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PERSONAL DATA

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Date of birth / Place 18.04.1980 in Montbéliard, France

Nationality French

Marital status Married – 3 Kids
Driving license Cars & Motobikes



HIGHEST SCHOOL-LEAVING QUALIFICATION

Sept. 1995 – Sept. 1998 Lycée Georges Cuvier in Montbéliard, France

Diploma: Baccalaureate (A-Levels) - Specialization: Economics

STUDIES

Sept. 1998 - Sept. 2003

Master's Degree Computer science and Foreign languages

Place: University of Franche-Comté, Montbéliard, France

Focus:

- e-Security | e-Banking | e-Ads | Benchmarking

- Web design [Photoshop]

- Programming [HTML & PHP]

- Databases [SQL]

- Applied foreign languages for B2B & B2C [German & English]

April – Sept. 2003 Mandatory internship | Master's Degree

Robert Bosch GmbH – Stuttgart, Germany

Department: "Strategic Marketing & Communication"

Role: Webmaster

Tasks:

- Creation of an information database (PHP) for customers

- Relaunch of the "SMC" department's Intranet pages

- CRM (Creation and distribution of shareware licenses for internal customers)

- Proactive participation in automotive trade fairs in Germany (Francfort, Stuttgart)

DEFENCE SERVICE

October 1998 (3 days) Place: Military camp in Besançon, France

National call to prepare the country's defense

PATERNITY LEAVE

Sept. 2014 – Sept. 2015 Participation in training courses

French employment agency "France Travail" - Strasbourg, France

Theme: "ICT – An opportunity when applying as an international consultant"

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PROFESSIONAL CAREER

Sept. 2025 Specialist for Communication and social dialogue Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ GmbH) – Dakar, Senegal Program: "Strengthening border regions between Senegal, Mali and Guinea" Until today Partner: National Border Commission (Senegal) | Decentralization ministries (Mali and Guinea) Co-funded by the European Union and the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) - Development of approaches, instruments and materials for harmonized communication in the three countries covered by the program and in accordance with EU guidelines - Organization and support of conferences, steering committees and workshops with a wide range of different stakeholders (including BMZ, EU, non-governmental organizations, partners) **Specialist for Communication** March 2022 Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ GmbH) - Tunis, Tunisia / Two fields of activity: August 2025 • June 2024

August 2025: GIZ Tunisia at country level | About 50 projects employment" | 25 bilateral, regional, global and EU co-funded projects - Technical and strategic advice for better positioning of projects in Tunisia - Technical advice on processing BMZ enquiries; quality assurance of services **Communications Expert** Febr. 2020 <u>Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ GmbH)</u> – Tunis, Tunisia Project: "Promoting employment in rural regions of Tunisia" Febr. 2022 Partner organization: Ministry of Vocational Training and Employment - Coordination of delegation visits, contributions to the internal newsletter "Le Caméléon bleu" - Conducting training courses on the use of IT tools (i.e. IDA, SharePoint, Teams) **Interim Implementation Manager & Communications Expert** July 2017 Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ GmbH) – Yaoundé, Cameroon Special initiative "ONE WORLD - No Hunger" - Global project: "Green innovation centers in Dec. 2019 agriculture and food production" | Partner organization: Ministry of Agriculture **Interim Implementation Manager – January to December 2019** - Active assumption of operational tasks (change work proposal, status reports, project progress reports, impact matrix, monitoring of finances, contracts and purchases) Communications Consultant – July 2017 to December 2019 Presentation of project activities in clear, simplified visual and textual language - P, M & E of test and evaluation missions, forums, trade fairs and internal workshops **Public Relations Officer** Oct. 2015 Center for International Migration – Kinshasa, D.R. Congo / Project: Biodiversity conservation | Partner organization: Ministry of the Environment June 2017 - Advising the national partner on its public relations work - Relaunch of the partner website and strengthening of the presence on social networks **Public Relations Officer** July 2012 Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ GmbH) – Bujumbura, Burundi Project: Drinking water and wastewater program | Partner organization: Ministry of Water July 2014 - Development and implementation of educational programs for colleagues and partners - P, M & E of workshops and events (Lake Tanganyika Day, World Water Day) **Development Worker** June 2009 <u>Deutscher Entwicklungsdienst (DED GmbH)</u> – Cotonou, Benin / Project: Decentralization program | Partner organization: Beninese NGO "Centre Afrika Obota" June 2012 - Development of a virtual forum for the partner organization (topic: civic engagement) - Organization of monthly chat sessions between young people and members of civil society

Project: Decentralization program | Partner organization: Beninese NGO "Centre Afrika Obota"

- Design and distribution of a handbook for young Beninese job seekers

Deutscher Entwicklungsdienst (DED GmbH) - Cotonou, Benin

Young Talent Development Program

Dec. 2007

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Dec. 2008

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GIZ TRAINING COURSES

ACADEMY FOR INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN BONN, GERMANY | E-LEARNING

November 2025	S4HANA / SAP	E-Learning
Januar 2024	Compliance	E-Learning
May 2023	Data protection training at GIZ	E-Learning
June 2022	Business Knowledge	E-Learning
December 2020	Basics of OnSITE Operations	E-Learning
December 2020	Anti-Corruption	E-Learning
May 2020	Time logs	E-Learning
February to May 2020	Project financial management and procurement	E-Learning
July 2020	Advisory roles and advisory skills	AIZ Bonn
February 2020	Safety & Security Training	AIZ Bonn

