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# Objective

2014 Design, build and ship awesome web products with great clients using Lean & Agile

## Experience

Since 2014 Startup Executive Technical Coach, Independent, Paris, France.

Coaching startups with their first MVP, future-proof technology choices, assuming an Interim CTO / Lead Developer role. Lean Startup, Agile, TDD and continuous deployment. Ruby (Rails)

2012-2014 **Senior Software Engineer**, *Applidget*, Paris, France.

Full-stack lead developer on MobiCheckin, a SaaS product for event organisers. Integration of Mandrill, Mailchimp, Highrise, Esendex and Xing Events APIs. Ruby (Rails), JavaScript

2010-2013 Web Software Engineer, Auto-Entrepreneur, Remotely, Earth.

- Bootstrapping a SaaS product for e-merchants, Shopboard, a real-time dashboard with live chat integration. Ruby, JavaScript
- o Designed, implemented and tested a web CMS for Sogedis, an household appliances spare part company. Hooked it with the ERP Divalto and e-commerce website. C#
- Usability testing and funnel optimization on pieces-detachees.sogedis.fr to help growing the e-commerce revenue to more than 250k€ per month.

2009-2012 **Software Engineer**, *VirtuOz (Acquired by Nuance)*, Paris, France.

- Designed, implemented and tested the flagship product Voice of the Customer in collaboration with the big data scientists. C#, JavaScript
- Implemented best practices with a code review process and solid continuous integration.

2008–2009 **Software Engineer Intern**, *Google*, Zürich, Switzerland.

Built web dashboards to visualize the internal network structure and status. Python, C++

2007–2008 **Web Developer**, *Sogedis*, Rouen, France.

Designed and implemented from scratch the Sogedis e-commerce. PHP

2007 **Software Engineer Intern**, *VirtuOz*, Paris, France.

Research Internship in natural language processing. C#

2004–2005 French Army Officer, Brigade des Sapeurs Pompiers de Paris, Paris, France.

#### Education

2004–2009 Master of Science, École Polytechnique, Paris, Computer Science.

Military and Scientific training with 1 year specialization in Network at Telecom ParisTech.

2002–2004 Classes Préparatoires, Corneille High School, Rouen, PC\*.

2 years of intensive training in Math, Physics and Chemistry.

#### Skills

Technical Software design, implementation, and testing of web applications.

Strong experience with Ruby (Rails), C# (ASP.Net MVC), Java, PHP, JavaScript (vanilla,

¡Query, Node.js), HTML, CSS, REST, zsh and git.

Best practices (code review, continuous integration & deployment, project management).

Languages French (mother tongue), English (full professional proficiency), Spanish (notions)

## Hobbies

Music Piano and bass guitar player

Sports Bodyboard, Volley Ball

Cooking You must taste my canelés and risotti! - or my muffins and cookies:)