

# Vincenzo NESTA

## Curriculum Vitæ

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nato a Brindisi il 26/11/1973

## Skills

### Expert Skills

Debian and Ubuntu Systems	Debian/Ubuntu Packages, Creation and Administration of Package Repositories, Build Farms (Debian build/sbuild/pbuilder), Automated Installations (Debian FAI)
Configuration Management	Puppet <sup>†</sup> , MCollective <sup>†</sup> , Augeas <sup>*</sup>

### Development

Languages	C, Perl, Python, Shell/Bash, Ruby, GNU Make, Ada, Lua	Web	HTML/XHTML, CSS, JavaScript, Ajax, JQuery, PHP, Semantic Web
Frameworks	Django, Google AppEngine, Google Wave, Netvibes	Databases	MySQL, PostgreSQL, NoSQL (GQL), SPARQL
Formats	XML/XPath, SGML, YAML/JSON, RDF/RSS/FOAF	Methods	Object Oriented Programming, MVC, Unit Tests, UML
Source Management	RCS/CVS, SVN, Bazaar, Git, Mercurial	Tools	Autotools, Cmake, Doxygen, NaturalDocs, Trac, Gforge, Launchpad, GitHub

### Systems and Networks Administration

Web	Apache, Lighttpd, Nginx, Varnish, Bind, Squid, Dansguardian, VsFTPd	Monitoring	BB4/Hobbit, Nagios, Munin, Cacti, Simple Event Correlator (Sec)
Mail	Postfix, Exim, SSMTP	Backup	Amanda, BackupManager
Installation and Deployment	FAI, Kickstart, Reprepro, Cfengine, Puppet <sup>†</sup> , MCollective <sup>†</sup> , Augeas <sup>*</sup>	Networks	DHCPd, VLANs, OpenVPN, Keepalived
Operating Systems	GNU/Linux (Debian <sup>†</sup> , Ubuntu <sup>*</sup> , RedHat), MacOS X, Windows, *BSD	Databases	MySQL, PostgreSQL, SQLite, BerkeleyDB
Virtualization	Xen, VMWare, OpenVZ, LXC, NX	Security	SSL, PGP/GnuPG, OpenSSH

### Office and tools

Office	OpenOffice/LibreOffice, Microsoft Office, Gimp, Inkscape	Project Management	TaskJuggler, GanttProject
Productivity	Mind Maps, GTD	Wikis	MediaWiki, Trac, MoinMoin
Edition	T <sub>E</sub> X, L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X, X <sub>L</sub> T <sub>E</sub> X, LuaT <sub>E</sub> X	Touch Typing	QWERTY & AZERTY

## Experience

### IT Experience

**2012** **Infrastructure Developer & Trainer, Chambéry, Camptocamp.**

- Infrastructure Developer
- Infrastructure Automation with Puppet;
- Setting up cloud-based redundant solutions;
- Speaking at devop conferences;
- Technical trainings (Puppet, Augeas);
- Technical presales consulting.

<sup>\*</sup>Developer

<sup>†</sup>Contributor

2006  
2012

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**Systems Engineer**, *ORNESS* then *Alten*, Sophia Antipolis.

Consultant at France Télécom

- Administration of Cfengine, FAI and the software package repository;
- Renewal and industrialization of the software deployment system for Debian/Ubuntu;
- Management of the Gforge (collaborative development web interface) platform;
- Development of QA tools for systems and configurations policy compliance;
- Integration of the continuous integration platform (Hudson) with the Debian/Ubuntu software deployment system;
- Monitoring of the fleet of servers;
- Writing of technical documentation.

2008

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**Developer**, *Augeas*, Internet.

Development, bugfix and documentation

- Writing of Augeas lenses;
- Coding in C;
- Improvement of autotools configuration;
- NaturalDocs Integration (documentation generator);
- International Conference Speaker (Belgium ([FOSDEM](#))).

