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Professional Summary

Full Stack Developer with experience building and maintaining **web applications**, developing **APIs**, integrating systems, and optimizing performance. Hands-on with **PHP/Laravel**, **Livewire**, and relational databases, plus **CI/CD** pipelines, payment integrations, multichannel notifications, and geolocation. Familiar with observability practices, API documentation, **Docker** environments, and version control with **git** (GitLab and GitHub).

Professional Experience

Full Stack Developer | Palinha

October 2025 – June 2026

Technology company focused on booking musicians for private events and bars.

- Built the backend API in PHP/Laravel and the frontend with Blade.
- Integrated Google Calendar to help musicians organize their schedules.
- Built a real-time rating system for entertainment venues and bars, and for the musicians they hire, including the ability to tip musicians performing on site.

Full Stack Developer | Hotel pra Hoje

March 2024 – September 2025

Technology company focused on hospitality and online booking solutions.

- Built the backend API in **PHP/Laravel** and the frontend with **Livewire**, using MySQL.
- System modeling and implementation of integrations: **payment gateways** (Asaas, Pagar.me), **OAuth** authentication, **observability** (Laravel Telescope), API documentation via **Swagger**, a notification system (email, WhatsApp, push notifications with Firebase), and integration with the Google Maps geolocation API.
- **Optimized the logging system** to a JSON format, replacing Laravel's default stacks for standardization and better analysis.
- Set up a **CI/CD** pipeline with GitHub Actions to run automated tests on every commit.

Backend Developer (Freelance) | Palinha

January 2025 – February 2025

Technology company focused on booking musicians for private events and bars.

- Implemented a calendar system integrated with the orders module, letting clients and musicians view and organize upcoming events conveniently.

Education

Associate Degree in Internet Systems Technology – UTFPR – Federal University of Technology – Paraná (March 2023 – December 2025, **completed**)

Certifications

AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner

Technical Skills

Languages: PHP, Ruby, JavaScript, Python, HTML, CSS, Rust

Frameworks: Laravel, Livewire, Ruby on Rails, Hotwire/Turbo, Tailwind CSS

Databases: MySQL, PostgreSQL, SQLite

Tools: Git, Docker, Linux Terminal

Cloud & DevOps: AWS (basic), Docker/Kamal deployment, CI/CD (GitHub Actions), Cloudflare (CDN/cache), observability (New Relic)

Certification: AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner

Showcase projects:

- **Cinemarchives** — <https://cinemarchives.com.br> — A digital archive for browsing and searching digitized cinema magazines, built with **Ruby on Rails 8**.
 - **Full-text** search with **SQLite FTS5** (raw SQL) over thousands of transcribed pages; navigation with **Hotwire/Turbo** and a **Tailwind CSS** interface.
 - Deployed to production with **Kamal/Docker** on an Oracle Cloud VM, behind **Cloudflare** with edge cache rules and an image CDN.
 - Observability with **New Relic** (APM) and analytics with GoatCounter.
 - **Launched in May 2026**. In its launch month it served **~108K page views** and **~34K unique visitors** (≈ 650K HTTP requests) — peaking on the first day at ~31K page views and ~8K unique visitors — handled by a single 1 vCPU / 1 GB VM thanks to ~50% of requests being served from the Cloudflare edge.
 - Write-ups about the project: [Cinemarchives](#) (introduction) and [Cinemarchives: idea, architecture, deploy](#) (technical decisions).
- **challenge-backend-laravel-php** — github.com/joaopabdala/challenge-backend-laravel-php — REST backend in **PHP/Laravel** that syncs products and categories from an external store API into a local database, with Redis caching and queue workers; uses the Adapter/Factory patterns for swappable providers and exposes filtering, pagination, and aggregated-statistics endpoints. (Docker/Laravel Sail)
- **tiko** — github.com/joaopabdala/tiko — Command-line tool written in **Rust** (async) to download watermark-free TikTok videos in HD.

Languages

- English: Fluent (speaking, reading, and writing)
- French: Beginner (reading)
- Japanese: Beginner