Ignacio Casares

Web developer

Experience

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Languages

Spanish (native)
English (proficient, C2)
French (proficient)
Dutch (B1)

Programming

Experienced in:

JavaScript TypeScript

Acquired knowledge in:

Angular

node.js

Laravel

Sass

PHP

Drupal

Tailwind

Bootstrap

MySQL/MariaDB

PostgreSQL

Regular expressions

Testing using **Jest**

Familiar with:

Python and Lua.

See most of my work on Github.

Since 2018 Technical maintainer

Wikipedia

I have been a technical maintainer at Wikipedia since 2018, among the tasks I carry out we may find:

- Maintenance and support for modules written in Lua in both open and protected pages as a template editor (flag awarded by community consensus).
- Creation and fix for templates, making use of Mediawiki's parser functions and logic.
- Modifications to the Spanish Wikipedia UI (CSS).
- Development of scripts that automatise user tasks, in JavaScript.
- Control and management of my own authorised bot that applies rules of the Manual of Style, written in TypeScript using node.js and interacting with the Wikimedia API. It has carried out more than 230 000 edits.
- · Resolution of technical requests through the technical board.

Education

2022–2024 MSc in Web development

Universitat Oberta de Catalunya, Spain

Average grade: 9.39/10

Knowledge in frameworks such as Angular (TS), Laravel (PHP), Tailwind and Bootstrap (CSS); as well as design tools such as Figma and module bundlers like Webpack and Parcel.

2009–2014 **BSc in linguistics and translation**Specialized in applied linguistics

Universidad de Granada, Spain, UoE, UK

Projects

2021-2023 Twinkle Lite

MediaWiki/Wikipedia, Spain

I am the sole developer of the maintenance tool Twinkle Lite, written in JS and using MediaWiki's API and the Morebits library. TL allows Wikipedia verifiers and patrollers to perform maintenance actions more quickly as it automatizes them. It is used by approximately 70% of eswiki maintainers.

2020-2023 Leadership of Wikiprojects

Wikipedia

Dealt with tasks regarding the management of Wikipedia events and communities in key areas. Carried out the mentorship and onboarding of newcomers and took part in the definition of guidelines and best practices for articles with area experts.