# Vincent X. Michel

Software engineer, Python enthusiast and Free Software supporter

### Education

**2008-2012** Computer engineering – Institut National des Sciences Appliquées – Rennes (France)

Engineer's degree (master/bachelor equivalent)

**2012-2013** Computer Science – Rochester Institute of Technology – NY (USA)

Exchange program during 2 quarters

## **Professional Experience**

#### **2014-2016** Software engineer at MAX-IV Synchrotron – Lund (Sweden)

- Control system software for particle accelerator:
  - Python libraries for many kinds of hardware
  - Control system software, based on Python and Tango
  - User interfaces (**PyQt** and command line)
- Software production methods:
  - Iterative and incremental development: Agile/Scrum
  - Direct interaction with machine operators and scientists
  - Unit testing and development of test utilities
  - Automated packaging and deployment with Jenkins and ansible
  - Focus on GNU/Linux based distributions: CentOS, Debian
- Open-source Tango community:
  - Bug reports and forum support for new comers
  - Maintaining of the PyTango library (~ 3000 downloads/month)
  - Publishing of generic tools for the community

# Other Experience

#### Asynchronous programming and asyncio

- Pull request to add run\_coroutine\_threadsafe, merged in asyncio and cpython
- Asyncio-based library for asynchronous console and interfaces: apython

### **Competitive programming and mathematics**

- About 140 problems solved on ProjectEuler.net
- Attended 2 Google Code Jams