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About Me

I'm a front-end web craftsman who indulges Cascading Style Sheets and their friends. If you are into coding you will find me as @cssence on the Internet.

I'm passionate about barrier-free web development, as well as state-of-the-art user interface design, especially in regards to web applications.

My spare time interests include minimalism and degrowth, but also some more tangible things like long distance running and reading.

Work Experience

OCTOBER 2017 – PRESENT

George Labs GmbH, a subsidiary of Erste Group,
30+ employees; in Vienna, Austria.

Development & Coaching *ONGOING*

- Implementing a design pattern library for the most-talked-about Austrian online banking, written in React.
- Building a documentation platform for the design patterns, based on Gatsby, Storybook, and Playroom.
- Establishing web accessibility guidelines and integrating them into the design pattern library.
- Teaching web accessibility best practices in-house to front-end web developers.

DECEMBER 2015 – JUNE 2017

TRINN Consulting GmbH
≤10 employees; in Vienna, Austria.

Consulting, Ideation & Development *2015-2017*

- Consulting clients in technical aspects, focusing on digital innovation.
- Managing projects.
- Developing working prototypes for clients and the company's portfolio.
- Responsible for the company's server and website.

The complete job history can be found under <https://cv.cssence.com/>



Education & Certificates

- Senior High School graduation at HTBLuVA in St. Pölten. *1996*
- Awarded with the Austrian professional title “Engineer” by the Federal Ministry for Economics and Labour. *2000*
- Certified Java Programmer (SCJP 1.4) by Sun Microsystems. *2005*
- Certified Java Programmer (SCJP 6) by ORACLE. *2010*
- IREB® Certified Professional for Requirements Engineering. *2011*
- Regular web conference attendee [<https://cssence.com/events>], sometimes even speaker. *ONGOING*

Languages

- German: Native.
- English: Fluent.

Competences

- Technical consulting, with focus on web accessibility.
- Requirements management.
- Rapid prototyping.
- Web development according to web standards.