I am a 32-year-old software engineer currently working in Dublin, originally from Finland but moved to Ireland in June 2011.

In my previous position with Brandtone I was a full stack developer building a mobile marketing platform in a fast paced team. My two biggest contributions in Brandtone were modernizing the frontend development codebase, processes and architecture to conform industry best practices and being the lead contributor to our core product both on backend and frontend side of the application. As an additional activity I also introduced modern DevOps & ChatOps practices and development processes to the company by bringing in more formalized code quality measures and more effective strategies around development and delivery.

Before Brandtone I spent a small time in Liberty IT in northern Dublin. My main responsibilities in there were developing web services using IBM WID targeting Websphere Process Server. Daily tasks revolved around analysis and design of new service contracts and implementations in our SOA as well as acting as a senior for two other Dublin based developers in our team.

I also spent a while working in Unique Digital where I was developing movie theater management software for cinema chains. During my time there I created Vaadin components and services handling data retrieval, business calculations and generating user interface. I also created a servlet implementation in order to serve media files more fluently to the user.

For IBM I was part of a Business Intelligence & Metrics team whose primary focus for the last year was creating internal web applications to manage and report call center data for various IBM locations around Europe. The development stack that we used consisted of Spring MVC with Hibernate on the backend side. For frontend we initially used JSTL/JSP but later transitioned to single page applications with JavaScript, Jquery and an in-house JavaScript framework that I helped to build.

Outside of my day job I like to keep up with latest trends in technology. Most of my free time is spent developing various Node.js applications for my own entertainment. I also spend time testing out web frameworks and databases trying to find patterns and best practices in medium to large scale Node.js applications. I have few contributions to open source on my Github and I enjoy keeping in touch with the Dublin dev community via meetups and conferences. My Github account can be found from https://github.com/Xantier/ and my personal blog is in address https://jussi.hallila.com.

I prefer developing in an agile environment where communication between team members and customers is fluent and honest. I have a passion to learning and following industry best practices. I have a strong drive for innovation and making things easier as well as automation and doing things a smarter way.

Yours sincerely, Jussi Hallila