

CV  
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Jesus Carrera  
Front End Developer

## Personal Details

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## Overview

I have a wide technical and creative formation, specially oriented to the Internet world. Starting as Web Programmer and continuing as Web Designer, adding on the way knowledge in Marketing, Search Engine Optimization and Usability/Accessibility.

Highly specialized in Front End Development, I pay attention to details, worry about good performance, crossbrowser compatibility, and code quality.

I'm used to work in an Agile environment with tight deadlines, being responsible for whole projects in some of the biggest Internet Marketing agencies in the UK.

After start studying computers in 2000, I always was concerned about my continuous education, evolving and being updated in the sector news.

In every company I have been, I have responded satisfactorily, reaching the objectives and integrating myself in the team. You can contact with the companies for references. More information in their webs below.

## Testimonials

“Jesus was a huge asset to our team. He provided expert development skills and a proactive best practice approach that means we have a solid platform for future development work. Jesus is not afraid to learn new skills, contribute to ideas and built some truly innovative and advanced features that are still a big part of our site.”

**Matt Wheeler - Director at Omio**

“Jesus is a hard worker who knows his front end development cold. He is able to work in HTML, CSS and AJAX, and all the related technologies, creating clean semantic markup. He also has graphic design skills which he unleashed on occasion.”

**Lukas Oberhuber - CTO at Forward**

“As Larry Wall (perl creator) wrote, the three cardinal virtues for a hacker are impatience, laziness and hubris. Jesus has all three. In spades. It’s been a pleasure working with him.”

**David Pardo - Technology Director at Corunet**

# Technologies

## Languages

(X)HTML  
CSS  
JavaScript (AJAX/JSON)  
ActionScript  
Ruby  
PHP  
XML

### Other

Perl, ASP, SQL, Lingo.

## Software

Adobe Photoshop  
Adobe Flash  
Adobe Fireworks

### Other

Adobe Illustrator, Adobe InDesign, Adobe After Effects, Adobe Premiere, Adobe Encore DVD, Macromedia Director, Macromedia Freehand, Apple Final Cut, Quark QuarkXPress, Autodesk AutoCAD, NewTek LightWave 3D, Autodesk 3D Studio Max.

## Other

Ruby on Rails/Sinatra  
Git/SVN  
Capistrano  
Apache/Nginx  
Mongrel/Passenger  
MySQL/Sequel  
jQuery  
Google APIs

# Professional Experience

9/2009 – ?

Freelance

Work:

Front End Contracts for several leading companies like LBi, Forward, or ESP, plus independent projects as designer, developer, marketer and consultant.

11/2007 – 4/2009

Company: Forward Internet Group - [www.forward.co.uk](http://www.forward.co.uk)

Position: Front End Developer

Work:

Front end development, including the back end in some small projects. Here I started to use some advanced Web 2.0 techniques like AJAX, tracking codes, always predicating good practices. As the fastest growing agency in the UK, I learnt here also how the internet marketing works.

8/2006 – 12/2007

Freelance

Work:

Web design and development, using different Content Management Systems, including other extra works like video creations.

4/2004 – 8/2006

Company: Corunet - [www.corunet.com](http://www.corunet.com)

Position: Creative Director

Work:

Starting with an internship, continuing as part-time designer combining with my desing studies, and ended up like Creative Director, here I made a wide range of works, from banners to DVDs, from programming intranets to interactive learning SCORM packages, from custom Flash applications to virtual tours, and of course the design and front end of the websites.

4/2002 – 10/2003

Company: : Interacción - [www.interaccion.es](http://www.interaccion.es)

Position: Programmer

Work:

My industry experience started here, with an internship, working as PHP programmer. Also combined with my studies. Here I learned how the Web work, from the server to the front end. I made changes and improvements to big projects, and also made whole small projects: database architecture, back end, front end, server configuration, etc.

## Academic Formation

- 2002 - 2005 HND (Higher National Diploma) in Graphic Design and Multimedia, ESI (Escuela de Sistemas Informáticos) of A Coruña - [www.esinet.es](http://www.esinet.es)
- 2000 - 2002 Information System Administration: Ciclo Formativo de Grado Superior de Administración de Sistemas Informáticos (Técnico Superior en Administración de Sistemas Informáticos), I.E.S de Teis (Vigo)
- 1999 - 2000 First course of Diplomatura de Ingeniería Industrial (Industrial Engineer), E.T.S. Ingenieros Industriales, Universidad de Vigo
- 1995 - 1999 BUP y COU, I.E.S. San Tomé de Freixeiro (Vigo)

## Complementary Formation

- 2008 First Aid Course, First Response Training & Consultancy Services Ltd - 24 hours
- 2007 Visual Jockey course, Centro de Arte y Tecnología Argüelles Arnetet (SGAE) - 40 hours
- Content Management with Drupal course, Universidad de Murcia - 30 hours
- 2002 Computers risk prevention (“A prevención de riscos na profesión de Informática”), I.E.S de Teis y Confederación Intersindical Galega - 10 hours
- IIIª Jornadas de Orientación al Empleo (Job Orientation), I.E.S. de Teis - 10 hours

# Miscellaneous

## Languages

Spanish - Hight Level - Natural Language

Galician (Portuguese) - Hight Level - Family Language

Galician Language Improvement Course, I.E.S. San Tomé de Freixeiro - 1999

English - Medium-Hight Level - Work Language

Wall Street Institute Certificate (English level of Upper Waystage 1) - 2000 - 2002

## Typing

Secretarial Curse of Mecanography (Dicto-Tip) - 1995

## Other

Driving License B and A

Travelling availability