

GEORGI ZHIVANKIN

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PERSONAL PROFILE

A hard-working young professional of great integrity, striving to exceed your expectations.

SKILLS PROFILE

Programming Languages and Technologies:	PHP 5 (OOP and Procedural), MySQL, PostgreSQL, HTML 5, CSS, JAVA Script, XML, SOAP, REST, JSON, JAVA, Python
Web Frameworks:	PHP MVC (Laravel, CodeIgniter), JS (Twitter Bootstrap, jQuery)
Software Skills:	Microsoft Office, ABBYY FineReader and various Windows-based software packages
Operating Systems:	Mac OSX, Microsoft Windows, Unix
Other Web Technologies:	GIT and SVN tracking; Documentation and bug Prioritisation experience; Management of Drupal, Moodle, WordPress, Joomla and PHPBB powered sites; Adobe Dreamweaver CC Beta Tester; Agile Methodology Experience; Familiar with several APIs (PayPal, Facebook API); Experience with tools for collaborative working (Bamboo, Confluence, JIRA; Slack; Trello)
Presentation, Communication and Team Skills:	Confident speaker and presenter; excellent verbal and written communication skills in both Bulgarian and English; strong problem-solving and analytical skills, able to work well in a team.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

May 2015 – Sep 2015 Mettle.io (London, UK) PHP Developer

- Developed features across multiple projects for different clients with PHP 5 and related technologies.
- Coded primarily on the Laravel Framework versions 4 and 5.
- Tracked and fixed bugs and technical faults on existing or legacy systems when required.
- Co-operated with colleagues from around the world by following the GIT flow collaborative process and using tools such as Slack, Trello and Producteev to ease communication and collaboration.

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Mar 2012 – Sep 2014 [RepRisk AG. \(Zürich, Switzerland\)](#) Web Developer

- Worked as a developer on the proprietary RepRisk® tool using pure PHP, MySQL, JAVA SCRIPT and HTML.
- Designed and built custom solutions and APIs for individual clients that required access to the large RepRisk database from their own corporate systems.
- Provided internal technical support to the RepRisk Analysts and operations management when that was required for operational or other reasons.

Nov 2011 – Feb 2012 [Qismat.org \(London, UK\)](#) PHP Developer

- Coded the backend of a small application using PHP and MySQL for sending and receiving text messages through the SOAP protocol and the JSON format.
- Liaised with their in-house designer and helped him to create a fluent user experience interface for the application.
- Made a small directory script intended to be used by any external clients requiring security-controlled access of the company's intranet.

Jun 2006 – Present [www.bezmishka.org \(Sofia, Bulgaria\)](#) Website Administrator

- Co-founder of an organisation that aims to support visually impaired people by providing them with a website with tutorials and relevant information regarding accessible software and technologies for the blind, and a dedicated mailing list where the community can freely discuss computer-related topics and issues.
- Administering the Drupal-based organisation's website and mailing list on a voluntary basis.
- Writing news, articles, technical tutorials and other materials pertinent to the website's topic and intended audience.

Sep 2005 – Aug 2009 [www.freelancer.com and various personal projects](#) Freelancer

- Worked occasionally as a freelancer on the specified website and for personal clients, doing a variety of projects, from performing installations of WordPress blogs and coding small applications in PHP, to writing or proof-reading articles.

EDUCATION

Sep 2008 – Sep 2012 [City University London](#) London, UK Undergraduate Degree

- Graduated with a 1st class degree in BSC (HONS) Business Computing Systems, attaining a score of 78/100%.

Sep 2003 – Jun 2008 [First English Language School Sofia, Bulgaria](#) Secondary School Degree

- Graduated with a 'Diploma Za Zavrsheno Sredno Obrazovanie' (*High School Diploma*), attaining a score of 5.51/6.00.

REFERENCES

All References will be provided upon request.