

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Nationality:

Belgian

Date of Birth:

September 27th, 1979

Place of Birth:

Ghent, Belgium

Education

- 1991-1997: A.S.O. Latin and Modern Languages (Matric)
Graduated cum laude - Sint-Lievenscollege, Ghent, Belgium
- 1998-2000: Bachelor Political & Social Sciences
University of Ghent, Belgium
- 2000-2003: Master in Communication Sciences
Thesis: New audio technologies and market perspectives in the music industry.
Graduated cum laude.
University of Ghent, Belgium
- 2005-2006: Basic Accounting and Business Management
Graduated cum laude.
SYNTRA – Campus Ghent, Belgium
- 2006: Basic and Advanced Courses Spanish Nivel 1, 2 & 3.
Graduated cum laude.
VDAB Training Centre – Campus Wondelgem, Belgium
- 2010: Tour Guide Training & Certification
Livingstone Tourism Academy, Cape Town, South Africa

IT Knowledge

Mac OSX

Windows 98, XP and Vista - Microsoft Certified Professional Training (March 2007)

MS Office (Access, Excel, PowerPoint, Word...) and Microsoft Outlook

Other: Lotus Notes, Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator, ...

Language Skills

	Spoken	Reading	Written
Dutch	Mother Language	Mother Language	Mother Language
English	Advanced	Advanced	Advanced
French	Advanced	Advanced	Advanced
German	Good	Advanced	Good
Spanish	Basic	Advanced	Basic
Afrikaans	Basic	Advanced	Basic
Thai	Basic	Basic	Basic

Professional Experience

Arts & Entertainment

Jan 1998 - Dec 2003

Press and PR Executive for the Dusk Productions record label

Duties & Responsibilities: Media Relations & Communications, PR, Marketing, Copywriting

Sep 1998 - Oct 2004

Administration & Logistics Executive for the Flemish Opera House Ghent (BE)

Duties & Responsibilities: Payroll Administration, Human Resources and Staff Management

IT & Account Management

Feb 2007 - March 2008

Customer Service Agent and Team Leader for IBM Johannesburg, SA

Duties & Responsibilities: IT Technician, Customer & Account Relations, Staff Management

Nov 2008 – March 2009

Customer Service Professional for Shell GCSC Cape Town, SA.

Duties & Responsibilities: Retail Relations & Customer Service

March 2009 – February 2010

Account, Project and Credit Manager for Plant Hosting & Co-Location PTY Ltd. Cape Town, SA

Duties & Responsibilities: Credit & Account Management, Debt Management, Customer Relations, Translations, HR, Project Management

March 2010 – ...

Marketing & VIP Relations Manager Belgium at Forwardslash, VR Services Cape Town

Duties & Responsibilities: Marketing campaigns, VIP relations, Translations

Journalism & Media

Nov 2001 - Apr 2002

Sports journalist at the Sports Desk of the National Flemish Television Broadcasting Company (VRT).

Duties & Responsibilities: Copywriting, Interviews & Research

Oct 2005 - Dec 2006

Freelance researcher, location scout and production assistant for 'De Filistijnen', a Brussels based television production company.

Duties & Responsibilities: Staff, Time & Resource Management, Copywriting, Interviews

June 2007 - Sep 2007

Working as photographer and journalist for a publication on Thai hawker food.

Duties & Responsibilities: Photographer, Copywriting, Interviews & Research

Aug 2008 - present

Freelance translator and copywriter for NXT2U.CO.ZA, Flanders2009, Cape Town Tourism, FIFA, Forwardslash, Allaboutcapetown.co.za, Weblingo and Dilicom.

Duties & Responsibilities: Translations English - Dutch - Afrikaans

Marketing, Events & Tourism

Feb 2002 – Dec 2005

Freelance event management: BDAY – Belgium's 1st Breakdance Festival

(may 2001 and 2002), Breakdance and Deejaying Workshops (1999 till 2002), What's That Sound? - Boomtown (Gentse Feesten Festival 2003 - 2004), Record Fair Disq'o Bar (2005)

Duties & Responsibilities: Event & Staff Management, Marketing & PR

June 2004, 2005 & 2006

Freelance Travel Agent & Guide for a 5 day excursion to the Barcelona Sonar Music and Film Festival.

Duties & Responsibilities: Event Management, Marketing & PR, Tour Guide

July 2004 - Jan 2005

Junior account manager for 'Whatif... strategic marketing and communication' (Blekersdijk 33a, Ghent).

Duties & Responsibilities: Customer & Account Manager, Copywriting, Photographer

July 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 & 2008:

Chef and Manager of a temporary restaurant and catering business during the Ghent Festival, Belgium

Feb 2005 - Sep 2005

Booking agent for Maumau-underground, City Hall and Club Apollo in Barcelona, Spain.

Duties & Responsibilities: Customer & Staff Management, Media Relations & Marketing

Apr 2002 – present

Freelance catering, travel and events business called "Eetavontuur": Asian Cuisine & Travel

Duties & Responsibilities: Cooking classes, Workshops, Team Building Sessions,

Catering & Events, Event Management

Apr 2002 – present

Taste – Culinary Tours in Asia, Europe and South Africa

Duties & Responsibilities: Developing Itineraries and Travel Products, Managing Tourism and Partnership Contracts, Tour Guiding, Asset Management