

BERNARD COSTA

SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

As a Full Stack Developer changing careers from Biology to Software Development, I specialize in the MERN/PERN stack, Next.js, and Tailwind CSS to deliver robust web solutions.

My journey from a Biologist and Seminars Evaluator for UNICEF to web development, supported by rigorous self-study and an intensive course at WBS Coding School, prepared me to create user-centric applications.

Based in Nuremberg, I excel in team environments with strong communication and interpersonal skills.

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 03/2024 - today

Web Developer - Freelance - Chácara Gaia - Seasonal Rentals

 - Created a website to promote ecotourism and offer seasonal rentals at a countryside farm in Brazil.
 - Developed the Frontend, UX/UI design and created a static REST API.
- 09/2023 - 01/2024

Frontend Developer - XRental - Apartments Finder

WBS Coding School · Apprenticeship
Berlin, Germany

 - Designed and implemented the entire UX/UI, Frontend, and integrated with the Backend database.
- 01/2018 - 07/2023

Security Guard

Ronsegur Lda. - Aveiro, Portugal

 - Provided private security services for 5 community hospitals in the region of Aveiro, ensuring the safety of over 500 patients and staff daily.
 - Managed reception and information services, handling inquiries and directing patients to appropriate departments.
 - Conducted security patrols and monitored surveillance systems using CCTV, reducing considerably security incidents.
- 05/2016 - 09/2016

Seminars Evaluator

UNICEF - Brazil. Manaus - Brazil

 - Facilitated and evaluated seminars as part of the "UNICEF Municipal Seal of Approval" project across multiple municipalities in the upper and lower Rio Solimões and Rio Negro regions.
 - Engaged with over 1,000 community members and local leaders, promoting educational initiatives and health programs.
 - Conducted workshops and forums. Collected and analyzed documents to furthermore giving final scores.
- 05/2014 - 09/2014

Tour Guide

Amazonense Agency for Cultural Development (AADC). Manaus - Brazil

 - Facilitated and guided English-speaking tours for international groups of up to 20 people.
 - Provided detailed information on local culture, history, and biodiversity, enhancing the visitor experience.
 - Worked as part of the support project for the 2014 World Cup in Brazil, ensuring smooth logistics and positive tourist experiences.
- 01/2010 - 12/2014

Laboratory Assistant

National Institute of Amazonian Research (INPA). Manaus - Brazil

 - Assisted in the diversity screening of Microhymenoptera and Hymenoptera species from the Amazon region.
 - Conducted detailed specimen examinations and recorded findings, contributing to the discovery of new species.
 - Collaborated with researchers to ensure accurate data collection and analysis.

CONTACT

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HIGHER EDUCATION

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES DEGREE

Federal Institute of Education, Science and Technology of Amazonas
01/09 - 12/13 - Manaus, Brazil

MASTERS in NATURAL RESOURCES (INCOMPLETE)

Federal University of Roraima
08/14 - 12/15 - Boa Vista, Brazil

CERTIFICATES

FULLSTACK WEB & APP DEVELOPMENT

WBS Coding School
09/23 - 01/24 - Remote & Berlin, Germany

AWS ESSENTIAL TRAINING FOR DEVELOPERS

Linkedin Learning Certificate
2024 - Germany

TYPESCRIPT ESSENTIAL TRAINING

Linkedin Learning Certificate
2024 - Germany

LEARNING NEXT.JS

Linkedin Learning Certificate
2024 - Germany

ADVANCED ENGLISH

YÁZIGI - Internexus
06/12 - 12/13 - Manaus, Brazil

TECH SKILLS

- React - PERN / MERN stacks
- TailwindCSS
- NextJS
- JavaScript
- SQL / NoSQL
- Git / Github
- Jest
- Vercel

LANGUAGES

English (fluent)
Portuguese (native)
German (A2)
Spanish (basic knowledge)