

EDUCATION

Eötvös Loránd University
BSc – Software Information Technology /
Program Designer Informatics
2008 – 2013
Hungary

SKILLS

Backend & software design

PHP 8.x Slim
Symfony Components REST APIs
OpenAPI DDD SOLID
microservices
event-driven architecture

Data, integration & performance

MySQL query optimization Redis
Memcached RabbitMQ
API Gateway REST/SOAP APIs
webhooks

Testing & engineering quality

Codeception PHPUnit PHPStan
PHP-CS-Fixer Git code standards
Jira Confluence Bitbucket

Platform & reliability

Linux Docker Kubernetes
Helm Jenkins CI/CD Argo CD
GitOps Grafana Prometheus
Sentry

AI-assisted engineering

AI agents
AI-assisted tools (independent projects)
code review testing and verification

LANGUAGES

English
Professional working proficiency (B2/C1)

Hungarian
Native

German
Basic

CERTIFICATIONS

**AI Video Production – Professional
Training (completed)**
Skvot · 2026

Zend Certified PHP Engineer
Zend · 2015

Tamas Szabo

Senior PHP & Backend Engineer | APIs & Platform Engineering

Senior PHP/backend engineer with 15+ years of professional experience across high-traffic platforms, distributed services, REST APIs and event-driven systems. My background includes PHP 8.x, MySQL, caching, RabbitMQ, Slim, Symfony-based APIs and selected Symfony components, plus Docker/Kubernetes and CI/CD automation. I independently investigate complex technical problems, design practical solutions and take ownership through implementation, testing and support. I learn new tools quickly and combine established engineering practices with current AI-assisted development workflows.

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EXPERIENCE

Byborg IP / Docler Holding S.à r.l.

Senior PHP Engineer

May 2014 – February 2026

Luxembourg

- Built and modernized PHP backend services for LiveJasmin and AWEmpire, including high-traffic APIs and service-oriented architecture.
- Developed core REST APIs and improved reliability using MySQL, distributed caching, automated tests and static analysis.
- Designed a Certificate API automating SSL provisioning for thousands of websites.
- Delivered asynchronous event-driven integrations with RabbitMQ and an internal event-distribution system.
- Contributed to release automation that helped double production deployments and played a key role in migrating 100+ services to Kubernetes-based developer environments with Helm.
- Independently investigated cross-system problems, owned solutions end to end and communicated effectively across engineering and product teams.

Novussoftware Kft.

PHP Developer

May 2012 – April 2014

Budapest, Hungary

- Designed and optimized a high-load advertising system processing millions of impressions per day.
- Built backend services for a video-chat platform.

Docler Holding / Duodecad Kft.

PHP Developer

July 2010 – May 2012

Budapest, Hungary

- Developed affiliate, payment, promotional and partner-integration functionality for large international online platforms.



PROJECTS

MetaBloom – E-commerce platform & integrations

Shopify, n8n, REST/SOAP APIs, webhooks, Docker, monitoring

Independent project (2026–present). Built a multilingual Shopify storefront and integrated support, email, fulfillment, invoicing and reporting through n8n, webhooks and REST/SOAP APIs. Added validation, error monitoring and alerts; created lightweight internal monitoring tools with AI-assisted development, reviewing and testing code before use.

Bitrix24 – Multi-channel CRM implementation

Bitrix24, CRM, web forms, IVR, workflow automation

Designed and configured a centralized CRM for 10 operators, unifying phone calls, email and web forms. Configured IVR and call routing across six countries and created native workflow automations.