



Europass Curriculum Vitae

Personal information



First name(s) / Surname(s)

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Training programmes

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Address

Jasinskio 8-3A, 01122 Vilnius, Lithuania

Date of birth

18 December 1979

Work experience

2013-now

Occupation or position held

Founder and CEO

Main activities and responsibilities

Leading the work of the development team, relationships with partners and clients, strategic development, product development (platform for Cities of Learning, Badgecraft badge issuing platform, Badge Wallet mobile application).

Name of employer

Badgecraft, UAB info@badgecraft.eu

Type of business or sector

Educational Technology

2004-now

Occupation or position held

Freelance trainer and consultant for the governmental bodies active in youth work and youth policy development and implementation

Main activities and responsibilities

Design, delivery and evaluation of short and long-term training programmes and provision of the consultancy services on policy developments for the governmental institutions involved in youth work and youth policy developments in Lithuania and on the European level. Facilitated 5 Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) on Erasmus+ funding opportunities for youth.

Name of employers

Network of National Agencies and SALTO Recourse Centres of the European Union's Youth in Action Programme, Council of Europe, Lithuanian State department for youth affairs, National UNESCO Commission in Lithuania, local municipalities.

Areas of expertise

International youth (work) mobility, recognition of non-formal education, youth employability

2000-now

Occupation or position held

Director and team leader/project manager in international and multi-partner development and cooperation projects

Main activities and responsibilities

Design, management and evaluation of large scale strategic partnership projects with different actors in youth work sector with cross-sectorial approach (governmental-non-governmental, formal-non-formal); Managing of Topics: Non-formal education and recognition, digital youth work, international exchange programme, youth employability.

Name of employer

NGO Nectarus, info@nectarus.lt

Type of business or sector

International and local youth work, non-formal education, youth employability

2007-2015

Occupation or position held

Advisor at the Youthpass trainers team

Main activities and responsibilities

Supporting the development of Youthpass recognition tool for international youth mobility within the Youth in Action/Erasmus+ programmes.

Name and address of employer

SALTO-YOUTH Training and Cooperation Resource Centre in Germany, rita@salto-youth.net

Areas of expertise

International youth (work) mobility, recognition of non-formal education

Education and training

2007-2009

Title of qualification awarded Master in Science of Education
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Policy of Education, Master theses on Non-formal Education for Critical Media Literacy: the case of Youth in Action in Lithuania
Name and type of organisation providing education and training Department of Education at Vilnius University, Lithuania

2008-2009

Title of qualification awarded Exchange student with the support of UNESCO fellowship programme
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered New Media and Cultural studies
Name and type of organisation providing education and training Multidisciplinary studies at Zurich University, Switzerland

2002-2003

Title of qualification awarded Further studies at Master level
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Adult education
Name and type of organisation providing education and training Centre for Educational Studies at Kaunas Vytautas Magnus University, Lithuania

2001-2002

Title of qualification awarded Certified trainer for the European Youth Projects
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Non-formal education and learning, intercultural education and learning, European dimension, work in international teams, design, implementation and evaluation of educational programmes
Name and type of organisation providing education and training Interculturelles Zentrum, Vienna, Austria

Membership and affiliations

2000-now

Name and type of organisation Lithuanian Association of Non-formal Education
Mission and activities Unite practitioners of non-formal education and youth work. Seek for better quality, validation and recognition of non-formal education and youth work. Dialogue with governmental institutions, national and international training activities, publications, digital recognition tools.
Position at organisation Member (currently), a former member of the board and chairman
References <http://www.neformaliai.lt>, neformaliai@gmail.com

2016-now

Name and type of organisation International Youth Work Trainers Guild, association
Mission and activities Unite training experts who work actively in the field of international youth work training. Create support opportunities for trainers, contribute to the quality of youth work training, seek for better recognition of trainers and their work. Dialogue with international public institutions, international training activities for trainers, strategic partnerships for innovation and quality
Position at organisation Member of the Board
References <http://www.iywt.org>, info@iywt.org

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) **Lithuanian**

Other language(s)

Self-assessment

European level (*)

English

Russian

Other language

Understanding		Speaking		Writing	
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production		
C2	C2	C2	C2	C1	
C2	C1	C1	C1	B1	
Want to learn	Want to learn	Want to learn	Want to learn	Want to learn	

(*) [Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)

Online courses

2015-now

Course title

Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) Erasmus+ Funding opportunities for youth

Role and tasks

Development of course content and facilitation of learning of 5 editions of MOOC on Erasmus+ (more than 10000 learners in total), the current 6th edition is running since 2020. The course includes modules on KA1: Volunteering Activities (ex-EVS), Exchanges, Youth Worker Mobility; KA2: Strategic Partnerships; KA3: Support for Policy reform

Link to course material

<https://canvas.instructure.com/enroll/K7Y47K>

2019-2020

Project title

Ready, Set, Make the change! European Solidarity Corps Online Course

Role and tasks

Development of course content and facilitation of learning in specific modules of the course. There are more than 1.400 learners enrolled in the 1st edition of this course. It is planned to continue the course deliver until at least the end of 2020. The course is hosted on the HOP online learning platform

Link to course material

<https://hop.salto-youth.net/courses/ESC>

2017-2018

Project title

European Wide Web of Youth Work

Role and tasks

Support for the team developing online courses for youth workers from 7 countries. I was involved in supporting the team which designed an online course 'Intro to Youth Work'. I also facilitated a training event for staff from partner organisation on how to design and develop an online course for youth workers.

Link to course material

https://issuu.com/nerijuskriauciunas/docs/online_training_of_youth_workers_ma

2016-2017

Project title

Developing Online Youth Information Trainings (DOYIT)

Role and tasks

I was involved in 2 partner meetings during which we were designing and developing online courses for youth information and counseling workers. We used the standard residential training courses as a basis to develop online equivalent of training courses for youth worker

Link to course materials

<https://www.eryica.org/training> and <https://www.eryica.org/news/2017/11/9/doyit-elearning-training-of-trainers>