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experiences

2017 - now: UX design technologist, Volkswagen Future Center Europe
i apply my skills in transdisciplinary teams to design, develop and test solutions
and services in the field of future mobility. My work includes a gigantic NDA.

2017: Beekeeper, Jardin de l'Aqueduc
i spent 6 months with experienced beekeepers and learned how to take care
of the hives and colonies, monitor pests and predators and extract honey.

2016 - 2017: Freelance interaction designer, HEAD - Genève
i was commissioned for 8 months to develop a project called KBPS and exhibit it
during the Salone del Mobile in Milan. I took care of the software and hardware
design, product design, manufacturing, scenography and arc welding.

2015: Freelance interaction designer, Near Future Laboratory
i worked during the summer on a design fiction project initiated by
the studio. The work focused on social media-related pathologies
and included visual design, research, and webdesign.

2014: UI design intern, Caiman Design
i participated in UX/UI design projects for various
clients during a 6-month internship.

2012: Model maker intern, Pigment Rouge
i built prototypes and 3d models for clients in the
perfume industry during a 3-month internship.

education

2014 - 2016: MA media design, HEAD – Genève (Geneva, CH).
2013 - 2014: 3rd year in interaction design, Strate (Paris, FR).
2010 - 2013: BA product design, ENSAAMA (Paris, FR).

exhibitions

2017: Salone Ludico, Fuorisalone (Milano, IT). **2016:** Lift16 (Geneva, CH).
2015: Poetics and Politics of Data, HeK (Basel, CH); Short Cuts, Centre
Pasquart (Bien, CH); Lift15 (Geneva, CH).

skills

Human languages: German (B1, 2020), English, French.
Main programming languages: JavaScript, HTML5, CSS3, Python 3.
Web: Node.Js, React, MQTT, PHP.
Mobile: React Native, Java (Android), Framer X.
Hardware: microcontrollers, motors, LEDs.
Visual design: Sketch, InVision, Framer, Adobe CC.
3D: Solidworks, Cinema 4D, Rhinoceros.
Building: 3D printing, laser cutting, (hand + reflow) soldering,
welding, sewing, basketry, ceramics.