



Curriculum vitae

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Diplomas

Technical Secondary education Accounting & informatics	2001
Professional Bachelor in Applied Computer Science at PHL	2004
Advanced Certificate in E-media at GroepT	2005

Other trainings

Certificate in Pedagogical Competence at CVO Limburg and Leuven (theoretical modules only)	2007
Accompanist in Circus ARTS (Begeleider in Circuskunsten) Circuscentrum	2016
Clowning workshops (multi-day) with Eva Ribeiro (2x 15 hours), Micheline VanderPoel (30 hours), Rudi Gallindo (12 hours), Sven Verrelst (120 hours), Tom Roos (60 hours)	2013
Shorter workshops	-
- Clowning Eva Khan, Fred Versonne	2025
- Play and Laughter Kevin Brooking	2016
- Multiculturality in association life	2023
Clown in Care (14 days + 5 internships) at Clownsense by Bart Walter and Annemie Missinne	2022
Clown activism (4 days) with Robyn Hambrook and Hillary Ramsden	2024

Experiences: rich & diverse

*professional and other, overlapping
& thus not so easy to catch into a box or a chronological list*

<u>Animator</u> at KSA of which the last few years as group leader with 9-12 year olds	1999-2004
<u>Animator</u> at KAZOO (CM) youth holidays (3 holidays)	2001-2003
<u>Teacher</u> computer science to young adult students in South Africa	2006
<u>IT support</u> (Alro Group, Ecolife vzw, TI Sint-Lodewijk)	2007
<u>Webprogramming</u> at Ecolife VZW	2007 -2008
<u>Communication and IT</u> with JES VZW	2011
<u>Militant</u> at non-governmental civic movement : <u>study of economics, politics and sociology /</u> <u>writing of articles / membership recruitment</u>	2007-2011
<u>Activist</u> in various social movements around climate and migration: <u>organising and carrying out</u> <u>of (direct) actions, communication and press work</u>	2012-2015

...experiences

Temporary occupations and social cultural centre	2011-2023
- <u>start-up, general organisation, communication and press work, production of social cultural events</u>	
with: Villa Krakelbont, Poissonnerie, L'utopirate, La Brique	
<u>Cook</u> in people's kitchens: cooking and serving meals for 20 to 80 people	
<u>Teacher</u> (circus, clowning, theatre, etc.) during creative camps and workshops in Belgium and abroad at Circus Zonder Handen, Muzische Workshops, Kuriosa, Clowns Sans Frontières, Initiation Cirque and as a self-employed	2006-present
<u>Performances as a clown juggler mainly solo but also in company</u>	2010-present
- in Belgium: Gittannekesfoor, Voenk festival, Supermercado, de stad Brussel, Muntpunt, De Rinck, Las Bobinas, Jam in Jette, GC De Zeyp, GC Nekkersdaal, Dargaud, Kuriosa, Clowns Sans Frontières	
- abroad: CircoKrog (Slo), Taika-Aika (Fi), La Casa (Po), Beglika (Bul)	
<u>Social and humintary projects with Clowns Sans Frontières in</u>	2019-2024
- France (refugee camps of Calais and Dunkirk)	
- Cyprus (with communities in the North and South)	
- Hungary & Ukraine (Ukrainian refugees)	
- Romania (Roma communities)	
<u>Slow travelling</u>	
- <u>sailing</u> from Spain to the Canary Islands	2017
- <u>hitchhiking</u> more than 50,000 km in Europe	2011-2024
- <u>by bicycle</u>	
in Scandinavia (4 months), the Meuse route (1 month)	2018 & 2019
to Hungary with a crowdfunding campaign for Clowns Sans Frontières	2022
<u>Photographer</u> on an icebreaker and tourist attraction in Swedish Lapland	2020
<u>Tourist guide</u> in Finnish Lapland : organising and guiding activities for small and large groups of tourists	2019-2023

Skills

required for this or acquired thereby ...

Group management	Creative
Organisation	Solution-oriented
Plant racks	Independent
Daring to ask for help	Positivist
Child friend	Not averse to technology or computer
In touch with my inner child	Photography
Entertaining	Cooking and enjoying good food
Humorous	Open-minded