# NATHAN BURKIEWICZ

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Website | GitHub | Projects

# **SUMMARY**

I'm a self-taught software developer living in Madrid, Spain. I'm passionate about all things JavaScript and producing work that I can be proud of.

Through continuous learning, my aim is to be able to work confidently on both client- and server-side code.

I'm curious by nature, enjoy challenges and consider myself to be a quick learner. As regards work ethic, I strongly believe in the adage, "If you are going to do something, do it well".

If you are developing an exciting project and believe my skills and knowledge could be beneficial, I would love to hear from you.

# **SKILLS**

#### **WEB DEVELOPMENT**

HTML5/CSS3	JavaScript	Workflow
Sass	React	GitHub
Bourbon/Neat	Node (Express)	Webpack/Gulp
Stylus	Backbone	Heroku
Bootstrap/Foundation	jQuery	Firebase

#### **DIGITAL PUBLISHING**

Mag+

TypeEngine

WordPress

# PRINT DESIGN InDesign Photoshop Illustrator

# TRANSLATION

MemoQ Trados

# WORK

# **ANGLO FILES S.L.**

CO-FOUNDER | JAN 2013-PRESENT

In January 2013, we created Anglo Files - a small independent publishing company. At present, we publish a magazine for EFL learners and teachers called Yes - Your English Supplement. The publication is available in print, digital and iPad/iPhone editions. We publish 10 issues per year and will likely release special issues as well.

# YOUR ENGLISH SUPPLEMENT (YES)

GRAPHIC DESIGN, WEB DEVELOPMENT | JAN 2013-PRESENT

Designed and launched a responsive WordPress site for Yes magazine which includes a shop powered by WooCommerce and payments handled by Stripe and PayPal. Custom functions were added to handle digital downloads and magazine subscriptions. I am also responsible for creating site content and managing the blog.

Designed six unique templates for the iOS app version of Yes magazine made for the TypeEngine publishing platform. A template was made for each section of the magazine and was designed to mimic, as much as possible, the styles of the print version. A custom HTML5 audio player, based on MediaElement.js, was made for use in the audio scripts. Sass (Bourbon and Neat) was used to style the templates.

# WORK

#### FREELANCE TRANSLATOR

TRANSLATOR | JAN 1999-PRESENT

Freelance translator of Spanish-English and English-Spanish with experience in the explosives industry and regulations, public transport, accounting, operating system manuals, shotgun shell manufacturing material, scientific studies, reports and proof-reading. In-house translator for Wargames: Soldiers and Strategy, a military history and wargames magazine (2004-2008).

#### FREELANCE VOICE WORK

VOICE-OVER ARTIST AND VOICE COACH | JAN 2004-PRESENT

Voice-over work for TV commercials as well as narrations for educational projects. Provide voice coaching for Spanish singers recording in English. Worked with important Spanish artists, including Bonus, Showpay, Las Supremas de Mostoles and Amaia Montero.

#### THINK IN ENGLISH MAGAZINE

SUB-EDITOR, PAGE-DESINGER AND TRANSLATOR | JAN 2007-DEC 2012

Responsible for the design and layout of this 52-page magazine, as well its corresponding 16-page exercise pack and 1-hour CD. Kept software and hardware upto-date for efficient production. Worked directly with printers on all pre-press aspects: uploading files to FTP, color correcting, reviewing proofs.

#### **OPEN SCHOOL OF LANGUAGES**

ENGLISH TEACHER | JAN 1999-JAN 2009

Worked as a teacher of English as a foreign language in Madrid and acquired experience teaching all levels as well various types of specialised exam classes such as the TOEFL, First Certificate and BEC. Classes were given in the academy and on-site at businesses.

## **EDUCATION**

#### FREE CODE CAMP

FULL STACK WEB DEVELOPMENT, COMPUTER SOFTWARE ENGINEERING | 2015-2016

#### **INSTITUTO SAMPERE**

CONSECUTIVE AND SIMULTANEOUS INTERPRETATION | 2001-2002

#### **BALDWIN-WALLACE UNIVERSITY**

BA, INTERNATIONAL STUDIES AND SPANISH | 1993-1997

# CERTS.

## M101JS: MONGODB FOR NODE.JS DEVELOPERS

MONGODB, INC. | MAY 2015

## **LANGUAGES**

#### **ENGLISH**

NATIVE PROFICIENCY

#### **SPANISH**

FULL PROFESSIONAL PROFICIENCY