Slava Varda, Full Stack Developer

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LINKS

LinkedIn, Personal Website

PROFILE

Full Stack Developer with 9+ years of experience building **AI-augmented**, high-performance web and mobile applications.

Proficient in **JavaScript, TypeScript, React, Next.js, Node.js, and React Native**, delivering optimized and accessible interfaces. Skilled in **REST API design, cloud deployment (AWS, Vercel)**, and CMS integration. Improved SEO and reduced load times by up to 40% through server-side rendering and code optimization. A creative developer bridging **code, design, and automation** to deliver scalable, human-centered digital experiences.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Sep 2017 — Present

Full Stack Developer, Webrectrix
Los Angeles

Developing and maintaining **scalable, TypeScript-based** web and mobile solutions using **React, Next.js, Node.js, and React Native**. Designed and optimized **REST APIs** and modular backends with **Express.js and Nx**, improving codebase maintainability and server performance by 25%.

Implemented **server-side rendering and SEO optimization** to enhance visibility and page speed. Collaborate in **Agile teams** on planning, reviews, and CI/CD delivery, ensuring reliable releases. Focused on **code quality, testing, and performance optimization** across all platforms, supporting sustained growth and user engagement.

Feb 2016 — Sep 2017

Full Stack Developer, REFACTOR CODE LIMITED
London

Developed **single-page applications (SPAs)** with **AngularJS** and **Ionic**, delivering responsive, cross-platform interfaces for clients across web and mobile.

Built and optimized **PHP (Laravel)** backends and APIs with secure authentication, caching, and efficient database queries. Collaborated with designers and stakeholders to align UI/UX with business goals, boosting performance and reliability through testing and CI/CD. Deployed and maintained applications on **AWS**, reducing infrastructure costs and improving deployment reliability.

Mentored junior developers and streamlined development workflows, improving delivery consistency and team velocity.

Apr 2014 — Jan 2016

Web Developer, TireosFramework
Nizhniy Novgorod

Developed and deployed **10+ CMS-driven websites and web apps** for local and international clients, translating design concepts into responsive, high-performance interfaces.

Collaborated with designers and stakeholders to optimize UX and SEO, increasing organic traffic and engagement. Implemented CMS customization improvements that cut development time by 25% and enhanced maintainability. Strengthened project delivery through Agile collaboration, debugging, and code optimization.

INTERNSHIPS

Jul 2013 — Mar 2014

Junior Web Developer , Fabrikant
Nizhniy Novgorod

Joined the internal development team at Fabrikant to support and enhance corporate and client-facing web systems. Collaborated within an **Agile environment**, gaining exposure to production-level workflows and version control.

Assisted in front-end development with **HTML5, CSS, and JavaScript**, and supported back-end logic using **PHP and MySQL**. Helped debug UI issues, update content, and stabilize CMS integrations. Improved page responsiveness and reduced loading errors through focused testing and code review.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Oct 2012 — Jun 2013	Web Developer (Extra-Curricular), WebConsulting	Nizhniy Novgorod

Joined WebConsulting while studying Computer Science to gain hands-on experience in professional web development. Delivered small-business websites from concept to launch, translating client needs into reliable, maintainable code.

Developed and optimized sites with **C++, PHP, MySQL, HTML5, and CSS**, ensuring responsive layouts and cross-browser consistency. Learned version control, collaborative workflows, and client communication under real project deadlines.

EDUCATION

Oct 2012 — Jun 2013	Foundation Degree in Computer Science, Lobachevsky University	Nizhniy Novgorod

- Studied algorithms, software engineering fundamentals, C++, and PHP.
- Completed multiple graded projects applying theory to real-world coding tasks.
- Built a strong academic foundation for future roles in software and web development.
- Key Project: Developed a CMS prototype in PHP and MySQL that improved efficiency and security.

COURSES

2024 — 2025	Meta Front-End Developer Certificate, Coursera

SKILLS

JavaScript	Expert	HTML5/CSS	Expert
TypeScript	Expert	WordPress	Experienced
React	Expert	CMS Integration	Experienced
React Native	Experienced	SEO Optimization	Skillful
Next.js	Experienced	Git	Experienced
Angular	Experienced	CI/CD	Experienced
PHP	Experienced	Nx (Modular Architectures)	Experienced
C++	Beginner	Vercel	Experienced
Node.js	Expert	Agile/Scrum	Experienced
Express.js	Experienced	Testing & Debugging	Experienced
SQL/MySQL/PostgreSQL	Experienced	Docker	Experienced
Laravel	Experienced		

LANGUAGES

English	B2	Russian	Native speaker