

# CHRIS-ARMEL IRADUKUNDA

## Software Engineer - Entrepreneur

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A multilingual African software engineer trained in Beijing (China), with a proactive personality and passionate about sustainable transportation.

Previous high profile job was being an Actor and Recruiting Manager in the Chinese movie industry for two blockbusters.

Looking for a job opportunity on innovative and large-scale projects anywhere or remotely in Belgium.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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### Tour Maker

Brussels Major Events - Brussels

June 2019 to July 2019

- Volunteering as a tour maker for international cyclists events taking place in Brussels this summer in the build up to the Grand Départ of Tour de France 2019.
  - Brussels Tour (16 June) : orientation of the participants in the city-wide bike race at the start box in front of the Royal Palace.
  - European Cycle Messenger Championships (29 - 30 June) : steward (pedestrian crossings).
  - Brussels Grand Départ 2019 (3 - 7 July) : welcoming the visitors at the train stations Gare du Nord (morning) and at Gare du Midi (afternoon), sharing information in 3 languages on the program, public transport services and helping them to find the best itinerary to access the locations targeted by the Grand Départ.
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### Mechanic Assistant

Atelier Vélo du Collectif Citoyens Solidaires Namur - Namur (city)

January 2018 to June 2018

- Volunteering, 3 times/week, as mechanic assistant in a bicycle repair shop.
  - Repairing and refurbishing old or abandoned bicycles to be distributed to asylum seekers residing in the Namur region.
  - Assisting in keeping records of bicycles in stock.
  - Testing the repaired bicycle and mounting extra accessories according to Belgian road safety regulations.
  - Teaching basic safety rules to new owners of refurbished bicycles.
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## **Dishwasher**

**Dynasties Wok Restaurant** - Waterloo

March 2018 to April 2018

- On a daily basis: Wash dishes, glassware, flatware, pots, or pans, using dishwashers or by hand.
  - Place clean dishes, utensils, or cooking equipment in storage areas.
  - Maintain kitchen work areas, equipment, or utensils in clean and orderly condition.
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## **Full Stack Web Developer**

**Self-Employed** - Cairo

June 2016 to October 2016

- Freelancing as web developer in downtown Cairo, Egypt.
  - Building websites, using Javascript, HTML and CSS.
  - Securing, installing and detecting vulnerabilities of wireless networks of some African Diplomatic Missions in Mohandessin, Cairo (Egypt).
  - Open-sourcing and maintaining personal/public projects on GitHub.
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## **Foreign Talent Recruiter and Manager**

**China Film Group Corporation** - Beijing

November 2015 to June 2016

- Recruiter of foreign actors, models and extras (background actors) for movie production teams at China Film Group Corporation in Beijing, China.
  - Manager of foreign crews (20 to 500 people) on movie sets at shooting locations in China, under supervision of the country's biggest movies producer.
  - Translation in various languages (English, Chinese, Swahili) of movie director's directives to actors and movie extras.
  - Setting up and maintaining a database of foreign talent under management.
  - Keeping logs of working hours per model/actor and distributing salaries.
  - Reservation of hotels, bus shuttles and train/plane tickets.
  - Ordering meals (western or arabian cuisines) and assisting in handing out plates on shooting locations.
  - Online promotion of movie studios activities in foreign languages and recruitment campaigns.
  - Action Movies: "China Salesman", "Wolf Warrior 2", "My War". All have become great hits on the Chinese box-office and broke records in tickets sales.
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## **Actor and Movie Extra**

**China Film Group Corporation** - Beijing

October 2014 to June 2016

- Acting in action movies under production of China Film Group Corporation.
- Movies: "China Salesman", "Wolf Warrior 2", "My War".
- Shooting location: Inner Mongolia, Summer 2015 (China), Beijing, Winter 2015 - Spring 2016 (China).

## EDUCATION

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### **Certificate in Language Proficiency in Dutch (NT2) - Intensive Course**

CVO TSM Campus Merode - Mechelen

January 2019 to May 2019

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### **Undergraduate Certificate in Computer Science**

Université de Namur - Namur (city)

November 2017 to January 2018

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### **Bachelor's in Computer Science and Engineering**

University of Science and Technology Beijing - Beijing

September 2013 to June 2016

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### **Diploma in Academic Pre-Bachelor Foundation Programme**

School of International Education - Tianjin University - Tianjin

September 2012 to July 2013

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## SKILLS

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- Ubuntu Linux (8 years)
- Python (2 years)
- Javascript (3 years)
- Instagram - Twitter - GitHub (8 years)
- Android (5 years)
- Front-End Web Development (3 years)
- Google Docs (8 years)
- Microsoft Office (8 years)
- Microsoft Windows (10+ years)
- Bicycle Maintenance and Repair (2 years)
- Photography (6 years)

## LINKS

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<https://daqhris.com>

<https://twitter.com/daqhris>

<https://www.instagram.com/iamdaqhris/>

## AWARDS

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### Full-Ride University Scholarship (Beijing,China)

August 2012

- Scholarship awarded to secondary school graduates for advanced studies in top-ranking Chinese universities.
  - Tuition waiver, free accommodation on campus and a monthly allowance of CNY 2500 are part of the package offered by China Scholarship Council.
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### Best Devotion to School (Bujumbura, Burundi)

July 2011

- Formally named: " Prix Rosa Gahugano - Engagement et Service "
- Awarded by: Lycée du Saint-Esprit. Bujumbura (Burundi).
- Elected by schoolmates, the recipient is rewarded for his devotion to various school activities and students clubs. Also includes a 200 US\$ cheque from Banque de Crédit de Bujumbura (BCB).
- The certificate bears this quote from Arthur Ashe: "From what we get, we can make a living; from what we give, however, we can make a life".

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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Languages [proficiency levels] :

- [native] English, Français, Kirundi
  - [fluent] Mandarin Chinese
  - [good] Swahili
  - [working knowledge] Dutch
  - [basic skills] Arabic
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- Coding: JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Python, C

Sports: Biking, Running, Swimming.