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**Languages:** English - C1, Russian - C2, Latvian - A2

**Professional experience:**

- February 2023 - April 2023 / SIA Breakpoint / Software Developer
- July 2016 - November 2022 / SIA Dyninno / PHP Software Developer

**Education:** Bachelor's degree in biotechnology, Tambov State Technical University, 2004

**Primary skills:** web, back-end development, debugging, testing, documentation, CI/CD, OOP, DDD, microservices, databases, operations, maintenance, technical support, system design and recovery

**Soft skills:** communication, critical thinking, team support/mentoring, time management, courtesy

**Primary technologies:**

- ☒ PHP (5/7/8) preferably with but not limited by Symfony framework, Doctrine ORM, PHPUnit, Xdebug, LAMP
- ☒ MySQL/MariaDB/PostgreSQL/SQLite
- ☒ Docker, git/svn, Linux
- ☒ Redis/memcached, ElasticSearch, RabbitMQ

**Secondary technologies:** javascript/typescript, python, go, HTML

Hello, World!

**Who am I:** I'm Evgeny (Eugen) Shchekochikhin, 42 y.o. from Latvia

Also I'm an engineer/developer. Professionally for six years already, for fun since middle school. Introverted, rational, anarchy roots, father, simple man. My professional values resemble an agile manifesto. My personal values are: honesty, communication, critical thinking, curiosity, kindness, simplicity, quality, fun...

**What I can do:** I can get the job done. I own my decisions and mistakes. As a standalone developer, a team member, an organizer. I prefer working in a team environment as I enjoy communication and collaboration

Speaking of tech, I excel in programming, particularly in PHP. Service Oriented Architecture, LAMP stack, OOP, MVC frameworks (mostly Symfony-based), event queues, patterns, all that jazz. I don't really like the front-end ecosystem but I have some experience with it (plain javascript/typescript, angular/vue/react, bundling...). I like HTML, though

I'm always curious about other tools and technologies. I keep exploring and am ready to try them (node.js, rust, go, back to python, C-family... you name it)

I am comfortable with DevOps tasks like CI/CD, containerization, orchestration, and the overall Linux ecosystem

My primary communication language at work is English (professional working proficiency). I speak Russian (native), I understand Latvian a little bit (but I don't feel confident with it)

**What I want:** I want to continue my "proper software engineer" journey, constantly learning and creating solid and helpful products

**What I want from you:** From you, I seek human decency, ethical business practices, and a work environment where people genuinely care. Enough flexibility and freedom to actually keep work-life balance. Challenges and complexity! Net salary from 2000€/month

Cheers! Feel free to contact me

*This page is my job history summary:*

Date	Company	Experience
February 2023 — April 2023	SIA Breakpoint	<p>Software Developer</p> <p>Moderately loaded user-facing application. Mid-level maintenance and support</p> <p>Tech stack: <b>PHP8</b>/Symfony, <b>PostgreSQL</b>, ElasticSearch, MongoDB, <b>Redis</b>, Docker, Github actions, a bit of js/ts</p>
July 2016 — November 2022	SIA Dyninno (Dynatech)	<p>PHP Software Developer</p> <p>Maintaining/reimplementing/migrating performant internal services (booking, financial, marketing); helping/mentoring people; database/application architecture, internal and external APIs, CI/CD and build automation; a lot of debugging, troubleshooting, negotiating, and optimisations. General “problem solver”</p> <p>Technologies: <b>PHP</b> (from 5.6 to 8.1, LAMP, various framework/ORM combinations); Hacklang; javascript (raw, templated, and VueJs), typescript (Angular/React front-end maintenance); <b>MySQL</b>/MariaDB, Memcached, RabbitMQ, Docker, <b>Gitlab</b>, Sentry, Grafana, ArgoCD, JIRA</p>
...	Various jobs	Really. From construction to theatre stage lighting. Exploring the world.