# Alexander Musayev­­­­­

Full stack web developer

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About me

I have 15 years of experience in software development, including 5 years working remotely. Love to build robust and convenient tools that help my clients to save time, reduce business costs and transform complex to simple. As a remote developer, I value transparent communication and workflows. I can work independently or join a team. I have experience in leading a small development team as well.

Skills and Technologies

**Primary languages:** **Ruby** (Rails, dry-rb, Minitest, Sidekiq), **JavaScript** (React, Redux)

**Web:** HTML5, CSS3, SASS, Webpack, countless front-end frameworks and libraries

**DB and NoSQL:** PostgreSQL, MySQL, SQLite, Redis, ElasticSearch

**Tools:** Git (preferred version control), Rubocop, Reek, ESLint, stylelint

**Server infrastructure:** Linux, Ansible, AWS, Logstash, nginx

Recent Experience

2015–2019: **Full stack developer, architect** at PassionDig Inc

**Responsibilities:** System design and features development for web applications. Customer requirements analysis, specs drafting and implementation planning. Interviewing and onboarding new developers, code reviews.

**Achievements:** I’ve built an MVP version for an in-person educational service from scratch. Implemented geo-location search engine with flexible ranking logic. Created domain-specific web analytics backend for marketing team. Integrated third-party services, including Google Maps, Stripe, PayPal, Twitter, Facebook, helpdesk software with single sign-on capability, etc. Automated provisioning and deployment workflows. Created UI style guide based on custom reusable React component. Improved Rails application performance. Significantly reduced AWS operational costs for a SAAS infrastructure.

2014–2017: **Full stack developer** at UpWork

Participated in multiple projects as a full-stack web developer. My responsibilities included features development and performance optimization for Rails apps, payment services and social API integration, system automation, etc. Got [5 stars rating](https://musayev.com/upwork) with 100% job success.

2013–2015: **Architect** at Softin.co

Built an application licensing API. Prototyped a project management web service. Performed UX design and art direction for a mobile game project.

2012–2013: **Senior software developer** at Luxoft (Hewlett Packard)

Participated in WebInspect project development, an [OWASP](https://owasp.org/)-based web app vulnerability scanner. New features implementation, UI i18n, technical documentation, interviewing and onboarding new developers. C#/.NET, WinForms (MVVM), WPF, Microsoft SQL Server.

Personal projects

Most of my personal projects are open source (<https://github.com/dreikanter>). There are tools for system automation, text processing, web content management, Google Chrome extensions, etc. Here are some examples:

**Freefeed Feeder** ([https://frf.im](https://frf.im/)) — an automated content publishing service built for FreeFeed.net social network. In production since 2017.

**boodka** (<https://github.com/dreikanter/boodka>) — sugar-free personal budget calculator. An experimental project, inspired by the lack of multi-currency support in YNAB.

**public-static** (<https://github.com/dreikanter/public-static>) — a static website builder that I’ve been using for a personal blog.

Education

**M. Sc.** (2004), St. Petersburg State University of Airspace Instrumentation (SUAI) Department of Automatic Control Systems. Specialty: Automatic Control and Information Processing Systems.

**Postgrad** (2008), St. Petersburg Institute for Informatics and Automation of the Russian Academy of Sciences (SPIIRAS). Specialty: Mathematical and Software Support of Computers, Complex Systems, and Networks.

**Multiple certificates** on system analysis, software architecture and UX design. UpWork and Smarterer.com tests on Python, Ruby, Ruby on Rails (master level).

There are more details on my working experience at [musayev.com](https://musayev.com/)