

Imran Sultan

Senior Laravel / PHP Full-Stack Developer

6+ years of professional experience specializing in Laravel, PHP, CodeIgniter, Core PHP, Vue.js and Nuxt.js, with strong expertise in APIs, third-party integrations, payments, messaging, databases and AI-assisted development.

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Senior Laravel / PHP Full-Stack Developer with 6+ years of professional experience building and maintaining production web applications across fintech, learning platforms, job platforms and business systems. Strong in Laravel, PHP, CodeIgniter, Core PHP, REST APIs, Vue.js, Nuxt.js, MySQL/PostgreSQL and GraphQL. Experienced in professional integration of third-party APIs and services, including payment gateways, mobile money and SMS platforms, with the ability to quickly understand, integrate and maintain APIs from different providers. Comfortable working remotely and using AI tools and AI agent workflows to accelerate development, debugging, research, documentation and delivery while maintaining code quality.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Senior Backend Developer — Cloud Launch

Remote, UK | Jan 2023 – Present

- Develop scalable RESTful APIs and backend services using Laravel and PHP.
- Build service-oriented / microservice-based functionality for maintainable production systems.
- Integrate payment and external service APIs including Stripe, PayPal and other third-party platforms.
- Design professional API integrations with authentication, request/response handling, validation, error handling and webhook workflows.
- Optimize database queries and application performance across MySQL and PostgreSQL environments.
- Work across Laravel, Vue.js, Hasura GraphQL, aMember Pro and Livewire-based functionality.
- Use modern AI-assisted development and AI agent workflows for coding, debugging, research, documentation and productivity.

Full Stack Developer — OTS

Rawalpindi | Jul 2021 – Dec 2022

- Developed full-stack applications using Laravel and Vue.js.
- Built REST APIs and backend modules for production applications.
- Integrated payment gateways and fintech-related services, including Stripe and PayPal.
- Worked with MySQL and microservice-oriented components.

Full Stack Developer — Signature Outsource

Remote, Part-time | Dec 2020 – Feb 2023

- Delivered Laravel and Nuxt.js web application features for client projects.
- Developed REST APIs and backend functionality using Laravel/PHP.
- Worked with PHP Lighthouse for GraphQL API development.

PHP Developer — PMYS Internship

PMAS Arid Agriculture University, Rawalpindi | Mar 2017 – Feb 2018

- Worked as a PHP developer during the Prime Minister Youth Scheme internship programme.

Junior Developer — MTBC

Rawalpindi | Oct 2016 – Dec 2017

- Worked on web development tasks as a junior developer.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Backend: Laravel, PHP, CodeIgniter, Core PHP, REST APIs, Microservices, GraphQL, PHP Lighthouse

Frontend: Vue.js, Nuxt.js, JavaScript, Livewire, HTML, CSS, Bootstrap

Databases: MySQL, PostgreSQL, Hasura, Supabase

Payments: Stripe, PayPal, M-PESA, Payment Gateway Integrations

Communication & External APIs: Africa's Talking SMS, REST API Integrations, Webhooks, Authentication, API Validation & Error Handling

AI & Development: AI Agents, AI-assisted Development, AI Coding Workflows, Prompting, AI-powered Research & Debugging

DevOps & Infrastructure: Docker, Linux, CI/CD, Server Management

Performance: Query Optimization, Database Optimization

Other: Node.js, Python, Fintech Applications, aMember Pro

SELECTED PROJECTS

Path to Arabic

Backend | member.pathtoarabic.com

Islam Simplified

Backend + Admin Dashboard | islamsimplified.app

MRL Finance

Backend + Admin Dashboard | Fintech | M-PESA & SMS integrations | mrlfinance.com

Publish Jobs

Full-Stack Development | publish.jobs

MoveHome NationWide

Full-Stack Development | movehomenationwide.com

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Computer Science

Target roles: Senior Laravel Developer • Senior PHP Developer • Laravel/Vue Full-Stack Developer • Backend Engineer