Alexandr Lysak

Strong Middle Backend Developer

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Backend developer with 9+ years of hands-on experience building and maintaining scalable web applications using PHP (Laravel, Symfony) and Node.js. Strong track record in REST API design, SQL performance optimization (30–60% gains), Docker-based deployments, and third-party integrations. Prior background in telecom support adds solid understanding of network infrastructure. Open to full-time or part-time remote engagement.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Backend	PHP 8+, Laravel, Symfony, Node.js, REST API, Python 3
Databases	PostgreSQL, MySQL, Query Optimization
DevOps	Docker, Docker Compose, Nginx, Arch Linux
Frontend	React, Vue 3
Tools & Integrations	Git, Payment Gateways, CRM, SMS/Email Providers, Data Parsers
Languages	Ukrainian — Native | Russian — Native | English — Intermediate

WORK EXPERIENCE

Web Developer | Lysak O.V. FOP (Self-employed)

January 2017 – Present · 9+ years · Pavlohrad, Ukraine · Remote

- Designed and developed REST APIs for web applications using Laravel and Symfony
- Optimized complex SQL queries in PostgreSQL and MySQL, achieving 30–60% performance improvements
- Containerized projects with Docker / Docker Compose, streamlining deployment and environment consistency
- Integrated third-party services: payment gateways, CRM systems, SMS/email providers
- Built data parsers (Python, PHP) for aggregators and information services
- Maintained production projects, conducted code reviews, and resolved incidents

Support Manager | StarNet (ISP), Pavlohrad

August 2000 – June 2016 · 15 years 11 months · Telecommunications

- Provided technical support to internet subscribers via phone and on-site visits
- Installed and spliced fiber optic cables, worked with OTDRs, and troubleshot fiber line faults
- Performed optical closure and cross-connection work; rerouted fiber backbone connections

EDUCATION

Zaporizhzhia Institute of Economics and Information Technologies — *2025 – 2029 (in progress)*
Faculty of Engineering — Software Engineering

STEP Computer Academy — Software Development, Dnipro — *2010 – 2012*

REFERENCES

Yuri Yurchenko — CTO, Web Design Sun | yuri.yurchenko@iig.global