

# Davide Taviani

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## Experience

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### Delivering Technology

OWNER / SENIOR CLOJURE CONSULTANT

June 2018 - current

- Design, development and maintenance of Clojure(script) projects
- Technical advice and consultancy

### Functional Works

SENIOR CLOJURE DEVELOPER

Remote

Feb 2019 - current

- Full-stack development using Clojure/Clojurescript, Re-frame, GraphQL

### Sous-chef

FOUNDER

Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Aug 2018 - current (on hold)

- Idea, design and implementation
- Clojure coaching

### Synple

Amsterdam, The Netherlands

Oct 2017 - May 2018

DATA LEAD

- Designed and implemented the Data Pipeline using Clojure and Kafka, along with PostgreSQL and Metabase
- Deployed the data pipeline on AWS using Ansible/Packer and CloudFormation
- Managed a small team of Data Scientists

### Studyflow

Amsterdam, The Netherlands

May 2014 - May 2017

FULL STACK SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

- SPA development using Reagent (React) and Re-frame
- Co-authored an Event-Sourcing library in Clojure: *rill-event-sourcing*
- Designed and implemented the infrastructure on bare metal with Ansible
- Developed a Rails-based authoring & publishing application
- Managed a small team of developers and participated in strategic decisions

### ASML

Eindhoven, The Netherlands

Nov 2013 - May 2014

METROLOGY DESIGN ENGINEER

- Implemented software for the metrology department of EUV lithography machines NXE:3300 and NXE:3350B

## Education

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### Universiteit Utrecht

Utrecht, The Netherlands

Sep 2011 - Oct 2013

MSC. IN MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

- Specialization: Scientific Computing
- Master thesis: *Iterative sparse matrix partitioning*, under the supervision of Prof. dr. Rob H. Bisseling (Parallel Computing)

### Università degli Studi di Ferrara

Ferrara, Italy

Sep 2008 - Jul 2011

BS IN MATHEMATICS

- Final grade: 110/110 cum Laude
- Bachelor thesis: *Total Variation image denoising from Poisson data: Split Bregman methods and Alternating Extragradient methods* under the supervision of Dr. Prof. Valeria Ruggiero (Numerical Analysis)

### Coursera

DEEP LEARNING SPECIALIZATION

Sep 2017 - Dec 2017

- **Courses completed:** Machine Learning, Neural Networks and Deep Learning, Improving Deep Learning Networks, Structure Machine Learning Projects, Convolutional Neural Networks

## Skills

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### Development

Clojure, Clojurescript, C/C++, Ruby (Rails and Sinatra), Python, Shell scripting  
React, CQRS, Event Sourcing, Kafka, PostgreSQL, Redis

### Devops

Linux System Administration, Ansible, AWS CloudFormation, Docker, Packer, Gitlab CI/CD configuration & administration,  
bare-metal

### Languages

Italian, English, Dutch (basic level), Greek (basic level)

# Extracurricular Activity

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## Wikipedia

ADMINISTRATOR & CONTRIBUTOR

Sep. 2006 - Jan 2017

- 25000+ edits on Wikipedia and Wikimedia projects in various languages

## Various publications and websites

PHOTOGRAPHER

- Worked professionally for the summer of 2005
- Pictures featured in National Magazines and various websites

## Honors & Awards

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2008 **Roberto Ruffilli Prize**, for graduating with the highest mark

Cesena, Italy

## Presentation

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### Dutch Clojure Meetup - September 2015

Amsterdam, The Netherlands

PRESENTER

Sep. 2015

- **Event Sourcing at Studyflow / 2:** Discussion of our Event Sourcing framework, with focus on the advantages and drawbacks of having a in-memory read-model
- Slides: <https://speakerdeck.com/helios/2>

### Dutch Clojure Meetup - April 2017

Amsterdam, The Netherlands

PRESENTER

Apr. 2017

- **Event Sourcing, CQRS and scalability - a status update:** Discussion of the challenges in scalability of our Event Sourcing framework after three years in production with half a billion events, with particular attention to the different strategies in scaling reads and writes.
- Slides: <https://speakerdeck.com/helios/event-sourcing-cqrs-and-scalability-a-status-update>

## Interests

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Dungeons & Dragons (as DM), Electronics (Arduino & Raspberry Pi), 3d printing, synthesizers, Chess and board games