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Profile

Project director with experience in IT (web development), sports and tourism.

Experience

Project director & co-owner of A navalla suíza (Santiago, Spain) – 2008-Present

Project director in product development, I managed a team of up to 6 employees, performing tasks of content production, edition and account management, building strong and long lasting links with public governments (regional and council level), government agencies and quangos, large NGOs and relevant companies (such as banks, cable operators or fashion companies). Over the three last years I was the project director of web strategy of our main client, ABANCA, a regional bank and 10th major bank in Spain.

As member of the company's board I was responsible for the areas of financial management, HR, planning and delivery.

Digital transformation consultant (freelance) – 2017 - Present

Thanks to my experience in A navalla suíza, I worked for the University of Vigo in the analysis, planning and delivery of digital transformation (web).

Tour guide, Extended Tours of Scotland (Edinburgh, Scotland) – 2017-Present

Planning, organisation and delivery of tailored tours around Scotland to VIP customers.

Visiting Lecturer, University of Stirling – 2006-2009

Planning several courses and modules, and teaching Galician language at university level. Also, planning cultural and social events (concerts, art exhibitions, conferences, lectures, etc.) in connection with the contents delivered in the modules.

This position included also financial supervision.

Project Manager, Acordar Comunicación en internet (Santiago, Spain) – 2001-2006

Project manager, in charge of some of the company most innovative projects and main customers. Also working as a team leader under the supervision of the general manager of the company.

Journalist, Vieiros (Santiago, Spain) — 2001-2006

As part of the main job in the previous company, I worked as a journalist in a small digital team, for what it was the main digital newspaper in that Spanish region, producing digital contents.

Project Manager Assistant, Item:)aga (Ferrol, Spain) — 1999-2001

Project manager assistant, Working as part of a multidisciplinary team of designers, producing brochures, books, pieces of advertising, etc., for private and public organisations.

Editing director, Tempos novos (Santiago, Spain) — 1998-1999

Content editor and coordinator of the delivery process of a monthly magazine (printing, distribution, etc.).

Education

University of Stirling, Stirling, Scotland — MSc in Sports Management, 2010

University of Santiago de Compostela, Santiago, Spain — BA in Spanish, Portuguese and Galician Philology (Linguistics and Literature), 1998

Volunteering

UK Athletics official, level 4 (of 5) — 2006-Present

Planning and managing athletics events. Referee at Commonwealth Games, Diamond League (international), British & Scottish championships, and regional and local championships (around 30 days of volunteering per year).

Other volunteering projects

London Olympic Games

Stirling Rangers

Basic teaching of marginalised kids

Skills

Team management.

Empathy & optimism.

Adaptability.

Mobility

Extensive experience in international jobs.

Fluent in English, French, Spanish, Portuguese and Galician

Full UK driving licence. Cycling as preferred way of transport, over 1,500 miles per year.
