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Professional Profile

- 15 years on the software development market.
- 6 years working full remote for international companies.
- 2 years as PHP Tech Lead, with both national and international teams.
- Modern PHP standards, Drupal and Symfony specialist. Laravel enthusiastic.
- Fullstack Javascript (ES6)/Typescript with React, Vue, Node and related frameworks.
- Best Design Patterns, SOLID principles and clean architecture. Expert on software architecture models for any kind of project or system size.
- Git with advanced Github and Gitlab workflows, Docker and DevOps practices for CI/CD pipelines and Cloud, focusing on AWS technologies.
- Linux and Unix advanced management, console tools and remote administration. Best security standards and security technologies.
- Expert on Web Standards and tools to analyze and improve systems performance.
- Basic Python, Java and Kotlin experience.

Languages

- ✓ **English** – Advanced: The Master English Course 2 (MEC2) - CCAA Escola de Idiomas, done in 2005. Conversational experience with companies and clients in the USA and project partners and teams around the world. Daily English conversation since 2019.
- ✓ **Español** – Intermediate: Experience working allocated in Argentina (Santex América)

Education

- ✓ **Bachelor Degree at FAAP** - Fundação Armando Álvares Penteado
Information Systems (Sistemas da Informação) - 2006-2010

Programming Languages

PHP	■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■	15 years
Javascript	■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■	15 years
Typescript	■■■■■	5 years
Java	■■■	2 years
Python	■	1 year
Kotlin	■	1 year
Hacklang	■	1 year

Backend - Frameworks

Drupal	■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■	15 years
Symfony	■■■■■■■	7 years
Laravel	■■■■■	5 years
Wordpress	■■	2 years
Zend	■■	1 year
Magento	■	1 year
Express.js	■	1 year

Frontend - Frameworks and Libraries

jQuery	■■■■■■■■■■■■	10 years
React.js	■■■■■	5 years
Riot.js	■■	2 years
Vue.js	■	1 year
Bootstrap	■■■■■	5 years
TailwindCSS	■	1 year

Sysadmin, DevOps and Cloud

Linux/Unix	■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■	15 years
Git	■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■	15 years
Docker/Containers	■■■■■■■■■■	8 years
Virtualization	■■■■■■■■	7 years
CI/CD	■■■■■■■■	7 years
AWS	■■■■■	5 years
Acquia	■■■■■	5 years
Pantheon	■■	2 years
Azure	■	1 year
GCP	■	1 year
Kubernetes	■	1 year

Databases

MySQL/MariaDB	■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■	15 years
PostgreSQL	■■■■	4 years
SQL Server	■■■■	4 years
Redis	■■■■	4 years
SOLR	■■■	3 years
MongoDB	■■	2 years
ElasticSearch	■	1 year
GraphQL	■	1 year
Algolia	■	1 year

Professional Experience

Great Artist – since 06/2025 until now

- Job Title: CTO/Founder
- Tech Stack: PHP - Laravel - React - TailwindCSS - PostgreSQL - MongoDB - Docker - AWS
- Description: Founder developer of [Great Artist](#) startup - a social platform for artists and digital content creators. Building scalable infrastructure with modern tech stack. Currently under development and seeking investors.

Squadra Digital – since 12/2024 until 06/2025

- Job Title: Drupal Specialist consultant
- Tech Stack: PHP - Drupal 10/11 - Symfony - React - MySQL - Docker - AWS - Acquia
- Description: Working with many Drupal multi-site solutions for ABInbev, one of the largest beverage companies in the world, international branch of the Brazilian company Ambev.

Andela – since 09/2024 until 12/2024

- Job Title: Senior PHP/Symfony Developer
- Tech Stack: PHP - Symfony - Laravel - React - PostgreSQL - MongoDB - GraphQL - Docker - AWS
- Description: Working as a fullstack developer allocated directly into Andela's client Inchcape, a global distribution leader in the premium and luxury automotive sectors, working with their software solutions for the end user.

Sourceful Information Technology Services – since 05/2023 until 05/2024

- Job Title: PHP/Drupal Tech Lead
- Tech Stack: PHP - Drupal 8 to 10 - Symfony - React - MySQL - PostgreSQL - Docker - AWS - Acquia
- Description: Working as the only Senior PHP/Drupal Developer on the company, implementing new projects and maintaining legacy projects for one of the company's biggest clients in Europe. Leading team, teaching juniors and helping to implement best practices of development. Working on cloud environments migration and implementing CI/CD workflow.

City Connect BR – since 02/2023 until 05/2023

- Job Title: PHP/Drupal Tech Lead
- Tech Stack: PHP - Drupal 8/9 - Wordpress - Symfony - MySQL - Docker - Azure - Acquia
- Description: Working as a Technical Leader with Drupal Projects for a consultant agency specialized in the brazilian public sector. Leading a team with around 10 professionals involved in the project for one of the biggest industry federations in Brazil (FIRJAN).

