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Entrepreneur, People Manager, and Full-Stack Engineer with 12+ years of experience. Skilled in leading high-performance teams and solving complex problems with a strong product-building mindset. Thrives in ambiguous environments, adept at driving results and thinking outside-the-box. Known for a fast-paced, builder mindset. Seeking opportunities to support and empower teams to achieve exceptional outcomes.

Experience

Meta

Spain, Fully-Remote

ENGINEERING MANAGER

May 2022 – Present

- Supported a central team focused on enabling our sales teams with internal insights, guidance and accurate business activity details
- Hired a team of **5 high-performing** fully-remote software engineers across EMEA
- Established the vision and technical architecture for some of our key products
- Led the team while attaining consensus with cross-functional teams that are distributed globally

London, United Kingdom

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

November 2018 – April 2022

- Tech lead for several high profile projects relating to reporting, insights and goaling for business teams
- Key member of a central team focused on internal systems and tools, responsible for driving millions of dollars in revenue

Prozis

Porto, Portugal

SENIOR ANDROID SOFTWARE ENGINEER

March 2018 – November 2018

- Designed the architecture and implemented a new version of the Prozis GO app

Infraspeak

Porto, Portugal

LEAD MOBILE SOFTWARE ENGINEER

April 2016 – February 2018

- Designed the architecture and implemented several mobile applications used by thousands of maintenance technicians every day

SIMI

Porto, Portugal

CO-FOUNDER, CEO AND TECH LEAD

April 2012 – August 2016

- Defined and implemented the back-end and the mobile applications
- Secured pre-seed investment and managed the company
- Sold 200+ tablet licenses including Pizza Hut

LeanHub

Porto, Portugal

CO-FOUNDER AND TEAM LEADER

March 2014 – December 2014

- Designed the initial product architecture
- Built and managed the R&D team for the project

Sapo Labs / LIACC - AI and Computer Science Lab

Porto, Portugal

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING RESEARCHER

September 2010 – March 2012

- NLP, Information Extraction / Retrieval, Text Mining. Author of book about research (ISBN-10: 3659215740)

Education

2021 **Machine Learning**, Stanford University

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2010 **MSc in Software Engineering (Computer Science)**, University of Porto (FEUP)

Porto, Portugal

Skills

Strengths: Leadership, Builder, Problem Solver, Outside-the-box Thinking, Coach, Self-Motivated, "Do-it" Attitude

Current Tech Stack: Hack, PHP, React, Javascript, GraphQL, Relay (Full-Stack Eng)

Spoken Languages: English, Portuguese, French, Spanish, Slovene

Volunteering

Developer **Associação Somos Nós**, NGO that supports a day care facility for children with mental disabilities

somosnos.pt

Volunteer **Tech4COVID19**, NGO that drove tech initiatives to help fight COVID-19

tech4covid19.org

Achievements & Awards

Dec 2019 **Co-founder of the CSDT team @ Meta**, leading key parts of a team that grew from 4 to 120+ engineers

London, UK

Dec 2017 **Young entrepreneur of the year award**, while working for Infraspeak (ANJE award)

Porto, Portugal

Jul 2016 **500 Startups investment**, seed funding and program participation @ Infraspeak

San Francisco, USA

Mar 2014 **Kaizen Institute International Joint-Venture**, funding the LeanHub project

Porto, Portugal