

# CURRÍCULUM VITAE

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More than 15 years of solid experience as IT professional, used to multidisciplinary environments and to lead teams. Professional, flexible, detail-oriented and focused on the service and interests of the business. Excellent capabilities for complex problem solving, organization and leadership, strategic vision, and negotiation skills.

## **Professional experience**

Aug 2016 – ... **EAE Business School / IT Systems Consulting**, Barcelona / Havana

*Executive MBA / COO & IT Advisor*

- Training period to improve and expand: business management, strategic vision, leadership capability, management and communication skills, etc.; as well as updating technical skills within the IT field.
- Entrepreneurship project *leibz IT Systems Consulting*. Operations management (Agile, Scrum+Lean+XP) for the design and development of products aimed at SMEs (*leibzCloud* – automanaged server box class), and advisory and consulting about systems integration, communications and digital transformation.

Aug 2012 – Jun 2016 **Trafigura Pte. Ltd.** – EMINCAR S.A., Havana

*CTO / IT Chief*

IT Country Manager for Cuba, as part of the Trafigura Mining Group, to set up a mining complex under a joint venture with the Government of Cuba (EMINCAR).

Design and set up from scratch of the department and all the IT infrastructure and services of the mining project, leading and managing IT: establishing the job positions, processes and procedures, etc., managing the relevant resources to build the delocalised infrastructure by the national territory (data centers, server farms, storage & backup, communications, ERP, applications) provisioned with contingency plans (BCP & DRP).

Close collaboration with the national telecom provider and the Ministry of Communications, achieving difficult technological goals in an underdeveloped country.

Nov 2011 – Jul 2012 **Novartis Pharmaceuticals**, Barcelona

***Site IT Infrastructure & Operations Manager***

Responsible for the IT infrastructure services of Barcelona's factory. Management of the infrastructure and operations area to guarantee the viability and sustainability of internal business processes.

Remediation of site infrastructure and operations services achieving stable, transparent performance, and continual service improvement of the IT service in compliance with ITSM standards, guaranteeing that periodic assessments of site infrastructure were executed and followed planned and budgeted.

IT governance (Service Support: *Incident, Problem & Change management*; Configuration Management), and management of all the IT providers taking on service contracts and ensuring funding of new resources that should be added.

Oct 2010 – Oct 2011 **SEAT S.A.**, Martorell

***Global IT Network & Communications Manager***

Global Responsible for the SEAT group's IT architecture and infrastructure of the network and IT communications; in charge of the management of the area to guarantee operations of the business –and its continuity–, being oriented to efficiency, cost and quality.

Definition, implementation and execution of department strategies, methodologies and procedures; improving KPIs by the design, validation and process and procedures management according to ITIL best practices in collaboration with the IT governance area. Same experience in project management as before but with further management of human resources, suppliers, and arranging service contracts (corporate networks, voice and data communications, infrastructure, systems integration).

Jul 2001 – Sep 2010 **T-Systems Iberia S.A.**, Barcelona

***Project Manager & Consultant / Senior Engineer & Responsible for HPC Systems***

Responsible for the SEAT S.A.'s supercomputing environment. Defining the strategy, designing and implementation, and continuous provision of HPC services for R&D (both computing infrastructure and communications).

ICT project management guaranteeing targets, resources, execution costs by negotiating with providers for project preparation and implementation, and supporting the commercial area in pre-sales and quotation tasks.

PLM Consultant, as well as of DCE, DSE and SDM environments, specialised in HPC, complex environments where supercomputing systems and services are integrated with data, for the automotive and aeronautics industry providing comprehensive solutions to customers by optimising their systems and processes achieving the best service for their operations.

## **Management skills**

Many managerial skills, such as: Strategic analysis, Strategic Management, Leadership and People Management, Negotiation, Communication, Strategic Marketing, Accounting and Finance, Investment Project analysis, Management Control, and others; all combined with an excellent analytical, planning and organizing capability, and flexibility, whilst keeping a global strategic vision, which allow me to effectively manage change in constantly changing environments, and achieve objectives.

## **Complementary Training**

**Strategic Management assessment and Decision-making workshop (Business Intelligence & Analytics)**  
EAE Business School / Business Game. *Spain.*

**AWS Cloud Practitioner Essentials (Core services, security, architecting, pricing & support)**  
Amazon Web Services Training. *AWS digital, EU region.*

**Management by values, Communicate and Negotiate effectively, Financial interpretation for Managers**  
EAE Business School. *Barcelona, Spain.*

**Innovation ecosystems, Asymmetric business models, Game theory applied to business management**  
EAE Business School. *Barcelona, Spain.*

**Computer Security Seminars**  
CITMATEL. *Havana, Cuba.*

**IT Service Management (ITIL v3)**  
SEAT. *Martorell, Barcelona.*

**SDM (Data Management)**  
MSC Institute of Technology. *Munich, Germany.*

**VMware Infrastructure (VI3)**  
Afina. *Barcelona, Spain.*

**Project Management**  
Netmind. *Barcelona, Spain.*

**N1 Grid Engine Advanced Administration**  
Sun Microsystems, Inc. *Barcelona, Spain.*

**MSC.SimManager Customisation and Integration**  
MSC Institute of Technology. *Barcelona, Spain.*

**Red Hat Certified Engineer**  
Netmind. *Barcelona, Spain.*

**System Evaluation and Performance Tuning**  
Silicon Graphics, Inc. *Reading, England.*

**SIG Certified Partner**  
Silicon Graphics, Inc. HW, SW, Engineer & Partner. *Barcelona, Spain.*

## **Education and Awards**

### **Executive Master in Business Management and Administration – Executive MBA**

*EAE Business School / University of Barcelona – IL3, Barcelona.*

GPA: 9,7/10 · Master's Thesis rating: 10/10.

### **Telecommunications Engineering, specialty in Telecommunications Systems**

*Polytechnic University of Catalonia, Barcelona.*

GPA: 9,75/10 · FYP: 10/10. *Summa cum laude*, Honoured with the first National Graduation Award.

## **Languages**

<b>Spanish</b>	Native proficiency
<b>Catalan</b>	Bilingual proficiency
<b>English</b>	Full professional proficiency
<b>French</b>	Elementary proficiency

**Additional Information** Driving license A, B. Willingness to travel and to relocate.