# **Curriculum Vitae**

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# **Education and Training** -

10/2015 - Present

# Master of Science in Industrial Engineering and Management (1,6)

Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Karlsruhe, Germany

- Product management, market research
- Innovation management, Design Thinking
- Optimization of stochastic processes
- Integrated production planning, automotive engineering

10/2011 - 09/2015

# Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering and Management (2,1)

Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Karlsruhe, Germany

- Marketing, business administration, finance and economics
- Mechanical and electrical engineering, material sciences
- Operations research, supply chain management
- Software engineering, Java programming

# Work Experience —

10/2014 – 12/2015

#### **Working Student Quality Assurance**

**BEONTRA GmbH** 

An der RaumFabrik 10, 76227 Karlsruhe, Germany

- Development of test cases for testing of software products
- Testing of improved and new software products
- Supporting activities for product management

10/2013 - 03/2014

#### **Intern Executive Board Project**

Lufthansa Technik AG

Weg beim Jäger 193, 22335 Hamburg, Germany

- Development and administration of a project management tool for monitoring more than 150 sub-projects
- Preparation of presentation slides for regular update meetings between important stakeholders
- Organization of a conference with about 130 participants

# Personal Skills -

Mother tongue

German

Other languages

English (C1), Latin (Latinum), Spanish (basics)

# Personal Skills (cont.)

Design Thinking

Within a nine-month project, together with students from Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Trinity College Dublin and the corporate partner Swisscom AG, I developed a new service offering. This project was part of the 2015/2016 **SUGAR program** ("Stanford University Global Alliance for Redesign") and aimed at applying Stanford's Design Thinking approach to a real world problem.

Project experience

I gained insights and experience from working in the central project team of a **company-wide reorganization project** at Lufthansa Technik AG with more than 150 sub-projects and several thousand involved positions.

As a **project assistant** I worked in a project aiming at introducing a standardized project management system within Lufthansa Technik AG and several subsidiaries.

Working in a service innovation project together with students from Brazil, Ireland and Germany as well as the Swiss company Swisscom gave me additional **experience in international and distributed project work**.

Social competencies

**Organizational skills and the ability to work in a team** are competencies I gained from collaborating in various teams and the internship at Lufthansa Technik.

**Trustworthiness and reliability** were strongly required qualifications when being responsible for product quality (working student) and when working with sensitive data (internship).

Computer skills

Excellent with Microsoft PowerPoint and Excel Familiar with most other Microsoft Office products Advanced knowledge in Java programming Experienced with SPSS Statistics

#### **Sponsorships**

**Technik Talents** 

I am a member of Lufthansa Technik's "Technik Talents" support program for young academics. I attended several 2 day-seminars regarding conflict resolution, project management, communication and fundamentals of aeronautical engineering.

#### **Additional Activities**

**Biking** 

I like biking around in the area of Karlsruhe for fitness and fun. Highlights for me are biking tours over several days with all baggage carried on the bikes. For example, together with friends, I rode across the Black Forest or alongside the German Alps.

Hiking

Recently, I discovered hiking as a new interest of mine. To get to know the Norwegian country and people, friends and I hiked the last five days of St. Olav's Ways to Trondheim.