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Education

2011 — 2013 General Engineering (Master's degree), École Centrale Marseille, Double Degree. Emphasis on Information Technology and Digital Society, GPA 3.9 out of 4 (top 5%)

- Eiffel Excellence Scholarship award by the French Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs
- President of the International Centrale Marseille students' association for 1 year, responsible for coordinating a group of more than 20 students in the reception and integration of exchange students
- Led a group of 7 students in a one-year project to develop a real-time air quality monitoring platform using Arduino microcontrollers, XBee radio modules and gas sensors
- Participated in many computer science and mathematics-related projects throughout the course, such as in the development of a traveling expert system, elaboration of a search engine and classifier of Project Gutenberg's e-books and resolution of Project Euler problems with the university's Programming Club

2009 — 2014 Mechatronics Engineering (Bachelor's degree), Escola Politécnica, Universidade de São Paulo. Ranked 2nd best student, pondered average 8.2 out of 10 (top 5%)

- Thesis: Proposal of algorithm and development of a software library for recommendation systems of e-commerce products (Research Advisor: Dr. Fábio Cozman)
- Numerical Calculus Teaching Assistant for 6 months, responsible for giving extra courses, correcting programming assignments and supervising exams
- Numerical Calculus Tutor for 6 months, helping students prepare for the tests and programming exercises
- Research Intern in the Bioengineering Laboratory for 8 months, having developed a filter that separates ventilation and perfusion images in electrical impedance tomography using the Hilbert-Huang Transform
- Participated in the students' robotics team for 1 year, getting the second place in two national competitions

Professional Experience

Nov 2014 Co-founder & Tech Lead, BelugaDB, Brazil.

BelugaDB is a big data platform that provides real-time insights through dashboards and machine learning

Aug 2017 - Managed a group of 4 senior software engineers as the lead database developer

- Designed and developed most of the high-performance columnar database, including its compressed bitmaps indexing strategy, its search algorithms and its distributed architecture, which was capable of processing terabytes of data in milliseconds, outperforming some of the industry's benchmarks
- Participated in the main areas of the organization, including the data storage, extraction and visualization divisions, as well as in key activities such as hiring, onboarding, mentoring and strategic planning

Mar 2014 Software Engineer Intern, Revmob Mobile Ad Network, Brazil.

Revmob is one of the leading mobile ad networks when it comes to monetization of iOS & Android

Oct 2014

- Led the integration team of 5 people which increased the revenue of publishers by 15% by partnering with demand-side platforms and updating the company's software development kit
- Led a task force of 3 people in the development of an anti-fraud algorithm which reduced 80% of all invalid requests by applying a set of rules to suspicious traffic, saving thousands of dollars in refund
- Helped design and led the onboarding process of the company by structuring programming courses, culture meetings and off-site activities for new hires
- Helped restructure the company's security policies by adopting best practices and preventive measures

Additional Information

Languages Portuguese Native, English Fluent (TOEFL 113/120), French Fluent (DALF C1), Spanish Intermediate, Japanese Basic

Programming

Proficient in C/C++, Node.js, Bash, AWS and related technologies; open source contributor and author of a compressed bitmaps library, one of the top 10 most starred Redis modules; developed a crowdsourcing app in the São Paulo Public Transportation Hackathon and got the second place among over 50 teams

Hobbies Guitar playing (member of a rock band, having played in many small concerts), traveling (studied in three different cities in France for more than 2 years and visited over 20 countries in Europe, Africa, America and Asia); e-learning (completed over 10 online courses in a wide range of subjects, from Philosophy to Quantum Physics); table tennis (participated in a state competition)

Charity Work Former member of TECHO (nonprofit organization that fights extreme poverty in Latin America with housing and inclusion programs); mathematics, physics and chemistry teaching assistant in high school