

Zeeshan Haider

Dubai, United Arab Emirates

www.linkedin.com/in/zeeshan-haider73 / +971 58 989 0134 /

zeeshan.haider.engineer@gmail.com

Senior Software Engineer (Laravel / Node.js / React)

An accomplished backend-focused technical professional with over 5+ years of experience designing and developing high-performing, secure, and scalable server-side applications, APIs, and database-driven systems to support reliable, maintainable, and growth-ready digital platforms.

PROFILE

Full-stack Software Engineer with 5+ years of experience building scalable web applications and APIs across fintech, e-commerce, healthcare, and SaaS. Strong background in both Laravel/PHP and JavaScript backends (Node.js/NestJS) with modern frontends (React, Vue.js), including MERN-style stacks with MongoDB and Mongoose. Experienced in designing architectures, optimising performance (Redis caching, query tuning), and implementing secure payment and wallet flows. Comfortable leading small teams, reviewing code, and collaborating with product, QA, and DevOps to deliver reliable, production-ready solutions.

TECHNICAL PROFICIENCIES

Languages & Back-End: PHP (Laravel, CodeIgniter), JavaScript (Node.js, Express, NestJS), MySQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB

Front-End: React, Vue.js, JavaScript (ES6+), jQuery, HTML5, CSS3, Tailwind CSS, Bootstrap.

Cloud & DevOps: AWS (EC2, S3, SES), DigitalOcean, Vercel, Docker, Jenkins, CI/CD pipelines, Nginx, Ubuntu, Git, Bitbucket, GitHub, Jira

Architecture & Infrastructure : RESTful APIs, microservices, Redis caching, WebSockets & real-time messaging, event-driven systems, SaaS, authentication/authorisation, role-based access control

Integrations & Libraries: Stripe, PayPal, Square, Peach Payments, OLO, Twilio, SendGrid, Pusher, Form.io, ActiveCampaign, GHL, Mongoose, Livewire

Testing & Quality : PHPUnit, Pest, code reviews, refactoring, performance optimisation, production troubleshooting

EXPERIENCE

Senior Software Engineer (LAMP / JavaScript Stack)

Techverx – Lahore, Pakistan

Apr 2024 - Sep 2025

Led end-to-end development and deployment of core business applications across POS, SaaS, nonprofit, and marketplace domains. Worked closely with cross-functional teams to design scalable architectures, enforce coding standards, and ensure stable, high-performing releases across development, staging, and production environments.

Responsibilities

- Owned full lifecycle delivery for multiple web applications, from technical design to deployment and post-release support.
- Reviewed and merged pull requests, maintained code quality, and mentored junior developers on best practices.
- Collaborated with product QA, and DevOps to align technical solutions with business goals and SLAs.

Key Projects & Achievements

- **Food Industry POS System (Laravel, JS, Redis, Pusher)**
 - Designed and optimised POS architecture for a multi-location food business.
 - Implemented Redis caching to significantly improve response times and overall user experience.
 - Integrated OLO and DoorDash to automate order intake and reduce manual handling.
 - Used Pusher for real-time notifications (new orders, status updates) across terminals, contributing to an overall load-time reduction of around 60%.
- **PCS – Payroll & Expense Management SaaS**
 - Developed modules for payroll, expense approval, and reporting with robust role-based access control.
 - Optimised database queries and implemented efficient pagination and filtering to handle growing datasets without performance degradation.
- **HBCU 20x20 – Nonprofit Platform**
 - Contributed to job, events, and content modules serving students and partners.
 - Used **Form.io (Formio JS)** to build configurable, drag-and-drop **dynamic forms**, enabling non-technical users to create and manage complex forms without developer involvement.
- **FrameSuite – Multi-Vendor Photographer Marketplace**
 - Built features for vendor onboarding, product and portfolio management, and order flows in a scalable multi-vendor setup.
 - Ensured a clean separation between vendor and customer experiences, with clear dashboards and permissions.
- **HSV – Email & Document Automation**
 - Conducted discovery and requirements analysis for an automated email and document processing pipeline.
 - Designed flow concepts for email ingestion, PDF extraction, OCR parsing, and business rule execution to support high-volume enterprise processing.

