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# **SKILLS**

#### **LANGUAGES**

English German Spanish Catalan French Romanian

#### **ENGINEERING**

Strong understanding of industrial machine setup and maintenance.
Physical sciences
Practical mathematics
Crypto currencies: trading, mining and decentralized finance

#### **PROJECT MANAGEMENT**

Coordination between client, team and suppliers Developing and following timelines Cost controlling Technical understanding of products and services

#### **TEACHING**

Analysis: quick to grasp and evaluate new concepts
Synthesis: effective at discerning fundamental aspects
Presentation: adept at explaining new concepts in ways that are easily understood

### **INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**

Highly adaptable and experienced in cross-cultural environments

# **PROFILE**

Engineer, trilingual in English, German and Spanish and with over 30 years of experience in technical, management and teaching positions. Searching for part-time employment in line with my skills and passions and which provides the financial freedom to invest the rest of my time in various volunteer community projects I'm involved in, mostly relating to coaching.

# **EXPERIENCE**

# Self-employed

[4/2007 - present]

- Translations for magazines and interpretation both from the stage and simultaneously in conferences of up to 500 people.
- English and German language classes both in company and for the Gavà city hall.
- Personal coaching and leadership training.

#### **After Sales Manager**

Eisenmann Ingeniería, S.A.; El Prat de Llobregat, Spain. [4/99 - 4/07]

- In charge of technical assistance, maintenance contracts, small modifications, guarantee claims and spare parts sales for our industrial installations.
- My duties included visiting clients and presenting our services, calculation and engineering of proposals, developing and negotiating contracts, subcontracting personnel and suppliers and meticulous cost controlling.

### **Purchasing Manager**

Eisenmann Ingeniería, S.A.; El Prat de Llobregat, Spain. [6/95 - 4/99]

- In charge of logistics, supplies and subcontracts.
- Negotiation and supervision of suppliers.

# **PASSIONS**

Working in culturally diverse environments

Designing and developing new systems and structures

Helping people discover and advance toward their life goals

Learning and exploring new concepts, cultures and places

Sports, especially ultimate Frisbee and distance running

- Development of computer systems and re-organization of the department for ISO 9001 certification.
- Served temporarily as manager for the company's IT systems, technical coordinator for various installations at client factories and as Acting Director in the absence of our General Director.

## **Quality Engineer**

Investigación Técnica y Calidad, S.A. (INTECASA); Cerdanyola del Vallés, Spain.

[11/94 - 5/95]

- Quality inspections in the construction industry.
- Reports in both Castilian and Catalan on fire protection, electrical, security, elevators, piping and natural gas installations.

## **Project Engineer**

Ingeniería de Fluidos e Instalaciones, S.A. (IFISA); Cornellà de Llobregat, Spain.

[3/91 - 11/94]

- Calculation and engineering of proposals and negotiation of the corresponding bids.
- Detailed engineering of projects acquired. Planning and supervision of our installations by both our own personnel and subcontracts.
- Cost controlling and sales.
- Negotiation of final invoices.
- Led a team of 7 design technicians and over 60 builders, pipe-fitters and welders on site at the VW-SEAT factory in Martorell, near Barcelona, for about 2 years.

#### **3r Engineer**

M/V Logos II, de Educational Book Exhibits, Ltd.; Mosbach, West Germany. (passenger ship of 4800t)

[4/89 - 11/90]

- Watch commander over maintenance and safety of all the ship machinery during its conversion from ferry to floating book exhibition and subsequent launch into service.
- Inspected and overhauled the main engines along with various pumps, heat exchangers and separators.
- Personally fit and installed a new piping system and performed several welding and fabrication works, such as the construction of a new steel deck.

#### **Naval Architect**

Educational Book Exhibits, Ltd.; Mosbach, West Germany [1/89 - 4/89]

• Calculations and development of the Stability Booklet of the same 4800t ship.

#### **Production Manager**

P.R. Drydock and Marine Terminals, Inc. [3/88 - 12/88]

## **Ship Superintendent**

P.R. Drydock and Marine Terminals, Inc.; San Juan, Puerto Rico [11/87 - 3/88]

- Planning and supervision of the repair and maintenance of more than 50 vessels, from small barges to passenger ships like the M/V Cunard Countess of 20.000t.
- Preparation of bids.
- Hiring of personnel and subcontractors.
- Coordination with the shop foremen and the 50 shipyard workers.
- Negotiation of final invoices and analysis of costs and profits.

#### **Engineer**

M/V Logos, de Educational Book Exhibits, Ltd.; Mosbach, West Germany (passenger ship of 2500t.)

[7/87 - 10/87]

 Maintenance and repair of the machinery in general and Watch Commander of the safety and maintenance of all the ship machinery.

# **STUDY**

**Director of Youth Activities** (Director d'Activitats de Lleure Infantil i Juvenil) Espai Obert, Barcelona, [2008. – 2009.]

**Bachelor of Arts in Biblical Counseling** (clinical psychology based on Christian values), Biblical–Life College and Seminary, [2000. – 2007.]

Management Abilities (Habilidades Directivas), 450 hours, Generalitat de Catalunya FPE program [1999. – 2000.]

**Bachelor of Science in Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering**, *Webb Institute of Naval Architecture*, *New York*, *U.S.A*, [1983. - 1987.]

Nicolaus-Kistner-Gymnasium, Mosbach, Germany, [1981. – 1983.]