

# Hunter Yeago

## Fullstack Web Developer

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## Professional Experience

### Fullstack Web Developer - Lettuce Entertain You

Chicago, IL - January 2024 - Present

- **Start to Finish Development:** Built sites using Next.js, PHP, and headless WordPress CMS including Cloud infrastructure on Google Cloud Platform, as well as maintained and updated 40+ existing Wordpress / PHP websites. Implemented responsive design and full accessibility for a consistent user experience across devices. Managed project budgets and delivered projects on time and within budget constraints. Used Google Tag Manager and Google Analytics to track traffic and empower marketing managers with real time customer insights.  
**Websites I was the project lead on:** <https://www.joes.net> • <https://www.gossipanddip.com>
- **Cloud Infrastructure:** Deployed and configured GCP infrastructure with CI/CD pipelines and custom Docker configurations, utilizing Cloud Run, Load balancers, Bucket Storage, Cloud SQL Database, and Alert Monitoring. Troubleshooting system issues by analyzing error logs and implementing root cause diagnostics.
- **Fixed Workflow Inefficiencies:** Streamlined the integration of restaurant data into WordPress, eliminating the need for manual input and reducing error-checking tasks. By leveraging the ACF plugin, I cut down on support tickets by transferring customization options from code to WordPress, enabling Marketing Managers to make adjustments to the frontend menu display without needing the development team to make code changes.
- **Reduced Development Time:** Saved over 300 man-hours annually by creating a custom PHP script that integrates the GCP CLI into the team's workflow, streamlining cloud asset transfers for 40+ websites. This solution reduced user errors compared to the previous third-party software and improved overall efficiency, allowing the team to focus on more critical tasks.

### Laravel Project - Language Learning Tool (in progress)

September 2024 - Present

- **Implemented Effective Pedagogical Methods:** I am using Laravel, Inertia.js, PostgreSQL, and React.js to create a language learning tool that meets a pain point in the language learning process. Rather than the usual way of using an un-connected series of Google Docs, every correct / incorrect answer users receive on their essays will be connected allowing for greater insights into high priority problems to address and a clearer sense of progress in their writing abilities in a foreign language.

### Bartender - The Den Theatre

Chicago, IL - April 2021 - December 2023

- **Bar Management and Customer Service:** Managed daily operations of the bar, including inventory control, preparing drinks, and handling cash transactions. Addressed customer concerns promptly and professionally, resolving conflicts and maintaining a positive atmosphere.

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## Education & Presentations

- **Bachelor of Philosophy** Stetson University, DeLand, Florida 2018
- **Presenter - Philosophy of Art Conference** San Diego State University, California - June 2018  
Received academic scholarship to present thesis paper 'Advertising and Autonomy'
- **Presenter - Disquiet International Literary Conference** Lisbon, Portugal - July 2018  
Received academic scholarship to attend and present novel at Disquiet Literary Conference.
- **Technical Skills**  
PHP, Laravel, Inertia.js, Git, PostgreSQL, MySQL Next.js, React.js, TypeScript, JavaScript, Docker, Google Cloud Platform, jQuery, LAMP, HTML, CSS, SASS, Tailwind