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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Senior Full-Stack Developer with **18+ years of experience** building, maintaining and modernising **digital products**. Specialised in **PHP, Drupal, Symfony and WordPress**, with experience in **custom web applications, ecommerce, legacy systems, web performance, SEO/WPO, APIs, integrations and AI-powered automation**. Business-oriented, with a focus on **understanding business needs, stabilising inherited projects** and building **reliable, maintainable software capable of evolving** with new requirements.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Backend: PHP 8.x, Symfony 8, Drupal 7–11, WordPress, Magento, Zend Framework 2, Node.js	Architecture: DDD, SOLID, Hexagonal Architecture, Clean Code, MVC, REST APIs, headless CMS, legacy refactoring
Frontend: JavaScript, TypeScript, React, Bootstrap, Tailwind, Twig, responsive design	DevOps & Tools: Linux, Bash, Docker/DDEV, Git, GitLab, Jira, AWS/S3, Composer
Data: MySQL/MariaDB, Doctrine ORM, triggers, stored procedures, CouchDB, Elasticsearch, Redis	AI & Automation: OpenAI API, Claude API, vector DBs, MCP/AI agents, automation and content generation

PROFESSIONAL STRENGTHS

- Ability to join inherited projects, quickly understand the technical context and provide stability without disrupting business continuity.
- Autonomous and solution-oriented professional, used to working remotely with technical teams, product, business stakeholders and end clients.
- Pragmatic approach: I prioritise maintainable, secure and realistic solutions over unnecessary complexity.

SELECTED IMPACT

- WPO optimisation of Grupo Planeta educational portals in Drupal, working on Core Web Vitals, WebP, lazy loading and CSS optimisation until the client’s score targets were achieved.
- Maintenance and evolution of Promotur websites in Drupal 7/9, including import/export modules, PDF reports and improvements to a sustainability and carbon footprint tool.
- Reconstruction and stabilisation of legacy products in Symfony, Drupal and WordPress, improving maintainability, data structure, performance and product continuity.
- Creation of APIs, Drupal modules, WordPress plugins, internal tools and automations in PHP, JavaScript and .NET for specific business needs.

EDUCATION

2009	Web Design: PHP and MySQL (Escola de informàtica i oficis)
2007	Computer Systems Engineering (UNED, not completed)
1999	Administrative Management Technician (EMARS SEFED)

LANGUAGES

Spanish – Native · Catalan – Native · English – B2

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior PHP Developer / Full-Stack Consultant · Freelance

2017 – Present

Remote / Málaga | Symfony, Drupal, WordPress, PHP

- Development, maintenance and evolution of PHP applications for remote clients, mainly using Drupal, Symfony and WordPress.
- Cross-functional work across backend, frontend layout, integrations, performance, security and modernisation of legacy code.
- Development and integration of AI solutions in web projects and microservices, focused on content generation, process automation and user interaction.

Senior Software Developer (Drupal) · Ayesa

2024

Business consulting and services (External contractor, remote)

- Maintenance and evolution of Promotur projects on Drupal 7 and Drupal 9/10, resolving incidents and developing improvements with a backend-focused approach.
- Development of Drupal 9 modules for data import/export, PDF report generation and support for internal processes.
- Redesign of a form-based application for calculating companies' carbon footprint, improving its functional structure and maintainability.

Senior Software Developer (Drupal) · Seidor Tech

2022 – 2023

Global technology consultancy (Remote)

- Expert Drupal support for the maintenance of several websites and technical reinforcement for new projects.
- Bug fixing in Drupal 7/9, upgrade from Drupal 7 to Drupal 10 and cache optimisation for content searches.

Senior PHP Developer — Freelance (Drupal) · Fhios Smart Knowledge

2021 – 2022

Technology consultancy and creative agency (Remote)

- 16-month project to optimise Grupo Planeta portals built in Drupal and improve WPO scores.
- Creation of automations for WebP image conversion and CSS improvement through removal of unused rules, compression and deferred loading.
- Maintenance, bug fixing and collaboration with technical teams in a highly demanding environment.

Senior PHP Developer — Freelance (Drupal) · ADD+ Digital Agency

2020 – 2021

Freelance PHP development (Remote)

- Creation of a Drupal 9 community platform for a European Union Erasmus+ project, connecting companies, municipalities and citizens.
- Implementation of the theme with Bootstrap and features through Symfony controllers within Drupal, following the MVC pattern.

Senior PHP Developer — Freelance (Symfony & WordPress) · JustEasy Digital Agency

2019 – 2020

Freelance PHP development (Remote)

- Feature enhancements, support and bug fixing for a travel booking management intranet based on Symfony 2.
- Review and reconstruction of critical parts of an inherited legacy application to adapt it to new business needs.
- WordPress development: plugins, payment gateways, dynamic forms, PDF documents with digital signature, malware cleanup and mobile layout implementation.

Senior Software Developer (Visual Basic .NET & Symfony) · I-Dixit

2018 – 2019

Online reputation management (Barcelona)

- Development of tools for online review monitoring and automatic response management using Symfony and Visual Basic .NET, generating responses based on keywords and the characteristics of each establishment.

Senior Software Developer (Drupal & Symfony) · Yomyer S.L.

2015 – 2017

Web and mobile development (Barcelona)

- Reconstruction of Affinity Brandcenter in Drupal 8/Symfony, with a download area, dynamic upload form and Amazon S3 storage.
- Development of websites in Drupal and Symfony, custom statistics modules with PDF reports and backend/API development for headless projects.
- Multisite adaptation and custom themes for the client's brands, with a focus on code structure, SEO and maintainability.

PHP Developer (Drupal) · Fhios Smart Knowledge

2015

Technology consultancy and creative agency (Barcelona)

- Affinity Petcare project: translation and maintenance of corporate websites in Drupal 6/7, including layout implementation, CSS and bug fixing.

Freelance PHP Developer · Bonobo Community

2013 – 2014

Communication, consulting, development and design (Barcelona)

- Development of a purchasing portal using Zend Framework 2, CouchDB and Elasticsearch, integrating data from external APIs and referral systems.
- Development of ABAC, an accounting management system built with Symfony, with advanced MySQL logic using triggers and stored procedures.

PHP Developer · Zyncro Tech

2012 – 2013

IT services and consulting (Barcelona)

- Development of JavaScript/PHP plugins for Zyncro, a corporate social network focused on internal business communications.
- Supervision of partner developments, technical training and creation of a custom framework to standardise ZyncroApps.

Freelance PHP Developer (Drupal) · Bonobo Community

2012

External Consultant (Barcelona)

- European Union / Pau Education project: climate change portal in Africa built on Drupal 6, with responsibility for backend development and part of the layout implementation.

PHP & Visual Basic .NET Developer · Huaris Online Help

2010 – 2011

Technology, information and internet (Madrid)

- Participation in Chaxpert, a PHP platform for hiring professionals online, and development of an e-commerce chat system using Visual Basic and JavaScript.

PHP Developer (Drupal & Magento) · Diseños Pezred

2009 – 2010

Web design and development agency (Madrid)

- First professional websites built with Drupal, WordPress and Magento, as well as custom applications in PHP, Flash/AS3 and Visual Basic. E-commerce integrations with OpenERP/Odoo, payment gateways and WCAG 2 accessibility projects.

Visual Basic .NET Developer · Izasa (Werfen Group)

2008

Manufacturing and distribution of medical equipment (Barcelona)

- Automation of internal processes through Visual Basic applications for document downloading/printing, administrative procedures and certifications.