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Education

1998–2003	Industrial Design Master	Institut Supérieur de Design	Valenciennes [fr]
1995–1998	Applied Arts Graduate	Lycée Louis Thuillier	Amiens [fr]

Work Experience

Ongoing :

Ziba (http://www.ziba.com) Design consultancy
Interaction designer

2003–2007 Design consultant for clients including :

Nike Inc. (http://www.nike.com) Athletic shoes, apparel and sports equipment
Advanced 3D modeling and rendering for 2008 basketball shoes collection.

Packard Bell (http://www.packardbell.fr) Notebooks & mobile devices
Graphic User Interface design of Compasseo, GPS500 (gps), Vibe500, Vibe 360, AudioDiva (mp3 players)...

Extremis (http://www.extremis.be) Outdoor furniture
Design and development of InUmbra (parasol), Arthur (table), DoNuts (table-seating combination), Sticks (folding screen), Qrater (fireplace).

Kyo design (http://www.kyo-design.com) Furniture design
Design and development of Campos (modular sofa), Hilow-Cube (side table), Woodlow and Lolow (coffee tables), Kasane (oudoor lounge).

Skills

Quick hand sketching
Like to seek solutions regarding technical problems
Work well both independently and as a team member
Good knowledge for a production requirements

Computer Skills

3D	Alias Studio Tools	expert level
	Alias Maya	expert level
2D	Adobe Photoshop	expert level
	Adobe Illustrator	expert level
	Ashlar Graphite	expert level
Web	Macromedia Flash	advanced level
	Html, Css, Php, MySQL	intermediate level
Office	Microsoft Office suite	advanced level

Distinctions

Arsene	honorable mention for Dupont Corian contest	2006
Topo	project featured at 100% design	Tokyo 2006
Donuts	Extremis awarded by red dot	2005
Solaris	project featured at Salone internationale della casa	Milano 2004
Wall water board	project featured at Salone internationale della casa	Milano 2003

Languages

French	native speaker
English	fluent
Italian	intermediate