

CURRICULUM VITAE

Personal data

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Profile

Personal statement Passionate about test automation, I have pioneered automation in my current QA practice. Within over 3 years of experience with web platforms I have enjoyed finding and implementing unique and innovative approaches to testing. Although particularly keen on Agile methodologies, with my adaptive skills I have proved myself as talented and dependable QA leader in both exploratory (Agile) and scripted (waterfall) projects. I possess a great knowledge of both functional and non-functional tests (especially performance and security). Currently focused on developing consulting and coaching skills. Highly motivated and ambitious individual who loves travelling and working in culturally diverse environments.

Currently I am having a career break, I moved to Tokyo (Japan) to study Japanese.

Skills Exploratory tests (session-based testing), performance tests (both server and client-side), accessibility tests, security tests, test automation, consulting, coaching

Coding skills Java, HTML, CSS, XPath, TestNG, Selenium WebDriver

Tools JMeter, Jenkins, Debian Linux, MySql, RabbitMq, Hyper-V, Oracle VM, Adobe CQ 5, Eclipse, Visual Studio, Fiddler, Firebug, QMetry, Jira Confluence

Work experience

Oct 2014 -
Mar 2016 Work in **ThoughtWorks** (London Branch)
as **Senior QA Consultant**

- working closely with BA on defining acceptance criteria
- coaching client's employees
- ensuring that team follows the best practices
- exploratory tests using JMeter (including writing custom scripts for analyzing results)
- security tests

I was focused on preventing defects rather than finding them (building quality in instead of “testing it in”). Although I worked very closely with clients’ teams, in different environments, I always followed Agile (XP) practices.

- Feb 2011 -
Oct 2014
- Work in **Cognifide** Poland
as **Senior QA Engineer** (*Feb 2011 - Dec 2011 as Junior QA, Jan 2012 - Jun 2014 as QA Engineer*)
- writing automated tests using Selenium WebDriver (I was responsible for company-wide approach to automated tests)
 - manual tests of various CMS applications (based on Adobe CQ5) for world-wide clients (Skype, Allianz, Investec)
 - performance tests using JMeter
 - security tests
 - preparation and execution of test scripts
 - regular contacts with clients
 - managing QA teams

I worked in Agile (Scrum) environment.

- Dec 2007 -
May 2008
- Work in **Netrostar** Poland
as **.NET applications tester**
- manual tests of web applications (mostly online stores)
 - staying in touch with clients to make sure that the website meets their requirements
 - introduced tests automation with WatiN

- Oct 2007
(1 month)
- Work in **Advisor**
as **ASP .NET developer**
- rewriting an existing online shopping system (adding new features and making it work on mobile devices)

- Sep 2004
(1 month)
- Work for **Xenium** (remote work)
as **tester**
- manual tests of portal codeguru.pl basing on provided specification

Certificates and trainings

- Apr-Dec 2016 Japanese language course (KAI Japanese Language School in Tokyo)
- June 2015 Effective negotiations - 1 day training
- December 2013 Professional presentations - 2 days training
- Sep-Oct 2013 Black Box Software Testing Foundations course (1 month course taught by Association for Software Testing)
- July 2013 Session-based exploratory testing - 1 day training by Markus Gärtner
- March 2012 ISTQB Certified Tester Foundation Level (certificate number: 8929)
- June 2011 JMeter Advanced - 2 days training

Education

- Apr 2009 - Mar 2010 Research in the field of natural language processing at Hokkaido University, Graduate School of Information Science and Technology (Sapporo, Japan)
- Oct 2008 - Feb 2009 Intensive Japanese Course at Hokkaido University, International Student Center (Sapporo, Japan)
- Oct 2002 - Jun 2007 Computer Science course at Adam Mickiewicz University, Faculty of Math and Computer Science (Poznań, Poland)

Language skills

- Polish (native)
- English, advanced level (FCE and CAE certificates)
- Japanese, basic level (Japanese Language Proficiency Test, level N4)

Hobbies

- history and culture of Japan
- manga, anime (Japanese comic books and cartoons)
- fantasy and science fiction books