

Peter Forret



CTO, software architect

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Specialized in

(web) application architecture, product requirements, technical writing
microservices, devops, automation, PKI & security
audio/video/image processing, Wordpress, PHP, Laravel

Experience

Brightfish nv:

2006-now

Technical Director

responsible for software development for planning and operations

🔧 designed and developed DCP content creation and distribution suite (2011-2017)

🔧 designed and developed data analysis/visualisation/forecast tools (2017-2019)

🔧 designed micro-service architecture to facilitate migration to new SaaS (2020-)

Hypertrust nv

2000-2005

CTO & co-founder

🔧 designed secure PKI-based digital notarisation products

🔧 developed first digital registered mail application in Belgium

forret.com BV

2000-now

owner

💡 management/technology consultancy

💡 event/portrait photography

Belsign/Globalsign nv

1998-2000

VP Operations

🔒 product manager PKI authentication/notarisation

🔒 build and operate accredited dedicated PKI data center

Keyware Technologies nv

1997-1998

Business Development Manager

🔒 biometric security solutions

Sopres Marketing SA

1993-1997

Database Developer

🗄️ marketing databases and direct marketing services

Side projects

Bashful Scripting:

2020-now

newsletter, podcast, headlines on [bash scripting](#)

be-tango:

2013-2014

tango teacher for beginner's courses

	tangopaparazzo.com: semi-professional tango photography all over EMEA	2011-2018
	www.milonga.be: calendar & photos for Belgian argentine tango dancers	2007-2016
	www.brusselblogt.be: city blog for Flemish people in Brussels	2007-2015
	toolstud.io: web-based tools, calculators, converters (ad-supported, strong SEO)	2006-now
	blog.forret.com: personal blog on technology and cultural topics	2004-now
Education	Postgrad Economics, K.U.Leuven	1995-1996
	Master of Science (burg.ir.), K.U.Leuven	1987-1992
	Computer science, mechatronics, thesis on robotics	
Personal data	born in Roeselare, 02-09-1969 married, 3 kids living in Grimbergen remote work or within Belgium Myers-Briggs: ENFP	