2005

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**Developer/Maintainer**, *Ubuntu*, Internet.

Development, bugfix and documentation

- Creation, maintainance and review of software packages;
- Writing of technical documentation for developers;
- Maintainance of the QA system for software package;
- Bug management;
- International Conference Speaker (Hungary, Germany ([LinuxTag](#))).

2005

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**Open-Source Contributor**, *Various projects*, Internet.

- [Flammard Bible Bot](#): Google Wave Bot, a personal project written in Python/AppEngine;
- [Ichthux](#): Creation and maintainance of a specialized Linux distribution based on Ubuntu;
- [Byobu](#): contribution of scripts and patches in Python and Bash;
- [CPAN Author](#): maintainer of several Perl modules on CPAN;
- [CTAN Author](#): maintainer of several  $\text{\LaTeX}$  packages on CTAN.

**Other Experience**

2009

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**Translator and Editor**, *La Colombe Calvary*, Nice.

- Translation of English theology books into French;
- Edition of books using  $\text{\LaTeX}$ ,  $\text{\XeTeX}$  and  $\text{\LuaTeX}$ ;
- Publishing of books using on-demand publishing services (CreateSpace and Lulu).

July 2004

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**Blue Collar Internship**, *SNECMA*, Moissy-Cramayel.

Assembled and equilibrated turbo reactors for planes

1999–2000

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**Certified First Responder**, *French Red Cross*, Paris Suburbs.

Served in several volunteer missions as a paramedic

## Education

2013

**Puppet Trainer**, *PuppetLabs*, Amsterdam.

Official Training Partner for PuppetLabs' courses (Puppet Fundamentals, Puppet Advanced, Extending Puppet with Ruby)

2009

**ITIL® v3 Foundation**, *EXIN*, Sophia Antipolis.

Organization and efficiency of the Information System

2005

**Student in Business Creation and Management**, *Créafort*, Poitiers.

Accounting, Management, Marketing, Law

2005

**Student in Pedagogy ('Gestion Mentale')**, *IFGM*, Bordeaux.

Pedagogy, Didacticism, Cognitive Psychology

2003–2005

**Student in Mechanical Engineering**,

*École Nationale Supérieure de Mécanique et d'Aérotechnique (ENSMA)*, Poitiers.

Solid & Fluid Mechanics, Mathematics, Combustion & Propulsion, Materials Science, Automation, Signal Processing, Computer Sciences, Management

2004

**Licence, equivalent of a British Bsc, in Mechanics**, *Université de Poitiers*, Poitiers.

Solid & Fluid Mechanics, Mathematics, Combustion & Propulsion, Materials Science, Automation, Signal Processing, Computer Sciences, Management

2002–2003

**Student in Chemistry**, *Université de Paris XI*, Orsay.

Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics

2000–2002

**Student in Medicine (PCEM1)**, *Université de Paris XI*, Orsay.

Biology, Chemistry, Biochemistry, Physics, Anatomy, Histology, Physiology, Law

2000

**Baccalauréat, equivalent of British A Level**, *Lycée Blaise Pascal*, Orsay, with distinction 'mention bien'.

## Certifications

2013

**Puppet Certified Developer**, *PuppetLabs*, PCD0000011.

Puppet IT automation software

2013

**Puppet Certified Professional**, *PuppetLabs*, PCP0000116.

Puppet IT automation software

2009

**ITIL® v3 Foundation Examination**, *EXIN*055512.

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## Foreign Languages

French Native

*Mother Tongue*

English Fluent

*Daily practice, conferences given in English*

Spanish Good Level

*Occasional practice*

German Good Level

*Studied 9 years in school*

## Personal interests

Music Clarinet, piano, organ, saxophone

Sports Hiking, sailing, golf, climbing

Contributions Wikipedia, OpenStreetMap

Memberships President of the cultural association 'la Colombe de Savoie'

Ubuntu member

Others Travels, reading