

Stephan Kardos

Entrepreneurial minded designer and educator running project on creativity.

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EDUCATION

Oct – Dec 2019, Ironhack Lisboa

9-week, 40h/w, in-person, UX/UI Bootcamp

Aug – Oct 2019, Barcelona Code School

9-week, 20h/w, online Front-End Development Bootcamp

2004 – 2010, Vienna University of Economics and Business

Magister (Master equivalent) International Business Administration,

EXPERIENCE

Jun 2017 – present, Program Manager, Vienna University of Business and Economics

I design, implement and manage stakeholders an extra-curricular entrepreneurship program. I lecture on creativity, design thinking and entrepreneurship.

Jan 2014 – present, Project Founder & Freelancer, The Creativity Gym

I design and organize various formats, tools and services to explore, exercise and celebrate creativity (www.creativitygym.at).

I freelanced for an EU-wide education association, where I designed websites, curricula for design thinking classes, and an educational card game on SDGs. I also held trainings on design thinking and entrepreneurship for teachers and students.

Oct 2016 – Dec 2017, Learning Designer, LearnChamp GmbH

I developed learning concepts UX design for eLearning modules.

May 2015 – May 2016, Co-Founder, "Vienna Skills Smiths"

I co-founded a Vienna-based learning start-up for affordable, community-led skills workshops.

Sep 2014 – Feb 2015, Co-Founder, "ShiftYard"

I co-founded a start-up consulting established companies on start-up and design methods.

May 2013 – Jul 2014, HR Consultant, Siemens AG Austria

I was mainly responsible for the annual performance management process as well as designing training offers and ACs.

Jun 2012 – Jan 2013, Project Manager, VIEconsult GmbH

I managed 360° leadership feedback projects for multinational client companies.

Feb 2010 – May 2012, HR employee, later Team Lead HR, Austrian Integration Fund

I was responsible for staff training and development opportunities, the implementation of HR processes, recruiting and administration. Later I led a small team of three.

SKILLS

Design

Adobe XD, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe InDesign, Adobe Captivate, Sketch, Figma, Zeplin

Technical

HTML, CSS, JavaScript

Languages

German (native), Hungarian (native), English (business level), French (beginner)

VOLUNTEERING

2014 – 2017, OpenIDEO Vienna Chapter Organizer

Organizing design thinking workshops in accordance with the global team.

2014, 2016, 2018, Peter Drucker Society

Pre-screening of essay entries for a conference essay competition.

2012, 2016, Austrian Alps Society

One week long reforestation project participation.