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About

With my background in user experience design, I have a strong focus on front-end development. Even though I don't shy away from difficult technical matters, I always love working on the customer-facing side of digital applications. I chose to work with Mendix because it allows me not only to create apps, but also work closely together with business to investigate business requirements and translate them into amazing applications.

I've worked on several Mendix projects, but have also undertaken side activities such as marketing and pre-sales. I have an indepth knowledge of Mendix, including the ability to write custom widgets or Java actions, and working on the CI/CD pipeline. I love undertaking these activities and seeing the positive results in the end.

Work

FMO

May 2023 – Present

Freelance Mendix developer

[fmo.nl](#)

Worked on internal FMO Mendix applications.

- Technical lead for FMO project.

Prijsvergelijken.nl

Oct 2021 – Apr 2023

Freelance Mendix developer

[prijsvergelijken.nl](#)

My first assignment after starting as a freelance Mendix developer. This company did not have any Mendix knowledge in-house but wanted to create a big Mendix landscape of various back-end applications. I was in charge of developing these and educating existing employees about Mendix.

- Developed a Mendix CMS system to manage website content.
- Created an ETL tool, synchronizing millions of lines of input from various sources into a coherent Mendix database.

Finaps BV

Feb 2018 – Sep 2021

Senior Business Engineer

finaps.nl

During my time at Finaps, I've quickly grown into the senior business engineer role. I've been involved in many projects within the company, each time in a different role. From sole developer on small applications, to larger Mendix apps in complex landscapes, to large-scale digital transformation journeys for global enterprises.

- **Siemens** *Principal business engineer* for Siemens DevOps center. First point of contact for team leads and involved in setting up development processes.
- **Quion** *Front-end styling consultant* for Quion platform.
- **Argenta** *Lead business engineer* for Argenta proof of concept.
- **Rabobank IDB** *Lead business engineer* for customer onboarding application.
Business engineer for online banking portal.
Involved in setting up DevOps center within Rabobank.
- **BringWay** *Business engineer* for online debt platform.
- **UMC Utrecht** *Software engineer* for open-source MedicMiner data project.
- **Rijkswaterstaat** *Principal business engineer* for 'Mijn Idee' app.
Front-end styling consultant for 'Werkwijzer'.
- **Finaps** *Principal business engineer* for internal software system My Finaps.

Bakker & Spees

Feb 2016 – May 2017

User Experience designer and front-end developer

bakkerspees.nl

For my Master's, I took on an internship to perform a UX design analysis on existing VISI software. After obtaining my degree, I stayed with the company to apply best practices from my research into the application.

Various restaurants

Jan 2009 – Jan 2012

Waiter/kitchen staff

During this period, I worked for several restaurants where I either waited tables and worked the kitchen. Although you could argue that this experience is hardly relevant for my current field of work, I think they greatly defined who I am as a person and my passion for cooking.

Education

University of Amsterdam

Sep 2015 – Jul 2016

🎓 Master's degree

Human Centered Multimedia

Utrecht University

Sep 2011 – Jul 2015

🎓 Bachelor's degree

Liberal Arts & Sciences

Haags Montessori Lyceum

Sep 2004 – Jul 2010

🎓 High school

Cultuur & Maatschappij

Certificates

Mendix MVP

Issued by Mendix

Sep 2022

Mendix Expert

Issued by Mendix

Jun 2021

Professional Scrum Master I

Issued by scrum.org

Feb 2019

Mendix Advanced

Issued by Mendix

Dec 2018

Skills

Development

Mendix

HTML

CSS

JavaScript

Java

React

UX/UI

Agile Scrum

SQL

Git

Graphic Design

Photoshop

InDesign

Premiere

Sketch

Languages

Dutch

Native speaker

English

Professional proficiency

Spanish

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Interests

Hobbies

Cooking

Traveling

Gaming

Programming