







# Catalina Acosta Rivera

## Frontend Developer



With a strong foundation in JavaScript, React JS, and Ruby on Rails, gained through hands-on experience, I am well-prepared to excel as a German-speaking frontend developer. Completing a web development bootcamp at Le Wagon in Berlin and contributing to collaborative projects have sharpened my skills and eye for innovative solutions. Motivated and adaptable, I thrive in dynamic environments and am passionate about creating market-driven products. Eager to expand my knowledge and grow in the IT industry, I am excited about new opportunities.

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## Tech stack

- React js, Ruby on Rails
- JavaScript, HTML, CSS
- Bootstrap, React Bootstrap
- Ruby
- PostgreSQL
- Wordpress

## Work experience

**01.2023 - currently** •  
Berlin - Regensburg

### Freelance/personal projects & parental leave

During my parental leave, I made a bold decision to pivot my career towards web development. This led me to enroll in the bootcamp at Le Wagon, where I acquired valuable skills and knowledge. Since then, I have actively contributed to the projects mentioned above, solidifying my commitment to this exciting new career path.

[About some of my projects:](#)

#### **talentcol** [visit here](#)

Talentcol is a new human resources company that sources talented professionals from Colombia. I developed a React application for them built using React Bootstrap components with custom design elements.

- Facebook Pixel tracking implementation to monitor form submissions and scheduled call button clicks.
- Responsive contact form using validation and customized options for specific user interests.
- Hosted the application on Namecheap and configured email integration.

#### **Terri Pecora** [visit here](#)

Responsible for the update and maintenance of the WordPress website for Milan-based designer Terri Pecora. Tasks include:

- Performing necessary updates, including plugins and core WordPress updates.
- Uploading new content, such as building image carousels.
- Updating the home page and project display to ensure a fresh and engaging user experience.

#### **jeronimo escobar design** [visit here](#)

Built from scratch, the React application highlights the diverse portfolio of designer and architect Jeronimo Escobar, featuring personalized components tailored to client specifications. Key features include:

- Seamless contact form functionality with Email JS integration on the Contact page.
- Smooth navigation facilitated by React Router DOM.
- Enhanced interactivity and responsiveness achieved through the implementation of the useState hook.
- Reliable deployment and accessibility ensured through hosting on Netlify.

## Soft skills

- Analytical mindset
- Resilience
- Teamwork
- Communication

## Work experience

### ● **FindMyMidwife** [check the code](#)

A Ruby on Rails web app for midwives that helps them organize their work in an efficient way. Final project of the Web Development bootcamp at Le Wagon.

- Project lead: original idea and vision of the product. Guided daily stand-ups and reviewed pull requests on GitHub.
- Participated in building the backend with Ruby on Rails 7 and designing the schema of the database (PostgreSQL).
- Delivered complete features from backend to frontend (the chatroom, for example) and manipulated page behavior using Stimulus JS.

**01.2019 - 09.2022**

Berlin

### ● **Shoepassion GmbH**

Product Manager & B2B Representative

- Identified overspending of the monthly budget for the Accessories line and decreased it by 20% using KPIs.
- Achieved to guide strategic decisions through presenting reliable data by updating and maintaining the Accessories database.
- Timely delivery and product launch on the website through efficient coordination of several departments.
- Positive development of HD B2B accounts by analyzing individual needs and designing customized strategies.

**01.2016 - 08.2018**

Barcelona

### ● **Padma Diseno S.L.**

Key Account Manager - German accounts

- Successfully introduced the woman's wear account increasing yearly sales by 10%. Project management, sourcing, product development and production follow up for orders up to 120.000 pieces (textiles).
- Team supervisor of the woman's wear department (3 people).

## Languages

- Spanish (native speaker)
- English (fluent)
- German (fluent)
- French (fluent)

## Education

**10.2022 - 12.2022**

Berlin

### ● **Le Wagon**

Fullstack Web Development Bootcamp

9-week full-time intensive coding bootcamp

- Frontend Fundamentals: HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, JavaScript ES6
- Ruby/ Ruby on Rails, SQL, GitHub, Heroku

**09.2015 - 08.2016**

Barcelona

### ● **Felicidad Duce/LCI Barcelona**

Master in Fashion Business Management

**01.2009 - 06.2012**

Bogotá

### ● **LaSalle College International**

Fashion Design and Pattern Making