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WORK EXPERIENCE

05/2007 – 05/2008

Analyst and tester of semantic desktop applications

Forschungszentrum Karlsruhe

I worked in European's Union NEPOMUK project at FZI; testing, expanding and developing a semantic repository of information (SWECR) and a world modeling language (CDS). Large team. Java, RDF, jUnit, Maven, Eclipse, Jira, ...
Information and communication / Karlsruhe, Germany

03/2008 – 09/2009

Web portals developer

openTrends

- I created portlets for intranets. Java, Liferay, HTML, CSS, jQuery, Struts, Hibernate, Tomcat, Alfresco. New development and customization to client needs. Some work at clients' offices.
- Other projects: tool to handle PDF forms; ETL tool to do DB migration (Talend, SugarCRM)

Barcelona

09/2009 – 07/2011

GIS engineer

LOVIC Disseny i control de serveis urbans

- I created a fleet tracking platform: GPS data acquisition, backend (Postgis, Python, GeoServer), UI (OpenLayers, Extjs), PDA apps to view maps (Java, J2ME, midlets). I taught programming and GIS
- I did network and server administration (GNU/Linux, sites with Joomla and Tikiwiki)

Barcelona, Spain

04/2011 – 08/2012

CTO and cofounder

Compraventalia.com

Small startup: a social network for classified ads. I did all the programming from scratch in Django (Python), coded HTML/CSS/JS, and set up web/DB/mail servers. 3 people team.

Barcelona

03/2012 – 07/2012

Django programmer, R&D

ViClone

I improved the infrastructure for the main product (virtual assistant, with NLP), designed a logging and statistics framework, set up Django production servers and instructed others about Django.

06/2012 – 01/2015

CTO and cofounder

Zocko.com

I did the initial architecture, systems design, and programming. I went through the early stages of investment (business plan, funding), and after the 1st investment round I led a technical team (1 to 2 developers) in Jakarta (Indonesia), in a 7-person team. The tool offered technology for affiliate marketing and link tracking.

Technologies: Django, APIs (for affiliate networks), PostgreSQL, server administration. Some important components are: e-commerce API aggregator to transform data to a custom language; robust handling of financial operations in users' money wallets; automatically updating commission information sanely in many possible scenarios.

Barcelona & Jakarta

02/2015 – 05/2015

Head of back-end Indonesia

Creative HotHouse

- In „big data“ project I modelled data, did simulations and set up some Amazon Web Services
- Improving e-learning platform (Belajoo) and some processes. Techn.: Laravel, AngularJS
- I hired programmers, transferred knowledge, and supervised a Django project (Zocko)

Jakarta, Indonesia

06/2015 – 01/2017

Small jobs, nomad

This was a sabbatical year, when I travelled through 8 countries and studied dozens of languages. I kept on programming, for myself, and I did language courses and technical help through Internet. Also 2 months serving guests in a guesthouse.

08/2017 – 02/2022

Open edX developer

OpenCraft

Services around Open edX (software for online courses for universities, MOOC). Django, Python, docker, AWS, OpenStack, ansible, Terraform, big ecosystem. Freelance work, 15~30 person all-remote team. I contributed many features upstream (all free software). I did project management, budgets control, client communication, devops/firefighting, onboarding/mentoring, and improving company processes.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2003 – 2006 – Barcelona, Spain

Technical engineer in computing science

Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya

2006 – 2007 – Germany

(Erasmus)

Universität Karlsruhe

Thesis about semantic representation of argumentation (how to model discussions). In German.

LANGUAGE SKILLS

MOTHER TONGUE(S): Spanish & Catalan

OTHER LANGUAGE(S):

German

Listening C2	Reading C2	Spoken production C2	Spoken interaction C2	Writing C1
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Esperanto

Listening C2	Reading C2	Spoken production C2	Spoken interaction C2	Writing C2
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Indonesian

Listening C2	Reading C2	Spoken production C2	Spoken interaction C2	Writing C2
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English

Listening C2	Reading C2	Spoken production C2	Spoken interaction C2	Writing C2
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Turkish

Listening A1	Reading A2	Spoken production A2	Spoken interaction A2	Writing A2
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French

Listening C1	Reading C1	Spoken production B2	Spoken interaction B2	Writing B1
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Basque

Listening A2	Reading A2	Spoken production A2	Spoken interaction A2	Writing A2
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Albanian

Listening A2	Reading B2	Spoken production B1	Spoken interaction B1	Writing A2
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Russian

Listening A2	Reading B1	Spoken production B1	Spoken interaction B1	Writing B1
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Latvian

Listening B2	Reading C1	Spoken production B2	Spoken interaction B2	Writing A2
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ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS

Organisational skills

- I do extensive tracking of time, tasks, and knowledge in my daily life
- I can detect my own planning and estimation errors and learn from them
- I like working alone in my own way, and I work best in a competent team with clear job divisions
- I have managed small groups (1-2 people) at the workplace and mentored many individuals

COMMUNICATION AND INTERPERSONAL SKILLS

Communication and interpersonal skills

- Lots of writing experience, e.g. in my website I wrote dozens of articles to explain technical topics in a clear way. I like being the bridge between technical and non-technical
- Good analytical and argumentation skills; I enjoyed taking part in a German debate club, and wrote my thesis about discussions. I'm best at discussing infrastructure deeply (sometimes too much)
- Perfectionist, with attention to detail (because my goal is: to understand)
- Strong ethics and integrity. I act in the same way I think, and this makes me peculiar (most obvious example is: I read terms&conditions, and if a software asks me „do you accept these TOS“ and I don't, I'll click „no“)
- I am good at teaching. I have been doing it at work (programming) and for leisure (languages). I can learn anything by myself until I'm competent in it

JOB-RELATED SKILLS

Job-related skills

- Finding, analyzing „in too much detail“, and solving complex problems
- Quality assurance, web and program usability, describing rules and verifying them
- Knowledge management and transfer, semantic technologies, logic

OTHER SKILLS

Other skills

- My personality is INTP. This: <https://bit.ly/2I5qiLw> explains well my strengths and weaknesses
- Hobbies: learning languages/music/*. Also, juggling (many years in associations)
- In 2015 I traveled for 1.5 years through many countries, studying dozens of local languages
- <http://www.danielclemente.com/>, here I publish some of my personal projects and interests
- I guess I'm not a 100% programmer. I like to do a bit of everything and learn about the world.
- I also think long term. Playing with the newest tech stack or hardware may be exciting to some, but I don't mind using simple system that will last longer. I don't like excessive technology, especially when it comes at the cost of privacy, freedom, attention, environment, ...
- My personal mission in life is to **motivate curious people to make ethics and learning mainstream**. This includes: ethics in technology (FSF, freedoms), teaching languages (also easy ones like Esperanto), understanding and contributing to solve big problems