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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Senior PHP/Laravel Developer with 10.5+ years of experience building and scaling production web applications, APIs, and backend systems. Proven technical leadership in small, high-ownership teams—architecting ERP platforms serving 2,000+ active subscribers and 4,000+ daily orders, integrating payment and third-party services, and managing AWS infrastructure end-to-end. Experienced in full-stack delivery across Laravel, JavaScript, jQuery, HTML/CSS, and Blade. Strong track record of remote work, cross-functional collaboration, and shipping reliable, well-documented software. Recently built and launched an SaaS product independently, demonstrating product ownership and modern stack proficiency.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Backend: PHP (OOP, MVC, 10.5+ yrs), Laravel (advanced), CodeIgniter

Frontend: JavaScript (ES6+), jQuery, HTML5, CSS3, Blade, Vue.js, React, Next.js

Build Tools: Composer, npm, Webpack

Databases: MySQL (primary—schema design, indexing, query optimization), PostgreSQL (familiar)

APIs & Integrations: RESTful API design, Razorpay, Juspay, Zoho (OAuth2), Firebase Cloud Messaging, SMS gateways, Trello API, Jira API, Supabase

DevOps & Cloud: AWS (EC2, Lambda, CloudFront, S3), GitHub Actions (CI/CD), Linux server administration, DNS, SSL, domain migrations

Version Control: Git/GitHub—branching strategies, pull requests, code reviews, rebasing in multi-developer environments

Other: AI-assisted development (Claude Code), technical documentation, PHPUnit (basic), Agile/remote workflows

EXPERIENCE

Founder & Solo Developer

StatusLink (getstatuslink.com) | Remote Jan 2026 – Present

Built and launched a SaaS product that gives agencies and consultants a branded, read-only client status page connected to their Trello/Jira boards — eliminating manual status update emails.

- Designed and built the full product end-to-end: authentication, API integrations (Trello, Jira), branded status pages, and magic-link client access
- Architected with Next.js (SSR, API routes) and Supabase (PostgreSQL, Auth, Row Level Security)
- Deployed on Vercel with automated CI/CD; managed DNS, domains, and production monitoring
- Handled product decisions, UI/UX, pricing, and go-to-market independently

Senior Backend Developer

Fooddarzee | Remote Jul 2019 – Jul 2025

Backend owner and technical lead for a meal subscription platform serving 2,000+ active subscribers and processing 4,000+ meals daily. Led a team of 4 engineers (2 backend, 2 frontend).

- Built subscription engine with date-level customization: veg days, skips, address changes, and preference-driven order calculations for 4,000+ daily meal deliveries
- Architected a scalable ERP system supporting multiple roles (Super Admin, Admin, Nutritionist, Chef, Customer) to manage subscriptions, orders, and operations
- Integrated Razorpay & Juspay for secure one-time and recurring payments processing thousands of transactions monthly; Zoho for invoicing via OAuth2
- Led migration of public website to AWS serverless architecture (Lambda + CloudFront), reducing hosting costs by ~40%
- Implemented CI/CD pipelines using GitHub Actions for automated build, test, and deployment
- Conducted code reviews, enforced coding standards, and mentored junior developers across the team
- Automated manual order-processing workflows, reducing errors and saving the operations team ~10+ hours/week
- Managed production databases, deployments, third-party services, and supported Android/iOS app releases

- Produced technical documentation for APIs, system architecture, and onboarding guides

Co-Founder & Technical Lead

Frocery Innovative Retail Pvt. Ltd. | Mumbai Jan 2018 – May 2019

- Full technical ownership of an end-to-end grocery e-commerce platform—backend, mobile apps, payments, and delivery ops
- Built RESTful APIs and CMS using PHP (CodeIgniter); developed Ionic + Angular mobile applications
- Integrated Razorpay payments and Firebase push notifications
- Designed delivery countdown timer that improved delivery SLA adherence
- Led all technical decisions across backend, mobile, and operations infrastructure

Assistant System Analyst

Gray Matrix Solutions | Mumbai Feb 2016 – Oct 2017

- Developed hybrid mobile applications using Ionic and AngularJS with backend API integration
- Built backend APIs supporting multiple concurrent client projects in collaborative team environment
- Worked closely with QA and product teams to deliver features on schedule

Technical Trainer & Developer

Suven Consultants & Technology | Mumbai, Dec 2014 – Oct 2015

- Developed PHP web applications and internal tools; delivered freelance projects under tight timelines
- Trained 15–20 interns in PHP, MySQL, HTML, CSS, and MVC architecture

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Engineering (Computers)

Mumbai University | 2015