

# Alex Resta

Software engineer with a broad scope of knowledge, experience and skills

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Hola! If I could choose three words to define me as a teammate, I would say: hardworking, friendly and positive.

I have over 15 years of experience not only in the software industry but also as an entrepreneur. Founding my own company helped me learn a wide set of skills which made me a more business-aware, focused, organized and goal-driven developer, and also boosted my people and managing skills way over I imagined some years ago.

I am looking for a full-time position in a challenging team where I can learn and grow both as a developer and as a person. I am a fast learner and I really like challenges, so challenge me!

## Work experience

Cofounder, CFO, Operations manager

April 2012 – September 2015

*Aborigens - Local food insiders*

Co-founder of a local food tourism startup in Barcelona. During this time I learnt what is to start and run a business, which was something totally new for me. Thanks to this now I can relate to the business side of software engineering, as I gained many new skills in finances, budget planning, working for goals and objectives, negotiation or customer care. My main roles where business oriented and divided in 2 main categories:

As CFO:

- Finances and legal needs
- Progress and annual shareholders reporting
- Product pricing
- Budgets, wages and cash flow

As Operation manager and CTO:

- Defining all processes and operational methodologies for the company
- Choosing tools to support daily operational needs
- Mantain server infrastructure
- Website and ticket sales development

WordPress ninja

Secretary Plus

January 2012 – April 2012

A merging company assembled a small team to create a new website before the merge would happen. The main goal of the website was to offer secretaries a place to train and to find jobs.

The website was decided to be implemented in wordpress with custom plugins. My main roles in the team were:

- Lead a team of a web designer and another programmer for the task
- Design and develop the advanced plugins for the different functionalities we needed, like: Job offers for companies, Candidates filtering and selection, and Training offers
- Schedule and demo the releases

Freelance developer  
*Self-employed*

January 2012 – April 2012

Worked in several web projects combining frontend and backend development:

- Taking over and finishing a website that the previous developer left abruptly unfinished for a tech startup: [Dexmatech](#)
- Athletes and championship management plugin for a athletics club website: [Fondistes Penedès](#)

Analyst/Lead Developer  
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September 2008 – February 2011

Online Marketing agency that had as a main client Sony and a private Bank in Andorra, and now is currently out of business. During time I played different roles:

- Lead Developer of interactive marketing projects, featuring PHP, Flash, JQuery
- Teleconference app in flash
- IT strategy and creativity for new projects.

Analyst/Developer  
*Nextret*

June 2007 – August 2008

Worked 1 year as an analyst / developer at CCRTVI ([http://www.ccrtv.cat/entitats/entitat\\_ccrtvi\\_cat.htm](http://www.ccrtv.cat/entitats/entitat_ccrtvi_cat.htm)) developing and maintaining the website: [www.super3.cat](http://www.super3.cat), and taking part in websites like [www.tv3.cat](http://www.tv3.cat) / [www.3cat24.cat](http://www.3cat24.cat). Technologies used: XML/XSL, Java, Oracle. Also worked for a project for Gencat ([www.gencat.cat](http://www.gencat.cat)) using J2EE, struts, hibernate and spring. (Canigó framework)

Analyst/Developer J2EE  
*Getronics*

June 2005 – June 2007

Working for AXA/Winterthur with J2EE + Struts + Oracle in maintenance and development of the main webapp used by insurance agents

Developer  
*GEC (Open university of Catalunya group)*

April 2004 – December 2004

Web app developer using ASP, PHP, J2EE + Struts + Hibernate

Developer  
*Hewlett-Packard*

January 2002 – January 2003

Developing a document management software using Oracle PL-SQL, Unix, ASP

Analyst/Developer  
*Ajuntament de Vilafranca (Local administration)*

February 2000 – June 2001

Plan and implement an intranet from scratch using Oracle, Ms-Access and ASP