

Curriculum Vitae.

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Introduction

I am a combination of a Project Manager and a technician. My educational background is from the University of Copenhagen studying Computer Science (DIKU).

I have my own company and can therefore be on a contract or employed. The actual work is much more important than the contractual form.

My wife was working in Australia as an Expat for her Danish Company (Leo Pharma). She was head of a QC department and I was her daily sparring. We left January 2011 and have returned to Denmark medio May 2013. Not having had a work of my own in Australia I am really looking forward to start the last 10-15 years of my career.

About my CV

Realizing that I have had 4 major phases in my professional life and that they overlap in time I have decided to structure my resume accordingly.

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1. Project Manager

I am a combination of a technician and a Project Manager. I have done both roles alternately – or even simultaneously - since 1990. In the beginning my focus was on being a level 3 supporter or specialist. In recent years my focus have been on Project Management and I have only done occasional general tech work in SMB environments and level 1-2 support.

2009-2009 Fujitsu (Ballerup)

Technical project manager at a transitions project working with an administrative project manager. April to July. The end customer was a famous Danish company with branches worldwide, Georg Jensen.

People: We were two managers and two permanent technicians and 8 ad hoc, two architects and some others (i.e. managers, sales persons).

Technique: Axapta, Oracle, SQL, Citrix, Vmware, Windows Server 2008 (and 2003), exchange, NAS, and many others.

2006-2008 PM for CSC Denmark (Valby, Kastrup, Copenhagen area)

I started in November 2006, and finished Christmas 2008 being independent subcontractor. My first task of 4 months was to be one of several project managers to analyse the new framework agreement between the police and CSC.

I was assigned the project "Carmen" which was the new crew management system, that is a very key part of SAS 'operations. I managed the project until I left CSC, and transferred it to a CSC internal manager.

Along the way, I had other (simultaneous) SAS airline projects primarily a Sharepoint project where I was technical project manager in a larger program.

Mission critical systems in 3 environments and two datacenters.

Technology: Linux, Citrix, Oracle, Exchange, SharePoint (MOSS) cisco, etc.

<http://www.csc.com/>

2005-2005 VetXX (formerly known as Leo Animal Health, now Dechra)

VetXX produced food and pharmacy for household animals.

Brief but intense half year project, isolating VetXX from parent group (LeoPharma), and building their own infrastructure, including networks for seven EU countries besides Denmark.

Including a week in Paris migrating laptops (in a French set up).

Technology: Windows Server, Citrix, Vmware, lotus notes, cisco

1996-2002 System programmer/Project Manager at SDC/WM-data SDC

SDC (and later WM-data/SDC) is the host for approx. 75 Danish banks. We were around 600 employees (varied some). I carried the title of system programmer 3, which is the highest (salary) specialist level.

- ▲ Combined specialist in OS/2, LAN Server, LAN, windows NT/W2k (windows 2000) and print.
- ▲ Team leader and cover for my manager
- ▲ Projects within the aforementioned areas, some managing and some partitioning.

Largest project: The W2k project was a joint project between the two companies (WM-data SDC and SDC), who shared their internal IT. The project included the transformation from OS/2 and NT4 to W2k (Windows 2000). I was the project manager, member of the steering committee and also participant as a technician in the project. I will estimate the partition of around 30 people in the project. And included conversion of 1500 workstations.

LAN Project: Here I was not formally project manager, but my actual role was close to being that and this is certainly why I later got to manage the W2K project. We replaced a token ring LAN based on CAU/LAM and MAU with a more modern LAN based on a core of ATM switches, and X-field switches with (dual) ATM uplink. All equipment was by Olicom.

1989 – 1991 Handelsbanken/Den Danske Bank

Project including the then new large stock / arbitrage system (IBM RDXII). I was managing the IT department ("Ejby") part of the project. IBM (surprisingly) took the overall project management.

I also had a project that aimed at creating a course environment where you could teach the three newly merged banks bank assistants.

2. Technical supporter or specialist

I was a level 3 supporter or specialist working as a consultant or as an employee in an end user environment most often in the financial sector.

My work was related to:

OS/2 server or workstations, windows (all versions), DOS etc.

communication, printers etc. etc.

