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OBJECTIVE

An ex-chef that recently changed profession due to a newly found passion for web and software development.

Zend Certified Engineer, I specialise in PHP and Laravel framework. Familiar with modern design patterns, MVC architecture, and building RESTful APIs. Looking forward to further develop skills in Laravel Framework and enhance my technical skills in the development of web and software applications.

I'm passionate about learning new technologies and consider my self to be a fast learner and look forward to working in a team, together with other developers.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Freelance   January 2023 — Present

Freelance Web-developer

Creating and Developing Personal Projects Showcased in my Online Portfolio at https://neilmallia.com
Continuously Expanding Skill Set through Learning New Technologies and Programming Languages for Enhanced Coding Flexibility

Wigi's Kitchen   January 2019 — April 2023

Chef

- Oversee kitchen operations and ensure the timely preparation and delivery of high-quality dishes.
- Collaborate with management to develop menus on daily basis that align the restaurants vision and customer preference.
- Train and mentor kitchen staff to ensure consistent execution of recipes and adherence to food safety guidelines

Ubistrot   February 2010 — December 2018

Chef

- Led a team of 10 kitchen staff, managing all aspects of food preparation and service for a high-end Bistrot
- Designed and implemented innovative menus that reflected changing seasonal offerings and dietary trends
- Coordinating with front of house staff to ensure a seamless and enjoyable dining experience for customers

QUALIFICATIONS

- **Zend Certified Engineer (ZCE)**
Engineer ID: ZEND033558

- **Adobe Certified Professional (ACP)**
Adobe Certification: https://www.credly.com/badges/9d9ac360-44f4-43f3-9242-6c1983cd78be/

- **Degree In Culinary arts**

EDUCATION

PHP Zend Engineer   August 2022 — February 2023

Institute of Computer Education Malta

PHP fundamentals and advanced.
MYSQL.
RESTful APIs
Architectural design Patterns

Adobe certified professional   August 2022 — December 2022

Institute of Computer Education Malta

Adobe certified web-author with adobe Dreamweaver.

Degree in Culinary Arts   September 2007 — September 2011

Institute of tourism studies

Diploma In Culinary Arts

INTERESTS

- **Web-development**
- Music
- Scuba-diving
- Adventure and Traveling

LANGUAGES

Spoken and written Languages:

- Maltese
- English
- Italian

Computer Languages:

Front-end:

- HTML5
- CSS3 / SCSS
- JavaScript ES6
- Jquery
- AJAX
- Bootstrap 4&5

- Tailwind CSS
- React

Back-end:
- PHP 7+
- MySQL
- Laravel Framework
- MongoDB

Additional Skills:
- *Version Control (git)*
- *Package Manager (NPM, composer)*
- *API Development (RESTful)*
- *Database Management System (MySQL)*
- *Content Management System (Wordpress)*