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<Web Developer />

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Developer Tool Belt

Languages

- > JavaScript (ES6+)
- > PHP
- > HTML5
- > CSS3

Development

- > Responsive Web Design
- > Accessibility (WCAG)
- > SCSS
- > Composer
- > npm / yarn
- > Laravel Forge & Envoyer

Frameworks & Libraries

- > Laravel
- > WordPress
- > vue.js
- > node.js
- > Bootstrap
- > jQuery
- > Laravel Echo
- > Pusher
- > Axios

Databases

- > MySQL
- > IndexedDB

Summary

Full-Stack Web Developer with 9+ years of experience delivering fast, scalable web applications. Proficient in PHP, Laravel, WordPress, and front-end frameworks like Vue.js. Emphasizes clean code, responsive design, and intuitive user experiences.

Professional Experience

Twelve23

Web Developer & Technical Lead

December 2016 - Present

- Led the development of an Laravel ERP project in the education sector, architecting a RESTful API consumed by a Vue.js PWA frontend. Oversaw technical planning, backend design, and implementation, ensuring scalability, modularity, and seamless integration with third-party services.
- Built a Laravel-based ERP with server-side rendering for a premier global backpacking and climbing guide service. Developed a custom WordPress must-use plugin to handle content management with frontend application interface that communicated directly with the Laravel backend for real-time data operations.
- Built custom WordPress themes and plugins across multiple projects, including e-commerce implementations with WooCommerce. Led the reorganization of Docker's WordPress theme file structure and implemented performance optimizations that significantly improved site speed and maintainability.
- Led the technical migration of a 1,000+ page website to WordPress, architecting the content structure and building custom, reusable components ensure scalability, editorial flexibility, and performance.

Gigster

Customer Success Representative

August 2016 - December 2016

- Collaborated with clients, product managers, developers, and designers to gather context, diagnose issues, and implement solutions when a Gig failed to meet customer satisfaction expectations.

Bremerton Soccer Club (Volunteer)

Webmaster

2023 - Present

- Maintained and updated the organization's WordPress website, ensuring mobile responsiveness, plugin security, and implementing performance optimizations to improve visibility and load times. Collaborate with board members to post announcements and manage seasonal content.

Education

Software Development Bootcamp

Coding Dojo, Seattle, WA

Oct. 2015 - Jan. 2016

Exhaustive programming boot camp that provided full stack instruction in Python, JavaScript and Swift.

Hospitality Business Management

Washington State University, Pullman, WA

Fall 2004 - Winter 2007

Courses included accounting, statistics, marketing and management. Effectively worked with teams to complete projects and assignments.