I have made a long list here at my website: http://www.fremad-data.dk/UK/Tekst/om_tech.html

Titles: system consultant, system programmer, IT consultant

2003 – now My own company, FreMad data

My company was officially registered 4/7 2003. <http://www.FreMad-data.dk/>

Being independent is not a call or life choice, it is more out of necessity and “just a thing that happened”.

Below You will find an overview of my major technical tasks for my company.

2006-now Various companies

Technical support for smaller customers (SMB).

2005-2006 Matas A/S (largest Chemist in Denmark) HQ near Copenhagen

Primary user support (level 1-2) for the Head quarter's around 100 users, ranging from warehouse to various offices of management. My presence varied from one day per week to full time depending on needs. I also wrote some VB scripts to automate the operation on some servers (some LDAP, MAPI, WSH). Ended October 2006.

2003-2005 Various companies

My main customer in this period was Green Cargo (Danish branch of a major (billion \$) Swedish logistics company), My function was very general: Anything IT related, i.e. procurement, consulting, installation, troubleshooting.

And various technical support for smaller customers including WLAN design, Javascript and HTML, IT procurement, administration of firewalls and routers.

2011 Various companies

Technical work for Small companies in the short time we were in Denmark (April-june).

1996 - 2002 System programmer at SDC/WM-data SDC

Internal IT in this IT service company that was running IT for like 75 banks in Denmark. My level 3 areas was:

- ⤴ OS/2 servers, windows servers, the LAN and the printers.
- ⤴ monitoring, backup, security and software distribution for OS/2 and Windows, and programming of scripts to automate LAN administration in REXX for OS/2 and W2k.
- ⤴ Technology Assessment and supplier contact, typically with LAN products (Switches, NIC, monitoring / management) and printers.

1991 – 1996 System Consultant and independent

Road warrior, specialist with various companies, but a typical job would include working with. OS/2, IBM LAN Server, LAN, 3270, pre sales support. Installation of servers, troubleshooting servers or networks.

1994-1996 Minolta Data, later Multiinform

Two IBM dealers. Multiinform bought Minolta data and its employees (1995).

SAS airline Administration and Dansac were my regular customers one day a week each.

1993 DanaData

DanaData was a big IBM dealer.

1992 consultant on a 1 year contract with Hafnia (Erhvervs)Bank

A major Danish insurance company.. Contract was extended by half a year. I was in realyty a part of the IT department doing an upgrade of the servers and the LAN. I also did daily jobs.

1991 Formula Micro

Third largest IBM retailer in Denmark at the time.

1989 – 1991 Handelsbanken/Den Danske Bank

(Largest Bank in Denmark, they merged in 1990).

System Programmer. Support and development of OS/2, LAN, IBM LAN Server and 3270 communication – etc. I was building a network connecting the major sites as one logical LAN. I was also the first to work with OS/2 (version 1.0 and all later versions). I set up a lot of servers (many based on DOS) and implemented monitoring etc. etc. We were not a large group working with PC and LAN. IBM mainframe was the backbone.

3. System Programmer.

My years as a programmer was a good schooling in IT but it is a part of my past long gone.

That being said I have always done some programming in the form of scripts in various languages (REXX, Visual Basic and “BAT”) and I still do. Now I also program for the web (javascript, HTML, CSS, ASP).

1980 – 1989 Pascal part time employed System programmer

Typically in small development companies, among others: producing Educational Software for the Danish primary schools, project management system, hack and converting disks (Schultz publishers), 3D graphics system (Vejdatalaboratoriet), PROM-based firmware (DIT graphics),

I usually programmed in pascal but also FORTRAN, ALGOL, assembler and many other languages.

2013 Web programmer

Occasional maintenance for kursuslex.dk. Programming in .ASP.

4. Formal education

1982 – 1989 University of Copenhagen

Attended classes in math, education science and music.

1978 – 1982 University of Copenhagen, Computer science (DIKU)

Passed 1. part (dat 0, dat 1 and dat 2, 3 years of study) and mat-d (math. class for computer scientists) then some of 2. part (supposed to be 2½ years normal study for the entire 2. part). This corresponds to (a bit more than) a Bachelor degree but is not formally so. A Bachelor degree did not exist at the time.

