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PHP/JavaScript Developer

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Languages: Ukrainian, English

I am a seasoned developer with a decade of experience working on enterprise-grade products. I have expertise in successfully migrating legacy codebases to new major versions of PHP and hands-on experience in replacing traditional REST-based client-server communication with GraphQL. Additionally, I worked with localization, accessibility and integration of BDD approach.

My primary strengths and interests lie in backend development, with a slightly lesser focus on front-end development, but HTML and CSS/SASS are not my strongest areas of expertise.

SKILLS

PHP

TypeScript

JavaScript

HTML/CSS

Symfony

Laravel

React

GraphQL

TDD

Mentoring

Problem-solving

Responsibility

LATEST EXPERIENCE

AB Soft

Senior PHP/JS Developer/Tech Lead

Odesa, Ukraine

2013 - 2023

I joined as a strong junior developer and progressively advanced to a senior role. I have led the development team that worked on an onboarding web app for new customers in the cloud telephony sector. It supported over 15 languages and could be tailored to suit different branding and design requirements. I would like to highlight the flexibility of the onboarding process that we managed to achieve, as it could be adapted in real time based on each customer's features or marketing requests without high development costs.

Notable activities:

- Led the front-end team through the development of a brand new client-side React application.
- Developed a system that greatly reduced dev team efforts on creating, recomposing, and reskinning the onboarding flows.
- Improved app performance, achieving up to six times faster cold start speed.
- Integrated BDD-like UI testing approach. This allowed the QA team to write behavioral tests and increased the test run speed up to 5-8 times.
- Created multiple tools to streamline QA and Dev routine tasks using different tech stacks to stay updated with new technologies and approaches.
- Made a Composer package that enabled email and messenger notifications for critical events in a production environment.
- Acted as a technical mentor for team members and helped them develop their skills and knowledge.

PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE

PHP Developer, Clickky, Odesa, Ukraine	2012 - 2013
Junior PHP Developer, Web Hosting, Kyiv, Ukraine	2011 - 2012

EDUCATION

Odesa National Telecommunications Academy	Odesa, Ukraine
Master's degree, Information Technology	2006-2012
Cisco CCNA Certification Preparation Course	2011

HOBBIES

I like to read sci-fi literature, play board games with my family and friends, and try to make a hobby of game development and mobile app development.