

Anton Cherednichenko

Hands-on CTO with business vision and multidisciplinary experience

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Citizenship: French

Experienced leader in technology and business, with a strong background in bridging strategy, engineering, scaling operations, and driving innovation. I've led cross-functional teams to deliver scalable, AI-driven products aligned with business goals in fast-paced environments.

Combining an Executive MBA with hands-on expertise in system architecture, regulatory compliance, and AI-driven innovation, I have consistently driven product excellence and business impact. Fluent in multiple languages, I thrive in multicultural teams and excel at turning complex challenges into actionable, growth-focused strategies.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Founder

May 2025 - Present

IceBreaker (icemelter.app) | Paris, France

- Created the technology roadmap for IceBreaker, a mobile/web card game that helps strangers to become friends and find deep connections
- Defined and implemented the product's vision, architecture, and delivery plan
- Introduced CI/CD pipelines to enable efficient iteration and future feature expansion
- **Tech stack:** Typescript (Nest.js + React Native + Expo), Postgres, Redis, Docker, GitHub Actions, VPS

CTO, Co-founder

Feb 2025 - Present

LegalCheck (femida.app) | Paris, France

- Created the technology roadmap for LegalCheck, a mobile/web automated AI assistant for legal teams with advanced analysis and RAG features
- Defined and implemented the product's vision, architecture, and delivery plan
- Introduced CI/CD pipelines to enable efficient iteration and future feature expansion
- **Tech stack:** Python (FastAPI), Typescript (React Native + Expo), Tailwind, Postgres, Redis, Docker, GitHub Actions, VPS

Founder

Nov 2024 - Present

Friends Tonight | Paris, France

- Created the technology roadmap for Friends Tonight, a custom meetup app for international communities
- Established the product's vision, architecture, and delivery plan
- **Tech stack:** Typescript (Express.js), Dart (Flutter), Postgres, Redis, Docker, VPS

Founder

May 2024 - Present

Calendize (calendize.it) | Paris, France

- Created the technology roadmap of the micro-SaaS project to streamline scheduling workflows
- Established the product's vision, architecture, and delivery plan
- Created CI/CD pipelines to enable efficient iteration and future feature expansion
- Built a foundation for long-term scalability while ensuring seamless collaboration with early adopters
- **Tech stack:** PHP (Laravel + Inertia), Typescript (Vue.js), Tailwind, Postgres, Redis, Docker, GitHub Actions, VPS

CTO, Co-founder

Mar 2023 - May 2024

ImpactMaker (impactmaker.ai) | Paris, France

- Organized the architecture design process for a real-time OpenAI-powered chatbot
- Built and managed a small high-performing development team, establishing workflows and processes to deliver the MVP on schedule
- Translated business needs into technical solutions, overseeing the full-stack development and delivering a product that enhanced user engagement and company impact
- **Tech stack:** PHP (Laravel), Typescript (Vue.js), Tailwind, MariaDB, Redis, GitLab CI, VPS

CTO, Co-founder

Nov 2019 - May 2024

GlobeDreamers (globedreamers.com) | Paris, France

- Scaled the company over five years, increasing total funds raised by 1,700% from €72,000 to €1,300,000. Grew the platform's user base by 350%, from 4,000 to over 14,000 active users. Expanded the technical team from 2 to 18 members
- Implemented Agile and Shape Up methodologies, optimizing workflows and delivering key features faster, resulting in increased platform adoption and engagement
- Integrated AI-driven features, transforming platform capabilities and attracting new corporate partners, growing the total number of partnerships from 90 to over 800
- Modernized the tech stack with extensive codebase refactoring, API optimization, and CI/CD implementation, reducing operational costs while improving scalability and system performance
- **Tech stack:** PHP (Laravel), Typescript (Vue.js), Livewire, Tailwind, MariaDB, Redis, GitLab CI, VPS

Director Of International Development

Oct 2017 - Jan 2019

Russia World Expo 2025 Bid Committee | Paris, France

- Led the international strategy for Russia's bid for Expo 2025, managing a team of 12 in Paris. Directed global outreach and partnership negotiations with representatives from over 170 countries
- Designed and executed a comprehensive development strategy while managing a €20M budget and ensuring its alignment with the KPIs
- Established high-impact partnerships and conducted "big deal" negotiations with international stakeholders
- Fostered team collaboration and streamlined operations to deliver results under tight deadlines, showcasing adaptability and leadership in high-pressure international contexts

Deputy Trade Division Director

Nov 2012 - Oct 2017

Trade Delegation of Russian Federation in France | Paris, France

- Managed the 15-person division, responsible for advising senior executives of Russian and French companies in their international development strategies
- Developed and implemented processes for team coordination and project prioritization, improving efficiency and enabling the division to exceed targets by 260% in signed contract value (€130M vs. €50M goal)
- Oversaw strategic partnerships and market development efforts, facilitating 86 new international contracts across sectors such as aviation, IT, energy, and public safety
- Mentored and empowered team members to drive performance and achieve objectives, building a culture of accountability and growth

International partnerships manager

Mar 2010 - Nov 2012

Trade Delegation of Russian Federation in France | Paris, France

- Managed the 3-person team, responsible for OECD adhesion projects, collection of information, analysis of relevant legislation, reporting to the Ministries
- Held daily political and commercial negotiations with representatives of more than 150 countries
- Concluded the negotiation of international treaties ("Convention on Combating Bribery of Foreign Public Officials in International Business Transactions", "Convention on Mutual Administrative Assistance in Tax Matters")

Business Analyst

Jun 2009 - Mar 2010

BearingPoint | Moscow, Russia

- ERP system integration (SAP R / 3), harmonization of the operational processes of the oil giant "Rosneft", preparation of the acquisition offer of "British Petroleum"

Operational process analyst

May 2007 - Jan 2008

Uralsib Bank | Moscow, Russia

- Business process mapping in the digital form (ARIS) to facilitate the integration of the ERP system

CORE SKILLS

Business and IT strategy, Leadership & cross-functional team management, Organizational scaling, Operations optimization, Global partnerships, Stakeholder engagement, Advanced negotiations and conflict resolution, Change and crisis management, Budget management, System and data architecture, Scrum, Agile, ShapeUp

EDUCATION

Mannheim Business School (Germany) Executive Master of Business Administration (EMBA)	Oct 2017 - Jul 2019
ESSEC Executive Education (France) Executive Master of Business Administration (EMBA)	Oct 2017 - Jul 2019
WASEDA Business School (Japan) Executive Master of Business Administration (EMBA)	Oct 2017 - Jul 2019
Georgetown University McCourt School of Public Policy (USA) Executive Master of Business Administration (EMBA)	Oct 2017 - Jul 2019
Higher School of Economics (Russia) Master of Economics and International Politics	Sep 2005 - May 2010

LANGUAGES

English, French, Russian – Fluent
German, Italian, Spanish – Basic
Dutch, Portuguese, Japanese - Elementary