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Nationality Vietnamese

Date of birth 17th Feb. 1987

Gender | female

Work experience

Dates | Since June 2009

Position held | Founder at FOSSASIA

Main responsibilities and achievements

- Supporting Free and Open Source community and establishing FOSSASIA network around the world
- Managing organization's operational activities: 1) software development 2) training and education 3) events
- Building up a network of more than 15,000 people worldwide.
- Conducting free knowledge education programs using wikis throughout Asia
- Organizing developer events with more than 3000 attendees throughout Asia including FOSSAISA, GNOME.Asia, Linux for Girls, Barcamp Mekong, OpenDesignWeeks Vietnam, Science Hack Day India
- Establishing local developer meet-up groups in China, India, Dubai, Singapore, Vietnam
- Handling vendors' contracts, coordinating volunteers and implementing media strategy
- Facilitating agreements with government agencies and donors
- Establishing partnership with sponsors including Google, Red Hat, GitHub, HP, MySQL and Intel.
- Presenting projects at conferences like Chaos Computer Congress, Libre Graphics Meetings, Science Hack Day San Francisco, OpenTechSummit Berlin and many others

URL http://fossasia.org

Name and contact of reference Red Hat, Inc., Singapore, redhat.com

Harish Pillay, Head Community Architecture & Leadership at Red Hat, hpillay@redhat.com |

Linkedin

Dates | Since 2011

Position held | Administrator at Google Summer of Code/Code-In

Main responsibilities and achievements

- Coordinating a team of 50 international mentors/developers under FOSSASIA Org (Google Summer of Code 2016 Mentor Organization)
- Supporting a multi-national group of 700 pre-university students at Code-In program
- Organizing local meetups in China, Dubai, India and Vietnam
- Developing student guidelines and workflow for various open source projects.

Name and contact of reference

Google Inc., USA, San Francisco, Google.com

Ms. Cat Allman, Open Source Program Manager at Google, allman@google.com | Linkedin

Code-In URL

codein.withgoogle.com/archive/2015/organ...

Dates

Since 2010

Position held

Senior Project Manager at MBM

Provide business consultancy to international clients from companies and non-profit organisations.

- 2016: Designed and implemented UNESCO YouthMobile Program in Singapore including online awareness campaign, exhibition and hand-on workshops
- 2013 2015: In charge of recruitment and content marketing for in-house start-up project, Loklak.net
- 2011 Facilitated a development team of 20 people for mobile development projects with large Japanese IT company.
- 2010 Implemented large contract with Swiss Post Solutions Vietnam, supervised team, designed and implemented R&D activities including extensive hardware and software performance tests

Name and contact of employer

MBM International, Vietnam, Ho Chi Minh City, mbm.asia, Mr. Andre Rebentisch, ar@mbm.asia, Mobile +49 163 6992309

Name and contact of reference

UNESCO, Paris, France, unesco.org

Mr. Davide Storti, FOSS Program Manager at UNESCO, d.storti@unesco.org | Linkedin

Dates

Since 2012

Position held

Partner at Hotel Xoai/Mekong Tours Ltd.

Main responsibilities and achievements

- Co-founded eco travel company and build eight-storey hotel with solar panels and energy saving PCs in largest city of the Mekong-Delta
- Supported design of building and supervised building activity
- Set up hotel and tour operations from procurement, accounting and HR to taking responsibility of IT infrastructure and network setup
- Coordinating a team of 21 staff members
- Introducing IT management tools and implementing digital workflow

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hotelxoai.com | mekongtours.info

Name and contact of reference

Mario Behling, Co-Founder, Germany, mb@mariobehling.de | Linkedin

Dates

Mar. 2011 - June 2013

Position held

ICT Consultant at GIZ

Main responsibilities and achievements

- Developing and implementing a 2-year ICT plan to facilitate Environmental Education Program and conducting ICT trainings for teachers in the Mekong region with Mediawiki-Tools (foss.vn)
- Designing project documentation and training materials.
- Establishing partnership with Ministry of Education, Ministry of Information and Communications.
- Organizing online photography contest for social change in Vietnam and Indonesia
- Managing project communication channels and website (mailing list, wiki)

Name and address of Employer

GIZ (German Development Agency), giz.de

Mr. Joachim Hofer, Country Manager East Asia at GIZ, joachim.hofer@qiz.de | Linkedin

Dates

Dec. 2009 - Feb. 2011

Position held

Chief Marketing Manager at Phuong Chau International Obstetrics Hospital

Main responsibilities and achievements

- Developing and implementing a marketing plan with budget of more than 100k USD
- Building a customer database of more than 10,000 women in the Mekong region
- Organizing press conferences and public events
- Creating successful partnerships with more than 200 pharmacies in 11 provinces
- Gaining oversea partnerships with Westminster Surgery, US and Thomson Medical,

Singapore

Name and contact of employer

Phuong Chau International Obstetrics Hospital, Cantho, Vietnam, phuongchau.com Doctor Nguyen Ngoc Ho, Hospital Manager, dr.ngocho@phuongchau.com, Mobile +84

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Dates

Jan - May 2008

Position held

Customer Service Representative at Walt Disney World Resort

Main responsibilities and achievements Gathering customers feedback, conducting computerized surveys, developing performance report based on primary data.

