

# Curriculum Vitae

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## Personal Details

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Date of Birth: 02 January 1976

Nationality: French

Languages:

- French (mother tongue)
- English (good user / IELTS Band 7.5)
- German (notions)

Key Skills:

- Back-end web development – *LAMP, PHP, MySQL*
- Front-end web development – *HTML5, CSS3, Javascript, jQuery*
- Network and servers administration – *LAMP, Linux, Debian*
- Hardware and Software IT management – *Windows, Linux, OSX*
- Project management
- Account management
- Entrepreneurship

## Employment History

07/2015 – Present

**SapientNitro** – *Brisbane, Australia*

Position: Senior interactive developer

SapientNitro is an advertising company with offices worldwide, now part of Publicis Groupe

Key responsibilities:

- Front-end design and development – *HTML5, CSS3, jQuery*
- Agile prototyping
- Front and back-end development – *PHP, MySQL*

10/2014 – 07/2015

**Endice Software** – *Brisbane, Australia*

Position: Senior web developer

Endice is a growing company specialized in UX design (web and software). Clients: Caterpillar, Centium Software.

Key responsibilities:

- Web architecture and back-end development – *PHP, MySQL*
- Front-end design and development – *HTML5, CSS3, jQuery*
- Web servers administration – *LAMP, Debian*
- Web development consultancy and project leading

09/2011 – 09/2014

**U&CO** – *Brussels, Belgium*

Position: Founder & developer

U&Co was a one person (me) web development and hosting company, working for small to big Belgian companies. As founder and developer, I was responsible for all aspects of managing a company and its clients.

Key responsibilities:

- Web architecture and back-end development – *PHP, Wordpress, MySQL, SOAP, API*
- Front-end design and development – *Photoshop, HTML5, CSS3, jQuery*
- Web servers administration – *LAMP, Debian, Slackware*
- Web development consultancy and project leading

03/2013 – 09/2014

**Mountainview** – *Brussels, Belgium*

Position: Technical lead (Freelance contractor)

Mountainview is an emerging Belgian web strategy and development agency. I worked as Technical Lead, responsible for the supervision and research in all their web developments. Agile development.

Key responsibilities:

- Technical lead – *PHP, MySQL, SOAP, HTML, CSS, jQuery, JS*
- Web infrastructure management – *LAMP, Debian*

09/2010 – 08/2014

**Polygone Group / The Manifest** – *Brussels, Belgium*

Position: Technical director (Freelance contractor)

The Manifest was a “transversal” advertising agency, providing both offline and online solutions to international companies. Agile development (Scrum).

Key responsibilities:

- Director of the web/IT department (10 people)
- Senior analyst – *PHP, MySQL, SOAP, API, HTML, CSS, jQuery, JS*
- Technical writer (projects specifications or analysis)
- Web infrastructure management – *LAMP, Debian, Slackware*

01/2003 – 08/2011

**Capsule** – *Brussels, Belgium*

Position: Founder and developer (self-employed)

I have worked as a freelancer for almost 10 years before founding my company U&Co. Some of my long-term contracts are detailed below.

Key responsibilities:

- Web design – *Photoshop, UX, wireframes*
- Web architecture and back-end development – *PHP, MySQL, SOAP, API*
- Front-end development – *HTML, CSS, jQuery, JS*
- Web servers administration – *LAMP, Slackware*
- Web development consultancy and project leading

06/2006 – 06/2011

**Tipik** – *Brussels, Belgium*

Position: Web architect (Freelance contractor)

Tipik is an institutional and corporate communication agency.

Notable clients: several bodies of the European Union, The Council of the European Union, ...

Key responsibilities:

- Web architecture
- Websites and Newsletters Wireframing
- Technical director for several projects – *PHP, Javascript*
- Internal PHP developments
- CSS templating and expertise
- HTML & CSS trainer

12/2008 – 08/2010

**My Media is Rich** – *Brussels, Belgium*

Position: Front and back-end web developer (Freelance contractor)

My Media Is Rich developed rich media solutions for large clients like Audi, The Belgian Post or Franco Dragone