WeKnow Inc. – since 10/2022 until 02/2023

- Job Title: Senior Drupal Developer
- Tech Stack: PHP - Drupal 8/9 - Wordpress - Symfony - VueJS - MySQL - Algolia - Acquia
- Description: Working as a contractor allocated in a US based web agency responsible for Drupal and VueJS projects development
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Arctouch (Devrank outsourcing) – since 01/2022 until 09/2022

- Job Title: Drupal Tech Lead and Fullstack Developer
- Tech Stack: PHP/Hacklang - Drupal 8 - React - MySQL - PostgreSQL - MongoDB - Docker - Kotlin
- Description: GSK/LIAB project: working as a tech lead for pharmaceutical company GSK internal project on Drupal 8 , helping on the project and system architecture, team lead and full stack developing, along with prospecting and product delivery directly with the client.
Quizlet project: allocated on the engineering team at educational startup, working as a full stack developer on a high level structured software for web, mobile and API microservices.

Bluetent – since 09/2019 until 01/2022

- Job Title: Drupal Fullstack Developer
- Tech Stack: PHP - Drupal 7/8 - Laravel - React - RiotJS - MySQL - Docker - Kubernetes - AWS
- Description: Working full-remote for USA based Vacation Rentals software company, developing and maintaining most of the company products with hundreds of clients nationwide. Working on their own Drupal distributions and products around CMS solutions for the vacation rentals market and also helping with product integration.

EF5 Web Development – since 02/2019 until 09/2019

- Job Title: Team Coordinator and Drupal Tech Lead
- Tech Stack: PHP - Drupal 8 - MySQL - Docker - Acquia - Pantheon
- Description: Coordinate and develop two multi-languages projects for one of the most important food companies around the world. Technical leadership to deploy and work with dev operations on the clients web environment.

Opah IT Consulting – since 06/2018 until 02/2019

- Job Title: Senior PHP Developer
- Tech Stack: PHP - Symfony - Laravel - MySQL - PostgreSQL - ElasticSearch - Docker
- Description: Lead most of the company's PHP projects with big national clients. Allocation and development directly with clients.

GLOBANT – since 09/2016 until 05/2018

- Job Title: Senior Drupal Developer
- Tech Stack: PHP - Drupal 7/8 - Laravel - MySQL - PostgreSQL - Vagrant
- Description: Be part of the international Drupal team on many projects for big enterprises and company internal cases. Daily communication with the team around the globe.

VORTTEX – since 04/2016 until 08/2016

- Job Title: Senior Drupal/PHP Developer
- Tech Stack: PHP - Drupal 7/8 - Symfony - Laravel - MySQL - Vagrant
- Description: Lead the company's Drupal and PHP activity on big enterprise sites and applications on JBS and SADIA food companies, along with other minor projects.

Valor Econômico – since 11/2014 until 02/2016

- Job Title: PHP/Drupal Developer
- Tech Stack: PHP - Drupal 6/7 - MySQL - SQL Server - VirtualBox
- Description: Be part of the team in charge of the development and maintenance of all the online projects of the most important economic media company in Brazil.

Resource IT Solutions – since 06/2014 until 11/2014

- Job Title: Java Android Developer
- Tech Stack: Java for Android - SQL Server - Android Studio
- Description: Analyze and develop native mobile app projects for big Brazilian companies.

Itelios do Brasil – since 08/2012 until 06/2014.

- Job Title: Drupal/PHP Developer
- Tech Stack: PHP - Python - Drupal 6/7 - Symfony - Angular - MySQL
- Description: Development of one of the biggest Brazilian telecom companies webportal. Development and maintenance of other Brazilian enterprises and advertising agencies like Ogilvy and Y&R.

Webdrop Desenvolvimento Web Ltda. – since 11/2010 until 06/2012

- Job Title: Drupal/PHP Analyst/Developer
- Tech Stack: PHP - Drupal 6/7 - Zend 2 - MySQL - SQL Server
- Description: Development of national and international cases for companies like Pioneer ,Valor Econômico, Whiskas Brasil, Travel Click, AON Affinity Latin America, VeriSign, Natura.
International cases allocated in one of the company branches in Córdoba - Argentina.

IPEN (Instituto de Pesquisas Energéticas Nucleares) – since 07/2010 until 11/2010

- Job Title: Intern on Intranet Support
- Tech Stack: Windows Support - SQL Server - Microsoft Access - Microsoft Sharepoint
- Description: Microsoft Sharepoint© implementation on internal projects.
SQL Server 2005 support and development.