Name and contact of employer

Coral Reef Epcot, Walt Disney World Resort, Florida, United States, Mr. Louis Neijenhuis, Manager Coral Reef Epcot, louis.neijenhuis@disney.com, Phone

+15165727956

Dates

Oct - Nov 2007

Position held

Interpreter (Freelancer)

Main responsibilities and achievements Translating and assisting in IT related matchmaking events with EU funded project FOSS Bridge, Vietnamese Institute of IT, InWent Germany and INRIA France

Name and contact of reference

FOSS-Bridge EU-Vietnam, Balthas Seibold, Senior Project Manager - ICT for development, Friedrich-Ebert-Allee 40, 53113 Bonn, Germany, Phone: +49-228-4460-1253,

balthas.seibold@inwent.org

Education and training

Completion

Sep 2009

Title of qualification awarded Principal subjects covered

Business Management and Online Marketing, Final Thesis on Online Marketing with Google

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Name of organisation

University of Wales, Singapore Campus

Completion

May 2008

Title of qualification awarded

Higher Education Certificate Marketing and Hospitality

Honors Bachelor of Marketing and Communication

Principal subjects covered

Digital Marketing, Direct Marketing, Customer Relationship Management

Name of organisation

Walt Disney University, Florida

Completion

December 2007

Title of qualification awarded

Business and Marketing, Advanced Diploma

Principal subjects covered

International Business, E-Marketing, Customer Behaviour, Public Speaking

Name of organisation

Singapore Hartford Institute, Hanoi

Dates

2004-2006

Title of qualification awarded

US High School Advanced Diploma (B19)

Name of organisation

Shadow Ridge High School, Las Vegas, Nevada

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue

Vietnamese

Other languages

English Chinese (Mandarin) German Asian Languages

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
C2	Proficient	C2	Proficient	C2	Proficient	C2	Proficient	C2	Proficient
C1	Advanced	В2	Intermediate	C1	Advanced	C1	Advanced	B2	Intermediate
В1	Intermediate	В1	Intermediate	В1	Intermediate	A2	Beginner	A2	Beginner

^{*} Due to the relations across languages and my participation in the Polyglot community I have good basic understanding skills of a number of Asian Languages.

Social skills and competences

- **Team leadership:** Lead various types of teams from research teams to event teams with more than 150 volunteers; extensively coach team members on project-flows and time management;
- **Mediating skills:** Worked beyond the borders between young people, start-ups, business executives and government officials.

Organisational skills and competences

- As the organizer of events such as FOSSASIA.org, GNOME.Asia, Barcamp Mekong, OpenDesignWeeks and many others, I successfully cooperated with high level Government partners on ministry level in Vietnam, Cambodia and Singapore.
- I am supporting the development of a viable FOSS ecosystem by cooperating with global enterprises.
- Using a number of BI tools to conduct market research, such as a quantitative study of young women health and beauty in the Mekong Delta with more than 1200 participants.

ICT and technical competences

- Extensive experience in agile development processes and specifically SCRUM
- Expert user in Linux familiar with commandline
- Knowledge in PHP, Python, Javascript, HTML, CSS, NodeJS
- Adapted volunteer software Engelsystem written in PHP and greatly expanded the feature set to support decentralized volunteering at different kinds events as well as implemented support of many languages.
- Experience with number of content management system (CMS) Wordpress, Drupal, Mediawiki, Code Igniter
- Advanced user of image programs including GIMP, Inkscape, Scribus
- Successful projects internationally distributed teams by using cloud centric workflow in mixed teams (Github, Heroku, Owncloud/Dropbox, Google Drive, Etherpad, Issue tracking)
- Coordinated projects for internationalization of software using tools such as Pootle

Other skills and competences

Presentations at international conferences including:

- OpenTechSummit 2016, Berlin, Germany
- German Government IT Summit 2015, Berlin, Germany
- Libre Graphics Meeting 2015, Toronto, Canada
- 31C3 Chaos Computer Congress 2014, Hamburg, Germany [Video: Fashiontec]
- Google Summer of Code Reunion 2014, San Jose, US
- GNOME. Asia 2012, Hong Kong
- Google Mentor Summit 2012, Mountain View, US
- The World Summit on Internet and Multimedia 2011, Shenyang China
- Libre Graphics Meeting 2011, Montreal, Canada
- Libre Graphics Meeting 2010, Brussels, Belgium [Video "How to engage Asian Contributors"]
- Software Freedom Day 2009, Singapore