

SUMMARY

Two distinct practices, one architect. **Senior PHP, Drupal, and Laravel** — 20+ years of enterprise systems for HP, Roche, CTS Eventim, Petrol, custom banking and e-commerce; still actively shipping (BE-TRUTH, TextCreator). And **AI-first delivery** — production SaaS in weeks, with depth-driven architecture underneath the speed. AI makes a fast developer faster, but a senior with AI produces fast *and* reliable systems. The difference is the foundation. Open to Drupal/Laravel partner and contractor engagements alongside AI-first MVP delivery.

SKILLS

Production Depth 20+ YRS · STILL SHIPPING

PHP / Laravel

20+ years. Enterprise banking, e-commerce, SaaS platforms. Currently shipping Laravel 12 projects (BE-TRUTH, TextCreator).

Drupal

12+ years. FOX Award Gold winner. HP, Roche, CTS Eventim enterprise projects. Open for new Drupal partner engagements.

PostgreSQL / MySQL

ACID-compliant banking systems on Postgres and MySQL/MariaDB. Optimization, replication, partitioning.

Software Architecture

Microservices, event-driven, CQRS. Designed systems handling millions of transactions.

Docker / DevOps

Container orchestration, CI/CD pipelines, blue-green deployments, infrastructure as code.

CI/CD

GitHub Actions, GitLab CI, automated testing, zero-downtime deployment pipelines.

Linux / Server Administration

Production server management, security hardening, performance tuning, monitoring.

AI-First Delivery ACTIVE STACK

AI-first PHP / Laravel / Drupal

Same 20-year stack, now shipped via AI-first workflows. Legacy modernization, rapid feature delivery, AI-assisted refactoring.

E2E-Verified Delivery

Every feature ships behind full end-to-end tests — the app is provably working after each step, not just "looks done". AI speed without the AI-slop risk.

Next.js / React

Full-stack apps built at AI speed. Server components, app router, production SaaS.

Node.js

API services, real-time applications, serverless functions.

TypeScript

Type-safe full-stack development. Strong typing advocate.

Full-Stack Development

Tailwind, component systems, responsive design, accessibility, end-to-end delivery.

Learning & Growing EXPANDING HORIZONS

AI Automation

Automating the dev workflow itself: ticket triage, deployments, testing, code review, release notes. Custom agents and pipelines that remove repetitive work.

AI-First Pipelines

Transcription, structuring, and research automation feeding back into the product. Lifts virtually every aspect of software delivery — from discovery to QA.

AI Agent Architecture

Designing MCP servers, custom tools, and Claude Code workflows. Open-sourced Weblens — debug bridge for AI agents on live pages across iPhone, Android, and desktop.

Vector Search & RAG

pgvector, embeddings, semantic matching. Building hands-on with embedding pipelines — data prep, indexing, retrieval, hybrid search.

Python

Scripting, automation, infrastructure tooling. Built stdlib-only CLIs (audit-hub, tg-notify) and transcription pipelines using local whisper + API providers.

EXPERIENCE

Senior PHP / Drupal / Laravel Engineer + AI-First Architect · Independent

2025 — Present

Two parallel practices. PHP/Drupal/Laravel — Laravel 12 production shipping (BE-TRUTH, TextCreator), open to Drupal partner engagements. AI-first — Next.js/React MVPs, custom agents, AI-augmented dev workflows. 15+ production systems delivered in 2026 across both tracks. Full-stack: PHP, Node.js, PostgreSQL, Docker, Traefik.

Banking & Food Service Platform · DobrawPay

2022 — 2024

Product Owner & Lead Developer. Custom banking system with own currency, real-time restaurant ordering, headless architecture for iOS/Android/web, Telegram bot for team ops. Full lifecycle from architecture to go-to-market.

Drupal 9/10 REST APIs MariaDB Docker

Award-Winning E-Learning · Roche Accu-Chek Academy · Buzzwo! ASIA

2016 — 2025

Lead Drupal developer on multi-mode e-learning platform. Three viewing formats (slides, handbook, interactive), 10+ languages with RTL, Solr search, PDF/ePub export, gamification. Served 100+ countries.

PHP Drupal Solr MySQL

Built and optimized multi-domain Drupal platform for one of Europe's largest energy networks. 500+ fuel stations across 5 countries, custom calculators, DB2 integration, interactive maps, CRM/ERP connectors.

Drupal PHP DB2

High-Performance Ticketing · CTS Eventim · Dhimahi

Senior .NET backend developer building SOAP-based services for Europe's busiest ticketing platform. High-performance APIs processing 200+ bookings per minute, integration with fuel stations and third-party outlets.

C# .NET SOAP PostgreSQL JMeter

Enterprise Scale · HP Data Protector · Hermes SoftLab / ComTrade

Backend developer on HP Data Protector — enterprise-grade backup solution. Remote agent deployment for hundreds of machines, cross-platform scripts for 10+ Unix flavors. Working in large teams, responsible for shared outcomes. Knowledge transfer to HP India.

C/C++ Bash Windows Installer

RECENT AI-POWERED PROJECTS

These projects demonstrate the AI-first approach: production-quality code at prototype speed.

<p>HoldSpace 2 weeks</p> <p>Session management platform for bodyworkers and holistic practitioners. Launched in 2 weeks</p> <p>Next.js, PostgreSQL</p> <p>holdspace.pro</p>	<p>My Portfolio <1 day</p> <p>Source of this PDF: an AI-powered portfolio site with real-time chat and fit assessment, built in under 24 hours</p> <p>Next.js, Gemini AI</p> <p>alexander-belov.dev</p>	<p>TextCreator pre-launch</p> <p>AI-powered SEO content generation platform. Dashboard + blog + landing page</p> <p>Laravel, Next.js</p>
<p>Vita12 launched</p> <p>E-commerce with rich product descriptions, Lexical editor, and payment integration</p> <p>Next.js, Lexical</p> <p>vitazdravie.ru</p>	<p>WebLens open source</p> <p>Open-source debug bridge</p> <p>TypeScript, Node.js</p> <p>github.com/duriandrivendesign/weblens</p>	