

# Walter Catalfamo

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## SKILLS

**Programming Languages** Python | Java | Javascript | C++ | SQL | PHP  
**Databases & Messaging** Couchbase | MongoDB | MySQL | Apache Kafka  
**DevOps & Cloud** Docker | Kubernetes | Microsoft Azure | Argo CD | Istio | Jenkins

## EXPERIENCE

### Amadeus

May 2023 - Present

Backend Developer

Nice, France

- Developed and maintained RESTful APIs for a distributed, cloud-native system on Azure using Java and Quarkus.
- Deployed and managed applications on Kubernetes using Helm and Argo CD, following GitOps principles.
- Integrated event-driven communication using Apache Kafka and managed NoSQL database (Couchbase).
- Configured Istio service mesh for traffic management, mTLS encryption, and observability.
- Acted as Scrum Master within a SAFe framework to guide team productivity and organization.

### Private Tutoring

Sep 2019 - Present

- Provide private tutoring in advanced subjects across Math, Physics, Electronics, and Computer Science.

### Politecnico di Milano

Sep 2021 - Feb 2023

Teacher Assistant

Milan, Italy

- Led lab sessions and graded assignments for the *Probability and Statistics* course.
- Co-taught fundamental programming concepts in C and MATLAB for the *Foundations of Computer Science* course.

### UniTrekking

Oct 2021 - May 2023

Mountain Guide

Milan, Italy

- Responsible for leading groups on treks in the Alps, developing strong leadership and social skills.

## EDUCATION

### Master's Degree in Computer Engineering

Sep 2020 - Jan 2023

Politecnico di Milano

Milan, Italy

### Bachelor's Degree in Computer Engineering

Sep 2017 - Jul 2020

Politecnico di Milano

Milan, Italy

## NOTABLE PROJECTS

### Skillogue

2022

Full-Stack Social Network

Personal Project

- Developed a social network in **Flutter** from the ground up to connect people based on shared hobbies and passions, managing the project from conception to deployment.

### Schema Query Reverse Engineering

2022

Data Engineering Tool

Academic Project

- Designed and implemented an algorithm in **Python** to reverse-engineer a database's schema mapping.

### NikiTranslator

2022

Multi-Language Learning App

Personal Project

- Built a translator app in **Python** that translates sentences into multiple languages simultaneously in order to reveal cross-linguistic patterns and helps users track frequently used words in a personal dictionary.

## PUBLICATIONS

- **Walter Catalfamo, et al.**, "[Schema Query Reverse Engineering](#)," Politecnico di Milano, Oct 2022.

## LANGUAGES

- **Native:** Italian
- **Fluent:** English, French, Spanish
- **Conversational:** Portuguese
- **Basic:** Dutch, German, Turkish