Technologies: *PHP, MySQL, HTML, CSS, Javascript, Graph API, jQuery, Wordpress*

- 04/2007 – 11/2008      **Vitam – Brussels, Belgium**  
 Position: Front and back-end web developer (Freelance contractor)  
 Vitam worked on more than 300 projects from 200 different clients like Accor, Citibank, Dexia, Group Seb, Mattel, Nestle waters, Nike, PWC.  
 Technologies: *PHP, MySQL, HTML, CSS, Javascript, Graph API, jQuery, Wordpress, LAMP, Slackware*
- 07/2007 – 07/2008      **Bliss Communication – Brussels, Belgium**  
 Position: Front and back-end web developer (Freelance contractor)  
 I worked on one project for Bliss: the International Iron and Steel Institute website.  
 Technologies: *PHP, MySQL, HTML, CSS, Javascript*
- 01/2005 – 01/2007      **Bytes and Com – Brussels, Belgium**  
 Position: Web developer and Account Manager (Freelance contractor)  
 Bytes and Com had one major client: Thalys (High speed trains in France, Belgium, The Netherlands and Germany).
- 01/2003 – 11/2003      **Virtuology / Tagora – Brussels, Belgium**  
 Position: Web developer (Freelance contractor)  
 I helped Virtuology understand and develop the projects they bought from Magic Square, my previous employer.
- 06/1998 – 01/2003      **Magic Square – Brussels, Belgium**  
 Position: Technical director  
 Magic Square was a multimedia company owned by Flammarion Group (fourth largest publishing group in France). It produced all the websites for the different brands owned by the group.  
 Technologies: *Perl, ASP, Access, PHP, MySQL, HTML, CSS, Javascript, LAMP, Slackware*

## Educational History

- 1996 – 1997      **IATA (Namur, Belgium)**  
 Qualification in Computer graphics: 3D Studio, Photoshop, Illustrator
- 1994 – 1996      **Saint-Luc Architecture Institute (Tournai, Belgium)**  
 Architecture
- 1991 – 1994      **Lycée Sacré-Coeur (Tourcoing, France)**  
 High school, Mathematics and Physical Science section  
 Baccalaureat Diploma  
*Lower second class honours*

## Professional Development

2005 – 2007 & 2010

### **Contraste**

Photography: Digital and film black & white photography, from 35mm to medium format; digital image processing and Ultrachrome printing; studio shooting.

Short film production: scenario writing, casting, filming and sound taking, lights, editing

## Publications & Achievements

2009

Tipik's "Expert of the month" in April 2009

2010

2009 – Real time year  
Published in 2010 in Tipik's annual brochure

2011

The Semantic Web – Revolution or Science Fiction?  
Published in 2011 in Tipik's annual brochure

2015

SapientNitro's "Client Focus Delivery" Core Value Award in July 2015

## Interests

Technology, Computers, Photography, Design, Flea markets, Vinyl enthusiast and collector, Scuba diving, Travel (Europe, South America, North Africa, Australia), Fine dining & Oenology, Pinball machines (playing and restoration), Vintage video games, Arcade games restoration, Mechanics, Electronics, DIY activities.

## Work samples

<a href="http://capsule.org">http://capsule.org</a>	Personal website, design and development, responsive design
<a href="http://goodlife.com.au">http://goodlife.com.au</a>	UX sketches, HTML prototyping and Front-end development
<a href="http://exploretng.com.au">http://exploretng.com.au</a>	Front and back-end development, canvas video grabbing and sound manipulation, server-side video montage generation.
<a href="http://mountainview.be">http://mountainview.be</a>	Front and back-end development, technical director for most of the presented works
<a href="http://actforthefuture.be">http://actforthefuture.be</a>	Wireframes, technical and design lead
<a href="http://vds-food.com">http://vds-food.com</a>	Food wholesaler website, technical lead
<a href="http://www.consilium.europa.eu">http://www.consilium.europa.eu</a>	Information architecture and wireframes
<a href="http://avworks.eu">http://avworks.eu</a>	Design, Wordpress based front and back end development
<a href="http://goo.gl/J6jdZI">http://goo.gl/J6jdZI</a>	Hardware and restoration consultancy, electronics, wiring and PC setup
<a href="http://goo.gl/q7Yysv">http://goo.gl/q7Yysv</a>	Innovative JavaScript parallax banner (first time ever made in Europe)
Intranet / private website	Electronic invoicing system, PDF generation and signature
Intranet / private website	Personality surveys system based on the Enneagram model. The website features an full backend for analysis and reporting