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Experience

October 2009–	**Freelance Web Developer**. Working mostly around translation, localization and terminology. Clients include Translate.org.za and the Basque Public University (EHU/UPV).
September 2008–2009	**IXA Taldea**. Member at the IXA Taldea NLP group with a scholarship, working on Machine Translation.
April 2008– August 2008	**Google Summer of Code**. My project was to improve Pootle, an online localization tool for the Translate.org.za project, and I worked with Sayamindu Dasgupta as my project mentor.
2007–	**Firefox Add-ons Developer**. Involved in the development of extensions since 2007 (Euskalbar, GureGipuzkoa). Maintainer of the Basque dictionary extension (Xuxen).
2004–	**Member of Librezale.org**. Working in favor of Free Software and mainly in the localization of Mozilla apps.

Academic Preparation

2004–2009	**Engineering on Computer Science**, *Informatics Faculty, EHU/UPV*, Donostia, *7,56*. End of Degree Project: 10 – Distinction

Knowledge Fields

In short	I have developed and managed Web applications combining several technologies (buzzwords apply). I feel at home with Python and JavaScript. I love working with and contributing to Free Software.

Front-end	**HTML, CSS, JavaScript, templating**	Back-end	**Python (Django, Flask)**
Languages	**C, C++, Java, Ada, LISP, PHP**	Scripting	**bash, sh, Fabric**
VCSs	**git, Mercurial, Subversion**	Others	**SQL, XML-DB, Sphinx, LaTeX**

Languages

Basque	**Read / Write / Speak (high)**	*Mother language. EGA degree.*
Spanish	**Read / Write / Speak (high)**	
English	**Read / Write / Speak (medium-high)**	*FIRST Certificate. Lived in Australia for 6 months.*
French	**Read / Write / Speak (low)**	*Basic studies for two years.*

Hobbies

Sports	Keen on sports. Mostly football, basketball, cycling and hiking.
Travels	Love travelling. Anytime. Anywhere.