GIZ TRAINING COURSES AND WORKSHOPS | WORLDWIDE

May 2025 DEPAK, Online June 2023 DEPAK, Berlin	ChatGPT next level: AI in PR & Communication Prompting techniques, creating and optimizing your own bots, using ChatGPT correctly Journalistic writing Seminar of the German Press Academy for further training based on practical exercises	
July 2019 AIZ Dakar	Leadership and Team Management Intensive training based on practical exercises	
April 2018 AIZ Dakar	Communicating about GIZ-Projects Intensive training based on practical video exercises	
March 2019 GIZ Cameroon	Annual individual meeting with employees Introduction to the overall performance evaluation of employees	
March 2019 GIZ Cameroon	Non-violent communication Intensive introduction to the concept of action for peaceful conflict resolution	
Oct. 2016 GIZ DR Congo	Anti-Corruption Works Intensive introduction to the GIZ integrity tool	
Feb. 2014 GIZ Burundi	Capacity Works Intensive introduction to the GIZ management model	
Nov. 2013 GIZ Kenya	Innovation Lab Workshop Organizational Development Unit Exchange on new offerings, experiences and potential of digital technologies	
Oct. 2012 GIZ Ethiopia	Social Media Workshop Organizational Development Unit Promotion of social media pioneers in GIZ's areas of activity	

MANDATORY INTERNSHIPS | WORKING STUDENT ACTIVITIES | VOLUNTARY ACTIVITIES

January – Oct. 2007	European Personnel Selection Office – EPSO	
Strasbourg	Preparation for the EPSO AD 94 07 exam at the Ecole Nationale d'Administration	
October– Dec. 2006	Volunteer French teacher – Deutsch-Madagassischer Verein Esslingen e.V.	
Antananarivo	Production of solar stoves by orphans in a training workshop	
July 2005 – Sept. 2006 Stuttgart	Voluntary internship as a marketing assistant – Robert Bosch GmbH P, M & E of a partner program with international universities and companies	
Oct. 2004 – May 2005	Foreign language assistant for French – Educational Exchange Service	
Bad Godesberg	Place: Aloisius College	
Sept. 2004 – June 2005	Working student job as webmaster – Robert Bosch GmbH	
Stuttgart	Reorganization of the website of the "Global Marketing" department	
Oct. 2003 – May 2004	Foreign language assistant for French – Educational Exchange Service	
Berlin	Place: Beethoven High School	



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LANGUAGE SKILLS

French: Mother tongue (C2) – German: Very good (C2) – English: Good (C1)

Italian – Chinese: Basic knowledge (A1) | 4 semesters at the university

Fongbè – Lingala – Malagasy – Wolof: Basic knowledge (A1) | Professional stays

IT-SKILLS

Office MS-Office 365 und Mac OS

Web design Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator, Gimp

Programming Typo3, Joomla, Drupal, WordPress, Dreamweaver

Programming languages HTML, PHP, CSS, JavaScript, XML

Data bases Access, MySQL, Oracle

Project Management SharePoint (IDA, MS-Teams), Prestashop, MindManager

MISCELLANEOUS

World University Games 2025







Volunteer Lead | Volleyball (Berlin, Horst-Korber-Sportzentrum | July 2025)

Responsible for around ten international volunteers on the field of play. First point of contact with the volunteers, briefing and supervision (Diploma)

Paris 2024 Olympic Games



Team Leader of 6 international volunteers - Olympic Village (07/08.2024)

National Olympic Committee Assistant - Delegation of Kenya with a total of

National Olympic Committee Assistant – **Delegation of Kenya** with a total of 161 members, including 81 athletes, 43 coaches, 5 Olympic Committee, 3 Heads of Mission, 26 Management Team and 3 Referees (Interview BFM TV Alsace).

Volleyball, Beach volleyball, Padel, Swimming, Running

Publications

Sport



Dakar, on 11/13/2025

Parenthèse enchantée - Diary of a volunteer at the Paris 2024 Olympic Games French | 330 pages | 13.06.2025 | ISBN 9782386273025 | <u>Amazon</u> & <u>Hello Editions</u>

Good Agricultural Practices for ware potato production in Cameroon Training material in French and English (Producer manual, Trainer guide visual aid) Issue: Nov. 2018, Cameroon | http://cgspace.cgiar.org/handle/10568/108469

School for agricultural entrepreneurship – Training material in French Value Chains: Chicken, maize, beans – Issue: Oct. 2018, Cameroon

Capitalizing on the experience of virtual chats – CAO, Benin (2012) Minutes of the chat sessions with the Beninese youth (04.2010 to 06.2012)

Benin: Democracy promotion 2.0 in full swing (GIZ Letter, 01/2011) Article on the role of chat sessions as a medium for expressing opinions on democratic processes and raising youth self-awareness

Youth orientation guide – CAO, Benin (2008)

Job search guide for young Beninese and tips on scholarships abroad

REFERENCES Dr. Matthias GROSSMANN

Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ GmbH), Tunis Cluster coordinator "Private sector promotion and financial system development" 2020 to 2025 | matthias.grossmann@giz.de

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