1975 – 1978 Odense Katedralskole

Matematisk-fysisk studentereksamen (college exam (13th grade)) with majors in math. and physics)

1972 – 1975 Marie Jørgensens Skole (in Odense, major Danish city in Fyn)

Realeksamen (former exam in Denmark, corresponds to the current 10th grade)

Continuing education

1990 – 2002 Various classes

LAN, SNA (IBM CB01 and CB10), Cisco IOS, Olicom

ATM and Token Ring switches, Gauntlet firewall, sniffer LAN analyser, Windows NT4 and windows 2000

SDC internal classes about project management, personal development and windows 2000 "MCSE" class for OS/2 specialists.

Titles: Certified Engineer in OS/2 and IBM LAN Server and WARP/WARP Server.
Olicom Certified Network Specialist

2009 Certified In PRINCE2 foundation (2005 version) EPM group course. 7-9 December 2009.
PRINCE2 2005 → PRINCE2 2009 seminar.

Currently.

Education for an IT guy is an ongoing task. Lately I have set up my first Linux server (samba, DHCP, DNS, DLNA and more). The study and set up of a DLNA system is news in itself. Basically I – like most IT people I have met – will "just do it" and learn as we go. Google and manuals are there for a reason :-)

As a (project) manager part of my education is life itself. Learning from conversations, films, books. Any personal experience may influence the way I act as a manager. Management is about people.

5. Other

1982 – 1984 “Instruktor” at “Datalogisk Institut” dat 1, materiel.

Student Teacher at the technical half of the second academic year, University of Copenhagen Computer Science.

2011 Vacationist in Australia

January – April we were in Australia and I was not allowed to work. April – June we were in Denmark where I was doing minor work for customers in the SMB environment. June 2011 we moved back to Australia and stayed until May 2013.

6. About me

I am married for the second time, have a daughter (born 23/8 1993) from my first marriage. She lives in Denmark. My wife is a chemical engineer and Head of QC laboratory at Leo Pharma a major Danish pharmaceutical company. I'm usually comfortable around all kinds of people, and am typically happy, outgoing, informal, service-minded, intelligent, creative, inventive, enterprising, solution-oriented. I think I have a sense of humour - but that would be a matter of taste I suppose. I also handle crisis situations well.

As a leader, I am democratic, coaching, providing space and expects the same from my manager. My management ideal is situational leadership.

I usually work with well educated specialists in central positions but I am able to communicate with all kinds of people.

Safety Approved to level “secret” by PET (2006, Danish Police Intelligence).

Leisure Interests

- Choir and theatre.
- Diving is a fairly new interest. I am a PADI Open water and a SSI advanced certified diver.
- Photography is an old interest I have intensified here in this lovely country full of new visions and nature
- Used to play volleyball now I do yoga as exercise
- Reads mostly "professional" books, i.e. about photography, psychology, but also a fiction now and then. Watching movies, going to the theatre and the opera. Eats out, like fine food, and enjoying wine, preferably with good friends or family ... Enjoying life in general :-)
- Former Sports Dancer (elite), and bridge player at high tournament level.

Language skills

Danish: My native language. I speak it almost perfectly :-)

English: Fluent, may be the working language in speech and writing.

German: Oral German at negotiation level I understand "everything" and they understand me
Reads most anything, writes reluctantly.

Spanish: Start HF (college level) 2004 passed B -level exam in 2006 and A-level in 2009. I do not consider my Spanish a language but I do have the foundation for learning more – and I want to.

Swedish and Norwegian understood if they speak clearly. Understands “Nordic”.

Have worked with Swedes (and to some extent with Norwegians) for a few years.

Voluntary work

Implemented four introductory courses (ruskurser) a week each for the new computer science students. Was also the student representative on the Board of Studies at DIKU (Computer Science Institute at the University of Copenhagen) for two years. This organ was a management organ with 5 teachers and 5 students. The chairman would be a professor.

Was chairman at Værløse Volleyball Club, member of the board at Vox Humana.

Webmaster for the choir (Vox Humana in Allerød) and Værløse Volleyball Club.

Was also the webmaster for my daughter's former scout suit (group Loki in Fløng).