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1.- PERSONAL DETAILS:

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About me: I'm a Web Designer and a student of a BA of Digital design and creation degree at UOC (Open University of Catalonia).

I love learning about technology, people's psychology and education.

For personal reasons, five years ago I decided to switch my professional career, and I reoriented it to become a Web Designer/Developer.

Now I'd love to grow more professionally in areas such UX, UI, IA, but I'd also like to improve my programming skills (still at early stages now).

Fan of the long life learning, very committed, fast learner and a hard worker, I invest most of my time giving my best in every project I'm working on.

I make clean and simple semantic code and learn carefully what is best in every step of the way, trying to apply the best options in every part of a project.

I'm always seeking new challenges, and projects that allow me to work remotely, although the latter is not a requisite.



2.- PROFESSIONAL SKILLS:

2016: Started studying a Digital design and creation Bachelor's Degree at UOC (Univertitat Oberta de Catalunya).

2016: Since 2012, studied a Multimedia Bachelor's Degree at UOC (Univertitat Oberta de Catalunya).

2016: Miríada's certificate of attendance to the online course: Desarrollo de ideas innovadoras (Development of innovative ideas) from EAFIT University.

2016: Online course of simplicity applied to illustration called "Ilustrando el tiempo" at www.domestika.com

2016: Online course about creating typography from scratch called "Tipos con clase" at www.domestika.com

2015: Udemy's certificate of completion of the online course: Night Photography Unlocked by Neil Creek.

2015: Udemy's certificate of completion of the online course: Start Shooting in Manual by Jerald Hill from Ditch Auto.

2015: Udemy's certificate of completion for a successfully completed online course: Photographic Composition by Educate Centros de Formación..

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2015: Udeemy's certificate of competition certifying that I successfully completed the online course: Beginner Nikon Digital (DLSR) Photography by John Pullos.

2014: English certificate of the Universities of Catalonia issued by the Rector of the Universitat de Vic on successfully completing a B2 level as defined by the Council of Europe in the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.

2014: I attended to several talks on Informatics and New Technologies at Conference/Fair in Madrid : <https://techfest.uc3m.es/>

2013: I attended to the Git and GitHub Foundations Course with Matthew McCullough in San Francisco organized by the html5devconf group: <http://html5devconf.com/training.html#github>

2013: I attended to the Intro to Javascript Workshop organized at Hackbright Academy HQ by Girls Develop it: <http://www.meetup.com/Girl-Develop-It-San-Francisco/events/108430922/>

2013: I attended the DevFest in Silicon Valley: <http://devfestsiliconvalley-es2.eventbrite.com/>

2012: I learned a little bit about Ruby programming, but I stopped to focus on learning the fundamentals of JavaScript.

2012: Certification of the Non-Credit Online Course of Python from the University of Toronto: "Learn to Program: The fundamentals".

2012: I attended the full-day workshop: Hand-crafting a Web Site by Aral Balkan and Laura Kalbag <http://2012.fromthefront.it/workshops.html>

2012: I attended the Conference From the Front in Bologna, Italy. <http://2012.fromthefront.it/>

2012: I attended a full-day workshop about Responsive Web design by www.swwweet.com in Barcelona.

2012: I learned self-taught the basics in the usage of Adobe Indesign program.

2012: Berkeley Adult School course certification of English language, level intermediate high.

2012: Berkeley Adult School course certification of Basics in Web Design.

2012: Berkeley Adult School certification of Adobe Photoshop level 1 and level 2.

2012: Berkeley Adult School course certificate of Adobe Illustrator program.

2011: Certification about a W3C course online: "HTML5 Audio and Video".

2011: W3C Course Certificate: "Introduction to W3C Mobile Web and Applications Best Practices".

2011: Certificate of Professional Web Design: Usability, Standards and Information Architecture awarded by the Murcia's University, Spain.

2011: Certificates of 4 on-line Mono-graphical Courses issued by the Employment Department of the Generalitat of Catalonia from Spain. These certificates correspond to:

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- How to improve the positioning of a web page.
- How to use the time, managing interruptions.
- How to set priorities and organize our activities.
- Assessing the quality of information internet sources we use.

2010: Web Design with Dreamweaver Certificate Course (Average level), Employment Department of the Generalitat of Catalonia, Spain.

2010: Web Design with Dreamweaver Certificate Course (Initial level), Employment Department of the Generalitat of Catalonia, Spain.

2009: Skills in Information and Communication Technologies (ACTIC) Certificate, Initial level, Public Administration of the Generalitat from Catalonia, Spain.

1988: Typing Course in " Acadèmia Juanhuix", Girona.

1985 to 1989: English Courses in " Acadèmia Eica", Girona.

3.- WEB DEVELOPER WORK EXPERIENCE:

2016: I implemented a website for a professional web developer who wanted to convert his own Blog into a Professional website: www.balinterdi.com

2012: I designed and created from scratch mi very first project for a client from L'Escala (Girona). A n aesthetic salon's web site with a special personality that also wants to emphasize the beauty of it's location: www.blau-mar.es

2011: I designed and created my own website: www.savicas.com

4.- EDUCATION AND OTHER STUDIES:

2010: Bachelor's degree in Social work with a specialization in Teaching (Community Worker) by UNED (Distance National Education University).

2006: Course and certificate of Access for People Over 25 to attend the Distance National Education University (UNED).

2003: Level C Certificate in Catalan Language, 80 hours, by the Public Catalan Administration Academy.

1999: First Aid Advanced Technics for Specialists by "Fundació Universitat de Girona: innovació i formació".

1997: Basic Nursery Care Certificate by "U.N.E.D." (Distance National Education University).

1994: Assistant Nurse Title by "Narcís Xifra", Technical College of Girona. It's a High School degree.

1992: Administrative Technician in the "Palas" Academy, Girona.

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1989: School Graduate in " Escola Bisbe Lorenzana", Girona. It's a GED certificate

5.- OTHER WORK EXPERIENCES:

2010: Worked as a social worker (community worker) for 2 Public Administrations in Spain (a City Hall and a Prison). Also, I can provide more employment references if needed.

2003 to 2010: Worked as an Administrative and Executive Secretary of Management in different Public Health Centers in Spain. As well as in the works mentioned above, if you are interested in more details I can provide a detailed list of the works and the type of job done.

1990 to 2003: Worked as Assistant Nurse in different places (Private and Public Health centers). I can provide a complete list and references if needed.

6.- LANGUAGES:

English: Written and spoken correctly.

Catalan: Written and spoken as a native language.

Spanish: Written and spoken correctly.

French: Written and spoken to a basic level. I can have a conversation.

7.- OTHER DOCUMENTS:

2015: Green Card.

2015: California driver's license permit class C.

1993: Spanish driver's license permit class C and M1.

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