



IAN BENEDICT BORLA

Senior Full Stack Developer

ABOUT ME

I am an experienced Full Stack Developer with over 9 years in web application development. Fully committed to full-stack developments, modular architecture approach, CMS, CRM, and in-house platform developments. Skilled analytical problem-solver with the ability to quickly learn new technologies. Flexible and with a strong drive to succeed.

SKILLS

PHP 8	★★★★★	PHPUnit	★★★★★
HTML5	★★★★★	Jest	★★★★☆
CSS3	★★★★★		
Javascript / Typescript	★★★★☆		
ReactJS	★★★★☆		
VueJS	★★★★☆		
ReactNative	★★★★☆		
Tailwind	★★★★☆		
Bootstrap	★★★★☆		
ShadCN UI	★★★★☆		
Material UI	★★★★☆		
Docker	★★★★★		
AWS	★★★★☆		
Git	★★★★★		
Pipelines / Runner	★★★★☆		
Laravel 8 - 10	★★★★☆		
Symfony 5.2 - 6.0	★★★★☆		
Jira	★★★★☆		
CI/CD	★★★★☆		

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WORK HISTORY

Bally's Interactive (April 2021 - November 2023)

📅 2 years, 7 months

👤 SENIOR FULL STACK DEVELOPER / TECHNICAL PROJECT COORDINATOR

🌐 <https://www.ballys.com>

Role

- Oversee the code quality of the projects owned
- Provide insights and tech strategies with the Solution Architect
- Mentoring and training junior developers
- Provide solutions to the complex task
- Code reviews
- Deploying and maintaining owned projects
- Monitoring and analyzing web application performance.

Highlights

- **Design System**
 - Created reusable client components to handle and govern multiple brand-specific designs.
 - Created Storybook add-on to handle runtime brand theme selection (See: Github [benborla/storybook-addon-theme-switcher](#))
 - Basically, this allows the developers or end-users to see the UI of the selected component based on the selected brand.
 - Created an automation to automatically create tokens from Figma (See: Tokens Studio for Figma)
 - What it does, is it automatically creates tokens based on the Figma design, these tokens will then be used to generate CSS variables and will be used in the components.
 - Handling bug fixes and hotfixes.
 - Mentored 2 junior developers to be proficient in Typescript
- **In-house Templating Engine (Darksaber)**
 - Supported and improved the in-house templating engine (Senior Back-end Developer)
 - **Promoted as Technical Project Coordinator (Technical PO)**
 - Oversees the entire project development
 - Reports directly to the Development Manager, Development Head, and CTO
 - Provides Lighthouse reports based on app performance before and after implementing the Darksaber in a template
 - Worked closely with the developers, team lead, QA, and Solutions Architect to be able to meet deadlines and strategize on how to move forward.
 - Translates technical jargon into business terms and gets reported to the Project Management Head.

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Highlights

- Multiple Microservices ownership
 - Maintains and improves owned projects.
 - Improved Gitlab Pipelines of the projects (Sonarqube, Code Sniffers for HTML, CSS, Javascript, and PHP)
 - Identified what projects and codes needed to be deprecated.
 - Deprecated codes are then converted into a microservice for better scalability and to improve developer experience.
 - Spearheaded deprecated projects
 - Converted deprecated projects that were in Vanilla PHP 5.6 - 7.4 into PHP 8.2 with Symfony 5.4+ and Symfony 6 frameworks.
 - Clean-ups on deprecated and decommissioned projects.

Tech Stacks

- Languages: PHP 8.2, HTML5, CSS3, Typescript, Javascript (ES6 - ES2023), Lua
- Frameworks: VueJS, Symfony 5.4+, Lit Framewrok
- SaaS: Netlify, Strapi, JFrog, Storybook, Figma, Drupal, Jira
- Versioning: Git, Gitlab
- Infrastructure & Deployment: Docker, Kubernetes, Cloudflare, CI/CD, Canary releases
- Workspace: Tmux + Nvim + Alacritty + MacOS

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WORK HISTORY

Lamudi Inc. (February 2019 - March 2021)

📅 2 years, 1 month

👤 Senior Full Stack Developer

🌐 <https://www.lamudi.com.ph>

Roles

- Oversee the code quality of the projects owned
- Provide solutions to complex tasks
- Code reviews
- Deploying and maintaining owned projects
- Monitoring and analyzing web application performance.

Highlights

- Client requested updates
- Bug fixes and hotfixes
- Automated the process of buying listing credits
 - Formerly being done by end-user speaking to an agent to add more listing credits and pays via bank transfer.
 - Solution:
 - Created a microservice to automate the adding of listing credits and created a payment system
 - Integrated country-specific payment gateways for Philippines, Mexico, and Indonesia
- Converted a monolith structure into microservices.
- Created PHP dependency packages to reuse project-specific logic to securely communicate and centralize microservice communications.

Tech Stacks

- Languages: PHP 7.4, HTML5, CSS3, Typescript, Javascript (ES6 - ES8)
- Frameworks: Symfony 4.8+, ReactJS, React Native
- SaaS: Jira
- Versioning: Git, BitBucket
- Infrastructure & Deployment: Docker AWS Cloudfront, ECS, EC2, SNS, SQS, Cloudformation
- Workspace: JetBrains IDE + Tmux + Nvim + Alacritty + MacOS

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WORK HISTORY

Melis Technology (November 2015 - February 2019)

📅 3 years, 3 month

👤 Intern, Senior Full Stack Developer, Team Lead
🌐 <https://www.melistechology.com>

Roles

- Helped create the project from ground-up
- Reports directly to CTO and CEO
- Knowledgeable in Zend Framework 2
- Oversees the entire project code quality

Highlights

- Created the project from ground-up
- Handled client-specific projects while working on the new platform
- Integrated modular system
 - Allows end-user to toggle which modules should be loaded/unloaded
- Created CMS, Workflow, User Management, Roles Management, eCommerce, CRM
- Created a Marketplace where end-users can download plugins/modules for their platform
- Created a web installation
- Added DbDeploy in Melis Platform (See <http://dbdeploy.com/>)
 - For database versioning, and data management

Tech Stacks

- Languages: PHP 5.6 - 7, HTML5, CSS3, Javascript
- Frameworks: Zend Framework 2
- Libraries: Bootstrap 3, jQuery
- SaaS: Mantis
- Versioning: Git, BitBucket, GitHub
- Infrastructure: & Deployment: Vagrant, Zend Server 2012+
- Workspace: JetBrains IDE

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SCHOOLS ATTENDED

Northeastern Cebu College

BACHELOR IN SCIENCE AND
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY | MAR 2018

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ASSOCIATE IN INFORMATION
TECHNNONLOGY | MAR 2011

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