Mark Magyar

Senior Software Engineer

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ABOUT ME

I have spent the past 11+ years building for the web, mostly with PHP and Laravel. What keeps me excited about the work is turning complicated problems into software that feels simple to use, easy to maintain, and genuinely helpful to other developers. That same motivation led me to become a Core Contributor to the Tempest PHP Framework and co-found Luminarix Labs, where I create open-source tools with a strong focus on developer experience. I am based in Budapest and open to B2B engagements, remote employment, or hybrid roles in Budapest.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Backend: PHP, Laravel, Tempest, Symfony, REST APIs, GraphQL

Frontend: TypeScript, React, Next.js, Tailwind CSS, JavaScript, HTML5

Databases: PostgreSQL, MySQL, SQLite, Redis

Infrastructure: Docker, Git, Linux, Vercel, Composer

Tools & Other: PhpStorm, Kotlin, Node.js, Vite, Shopify API, OpenAI API

WORK EXPERIENCE

Co-Founder
Luminarix Labs
December 2024 - Present

Building and maintaining open-source Laravel packages. Creating developer tools that enhance productivity and simplify complex integrations.

Senior Software Engineer
Helix Digital
June 2023 - Present

Leading development of complex web applications and e-commerce solutions. Architecting scalable systems with Laravel, React, and modern PHP practices.

Freelance Developer
Self-Employed
January 2015 - Present

Delivering custom web solutions for clients across various industries. Specializing in Laravel applications, API integrations, and developer tooling.

Software Engineer
Feher Rendszerhaz Informatikai Kft.
January 2019 - June 2023

Built and maintained a custom ERP system with lead management, ticketing, billing, product management, offer and production management functionalities.

Freelance Developer
Ludos Moenus Ltd
April 2022 - December 2022

Developed a custom webstore for a gaming portal using Laravel, JavaScript, and MySQL.

NOTABLE PROJECTS & OPEN SOURCE

Tempest Framework ↗ **(2.3k GitHub stars)**
Core Contributor
Modern PHP framework focused on minimal boilerplate and developer experience.

Laravel Shopify GraphQL ↗
Creator
GraphQL wrapper for Shopify Admin API with automatic rate limiting, bulk operations, and Eloquent integration.

Enum Concern ↗
Creator
Laravel package for enhanced enum functionality.

LANGUAGES

Hungarian (Native) | English (C1)