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PERSONAL DATA

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Current	DevOps & Researcher at NATIONAL EDUCATION AND RESEARCH NETWORK (RNP), Florianópolis
MAY 2017	<i>Intern at GT-AMPTo (Multi-Factor Authentication for Everyone)</i> Developing a solution for multi-factor authentication that can be used on the CAFé federation besides allowing the transposition of such authentication through the physical Internet.
Current	Backend Python Dev & DevOps at UNITED ACADEMICS, Amsterdam
DEC 2015	<i>Open Access Library</i> Provide a fully functional architecture, with a full continuous integration with the system. We use DJANGO as a Web Framework, MONGODB as our database and DOCKER for containerizing our software.
Jul 2017	DevOps at NATIONAL EDUCATION AND RESEARCH NETWORK (RNP), Florianópolis
APR 2017	<i>Volunteering Work for GidLab (Support for researchers on Identify Provider)</i> Researchers need virtual machines to do their research and my job is to provide an fully automated environment where a researcher can create a configurable environment that runs an SHIBBOLETH IDP, SP and LDAP.
Jul 2017	Web Crawling Researcher & Python developer at 4VISION LAB, Florianópolis
APR 2016	<i>Personal Data Web Crawler</i> Research different ways on how crawl user data through the Web by using face & pattern recognition.
Jun 2016	Researcher & ANGULARJS Developer at 4VISION LAB, Florianópolis
DEC 2015	<i>Smart Industrial Environment</i> Providing a Smart Industrial Environment with the Web of Things and Cloud Computing. We worked with a BEAGLEBONE black which runs a Smart Gateway written in C++ and JAVA, the control panel interface was written in ANGULARJS
Jan 2016	Researcher & C/C++ Developer at 4VISION LAB, Florianópolis
AUG 2015	<i>3D Cloth Flattening</i> Researching different cloth flattening algorithms using OPENGL and C++
May 2015	Backend Python & C developer at BYNE, Florianópolis
AUG 2014	<i>WaspBee & Twisted developer</i> Developing communication, monitoring and control Software for critical systems. We used TWISTED and ZEROMQ

Nov 2013	Backend Python & Perl developer at IMGZINE, Amsterdam
JUN 2012	<i>Web Crawler developer</i> Writing smart Web crawlers and HTML parsers for gathering relevant news. The software estimates the time of change of a specific news page, so each time a website has a new article we are able to parse it and analyze relevant data.
Mar 2011	Backend Ruby on Rails developer at YURU.NL, Amsterdam
SEPT 2010	<i>Base system</i> A short period job where I helped my professor writing the backend of Yuru.nl

EDUCATION

CURRENT	Bachelor of Science in COMPUTER SCIENCE, University of Vale do Itajaí , Florianópolis
JUL 2013	Technical degree in INFORMATICS, ROC van Amsterdam , Amsterdam
JUL 2013	Volunteering student in COMPUTER SCIENCE, Vrije Universiteit van Amsterdam (VU) , Amsterdam
JUL 2011	Middelbare School – HAVO/VWO, Nova College , Amsterdam

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

MAR 2017 PRESENTATION	A beginner's introduction to GIT and GITHUB, for the Mozilla's Campus Club at the University of Vale do Itajaí.
JUN 2016 JOURNAL	Providing a Smart Industrial Environment with the Web of Things and Cloud Computing, 2016, <i>IEEE International Conference on Services Computing (SCC)</i> .
JUN 2016 PRESENTATION	A quick introduction to ERLANG (v18.3), at the University of Vale do Itajaí.
AUG 2015 PRESENTATION	An introduction to the CYPHERPUNK world and low level code debugging, at the University of Vale do Itajaí.

LANGUAGES

ENGLISH:	Fluent
DUTCH:	Fluent
GERMAN:	Advanced
PORTUGUESE:	Advanced
SPANISH	Basic

SKILLS

Programming Languages:	C/C++, PYTHON, RUBY, ASSEMBLY, JAVA, BASH/ZSH, ANGULARJS, JAVASCRIPT, ERLANG and \LaTeX
Databases:	MONGODB, MYSQL, POSTGRESQL and SQLITE

Operating Systems:	LINUX (ARCHLINUX, DEBIAN, GENTOO), UNIX, MS Windows XP, Vista, 7, 10 and OSX
Applications:	HOPPERAPP, RADARE2, STRACE, SYSDIG, GDB, OPENOFFICE and MS Office
Miscellaneous:	VIM, EMACS, DOCKER, VAGRANT and ANSIBLE, HTML and CSS

INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES

Musical:	Playing Guitar
Computer:	Interest in online privacy and surveillance, Kernel attacks, secure systems and cryptography
Other:	Politics, reading, culture, traveling and photography