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About me

I've been developing software professionally for more than 12 years.

Experience taught me that techniques are more valuable than specific frameworks and that simple solutions are invaluable.

I like the whole software lifecycle and the lessons that can be learned.

Proud father of 2 daughters.

SKILLS

Test Driven Development

Clean Architecture

Domain Driven Design

Automation (CI/CD)

Coaching

Containers & Orchestration

Java, Kotlin, Javascript, Groovy, Bash, …

Dutch, English

REFERENCES

David Voets - Engineering Director
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James Depoorter - Enterprise Architect @ Argenta
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Johan Van Vlerken - Manager Technology GTSC
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Experience

TriNetX

Solutions Architect, Technical Coach — 2017 - Present

Introduce better technical practices to improve quality, decrease regression & bugs, potentially increase rate of delivery.

Wide scope of introductions and improvements:

- Software Development: Git, CA, DDD, TDD, Clean code, Code review practices, Pairing, Kanban, Event storming

- Better Software delivery: Config management, Secret management, k8s migration (zero downtime deploys), Infrastructure as code, Automation.

Founded Triple D: trainings, workshops, software craftsmanship

ACA Software factory for Isabel

Tech Lead — 2016 - 2017

Software factory model for their isabel customer, a new banking platform.

Modular software development using OSGI and Kafka.

Johnson & Johnson GTSC

Technical architect — 2015 - 2016

Greenfield rewrite of a foreign currency exchange application. Due to the high volume & big financial impact we adopted a zero defect policy and strict TDD practices next to applying CA and DDD.

Argenta

Squad lead — 2014 - 2015

Rewrite of several applications in the mortgage and loan domain. Ranging from credit simulations to workflows concerning mortgage flows including payments & external parties like notaries.

Eurid

Architect — 2013 - 2014

Rewrite of the DNS application handing the TLD for '.EU'. Major concern was performance because of high throughput rates and remote api integrations.

Johnson & Johnson GTSC

Senior Developer — 2010 - 2013

Update technical components in legacy applications and greenfield development and developing in-house frameworks.