Software Engineer / Team Lead (LAMP & Payments))

Kodex Technologies – Lahore, Pakistan

Apr 2022 - Mar 2024

Focused on designing and maintaining secure, high-availability payment and wallet solutions for web and mobile applications. Combined back-end development in

Laravel/PHP with JavaScript frontends and robust MySQL/MongoDB data layers.
Promoted to **Team Lead** based on ownership, communication, and technical leadership.

Responsibilities

- Built and maintained **payment flows, wallets, and transaction APIs** with a strong focus on data integrity and security best practices.
- Developed and integrated RESTful APIs for mobile apps and third-party services, deploying them on **AWS** for scalability and uptime.
- Led a small team of developers: providing technical guidance, code reviews, estimations, and coordinating with product and stakeholders..

Key Projects & Achievements

- **SatMom – Women’s Health Platform**
 - Implemented appointment, subscription, and user management flows.
 - Ensured sensitive health data was handled securely with proper authentication and authorisation.
- **Therapist – Online Psychiatry & Therapy Solution**
 - Developed session booking, therapist profiles, and secure communication flows.
 - Optimised database access patterns to keep response times low under increasing user load.
- **Amin TopUp – Funds Transfer & Top-Up System**
 - Built wallet, transaction, and top-up logic with robust audit trails and reporting.
 - Integrated multiple payment gateways and implemented **WebSocket-based real-time notifications** for transaction status updates.
 - Helped ensure a smooth user journey from onboarding to successful top-ups and refunds.
- **IKON Mall – Multi-Vendor E-Commerce Marketplace**
 - Implemented vendor onboarding, catalog management, checkout, and commission logic in a multi-vendor architecture.
 - Used **WebSockets** to provide **real-time notifications** (orders, status changes) and **in-platform chat** between buyers and vendors to improve engagement and trust.
 - Configured and maintained **AWS environments** (EC2, S3, basic networking) for deployment, monitoring, and scaling of core services.

PHP Developer

Dynamic Logix – Sahiwal, Pakistan

Mar 2020 - Mar 2022

Worked in a collaborative agency environment delivering multiple client-facing projects in parallel. Balanced timelines, code quality, and changing stakeholder requirements while gaining hands-on experience across portfolios, portals, and business systems.

Responsibilities

- Collaborated with designers, PMs, and other developers to deliver web projects aligned with client brand and functional requirements.
- Participated in full SDLC: requirement analysis, implementation, testing, deployment, and handover.
- Maintained clear communication with internal and external stakeholders to handle change requests and support.

Key Projects & Achievements

- **Portfolio & Business Websites**
 - Built and enhanced custom portfolio and business sites with clean, responsive layouts.
 - Focused on intuitive content management and front-end structure to help non-technical clients manage their own content.
- **SMC – Support Portal System**
 - Contributed to modules such as ticketing, invoicing, task tracking, and HR tools to streamline internal operations and client support.
 - Improved usability and workflows based on feedback from support teams.
- **Ship2World – Logistics / Parcel Forwarding Platform**
 - Worked on backend modules for **Ship2World**, a platform that **receives parcels from multiple e-commerce platforms and manages delivery within the UK**.
 - Helped implement order and shipment handling, status updates, and integrations with external carriers to keep tracking information accurate and up-to-date.
- **Cruise Booking & Management System**
 - Developed features for cruise **booking, scheduling, and cabin management**, including availability checks and reservation flows.
 - Ensured data consistency across bookings, schedules, and customer records.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science – *Jan 2020*
COMSATS University Islamabad, Pakistan

TRAINING

Laravel - Advanced Laravel
Linkedin - Academind by Shruti Bhasla– *Sep 2023*

Docker
Linkedin - Academind by Carlos Nunez – *Oct 2024*

Ai-Accelerating Laravel API Development with AI: From Specification to Testing
Linkedin- Academind by Gary Kovar– *Nov 2025*