- MARCOS A. PENA-



I LOVE TO USE MY SKILLS TO HELP OTHERS BRING THEIR IDEAS INTO REALITY

— TEAMWORK —

- → Always trust the team.Work hard so you can be trusted.
- Praise the team, not yourself. Blame yourself, not the team.
- Common sense, over personal ego.
- Facilitate options, don't dictate rules.
- Improve a team from the inside, not by disrupting it from the outside.

— COMMUNICATION —

- Assertively show what you think, never impose and always show solutions.
- ⇒ Be careful with what you say, and make sure you understand what you are going to say before saying it.
- Do not rush into judging.
 Wait, and perceive.
 Avoid narrow-mindedness.

— ATTITUDE & VISION —

- ⇒ Be proactive with uncertainty, don't let it spread.
- Be aggressive with your challenges and problems, don't react to them.
- What you left out has often a stronger effect than what you put in.
- To understand is more important than to control.

— RECOMMENDATIONS —

- "Marcos truly is an outstanding programer, not afraid to dive into a programming language that is new to him and quickly create structured, reliable code."
- Cees de Gruijter, VP of Software Development, CoffeeCup Software
- "Marcos is a great and passionate developer with an eye for the little details that make the difference."
- —Guillermo Sanchez, Co-founder and CEO, Publitas.com

— EXPERIENCE —

TWAVE — October 2014 - Today

Remote Position

Software Developer

- * Machine Analysis Application (frontend): Frontend-only app, with REST-based backend.
- * Functional Programming.
- * Javascript (Vanilla, jQuery, D3). Sass. Go (server side).
- * Haskell, Purescript, Scala (experiments & side projects).

COFFEECUP SOFTWARE INC. — November 2009 - April 2012

1 year as Remote Position

Software Developer & Project Coordinator

- Web Image Studio App more info
 2D drawing engine and Image Processing (ActionScript)
 Application message API (Javascript)
- * Project Coordinator.

PULSE INGENIERÍA — July 2013 - September 2014

Remote Position

Software Developer

- * Back-end & Front-end (Python, Javascript, Scala).
- * Functional Programming.
- * Lean UX (quick prototypes & short cycles)
- * Project Management (Kanban)

FREELANCE — January 2004 - July 2009 July 2012 - June 2013

Software Developer

- * Website+CMS for local businesses (Ruby, Javascript)
- * Consulting.
- * Back-end & Front-end (Ruby, Javascript).
- * Illustration.
- * Consulting.

— ACADEMIC EDUCATION —

UNED — STARTED 2014

Bachelor's Degree in Mathematics

Distance Learning (self guided, no teacher). Slow pace (2-4 subjects a year).

PROFESSIONAL FORMATION SCHOOL — 1999 - 2001

Information Technology Professional.

Undergraduate level study, alternative to college. Focused in getting your students ready for a real-life job rather than intensive academic studies.