

# DAVID THORPE

## PHP DEVELOPER

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### TECHNOLOGIES

#### Languages

PHP (Laravel)  
Javascript (VueJS)  
Python (Django)

#### Databases

Postgres  
MySQL / MariaDB

#### Other

ElasticSearch  
NGINX  
SASS

### WHAT I CAN DO

- I love building super scalable JSON REST APIs.
- Focus on business needs instead of resume driven development.
- Client-facing friendly and able to communicate effectively with external parties and internal stakeholders.
- Happily bring ideas and honesty to the table to aid technical direction within a business.
- Try my hand at mostly anything where required. What better way to learn!

### EXPERIENCE

#### TIME RELOCATION | Consultant CTO

2014 - CURRENT | REMOTE

Technical Lead & Consultant CTO for startup platform serving the corporate relocation market. Advisor for strategic decisions related to the technological segment of the business.

#### NDA CLIENT | Consultant CTO

2014 - PRESENT | REMOTE

Technical Lead & Consultant CTO for startup with household celebrity name backing. Focus on REST API designed to scale well to millions of users. Devops lead investigating hosting solutions that solve both technical and business requirements.

#### CYBER DUCK | Contract Laravel Developer

DECEMBER 2016 - MARCH 2017 | PART REMOTE

Contract Web Application Developer for a digital publishing platform. Hardware integration via bespoke APIs and PDF processing workers.

#### LAUNDRAPP | Contract Laravel Developer

MARCH 2016 - JUNE 2016 | REMOTE

Tasked with refactoring old code. Helped build processes around the existing web team for smoother workflows and reduced deployment risk.

#### SUNNY | Contract PHP Developer

LATE 2012 - MID 2013 | LONDON, UK

Core loan mechanics developer focused on providing pay-day loan credit to thousands of consumers. Re-built the core monetary calculation system from scratch. I regret working in this industry.

### INVOLVED IN

- **Laravel Certification Programme** (Support Material Producer)
- **Laravel London Meetup** (Guest Speaker)
- **VueJS Meetup** (Guest Speaker)
- **Estimatr App** (estimatrapp.com)

### INTERESTS

Audio / video production, minimalism, meditation, yoga, wing chun kung fu, skateboarding. Oh, and tea.