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Thomas Michael Semmler

Design Engineer, Meditation- & Mindfulness-Teacher,
Counsellor in training under supervision

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personal data

born on 03/31/1990 in St.Veit/Glan, Austria.

currently living in 1130 Vienna, Austria

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other qualifications

first language german
fluent in englisch
elementary french

- I was a **Lecturer for SAE Vienna** and taught beginner courses on Frontend Development between 2016 - 2018
- Certified **Meditation- & Mindfulness-Teacher** (2017, WIFI-Wien)
- (systemic) **Counsellor in Training under Supervision** (since 2020, Arge Bildungsmanagement / SFU Vienna)
- Alongside my employment I advised and helped friends with their projects by providing knowledge and experience in online marketing, branding & content strategy free of charge.

A big part of my spare time goes into music, drawing, writing and photography.

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education

Hauptschule
2000 - 2004, TREIBACH-ALTHOFEN

HLW St.Veit/Glan
2004 - 2006, ST.VEIT/GLAN

Focus: third living foreign language, with english as the working language.

HLK / CHS-Villach
2006 - 2009, VILLACH

Institution of higher education for artistic creation. Focus: visual

creation

ARGE Bildungsmanagement / Sigmund Freud University
since 2020, VIENNA

Counselling Sciences & Management of Social Systems; Systemic Counselling

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Siemax / trainee media designer
NOVEMBER 2010 - DECEMBER 2010, FELDKIRCHEN i.K.

Working as an apprentice in a small company. Creating mockups in photoshop, developing templates.

ip::systems / Web-Designer
SEPTEMBER 2011 - DECEMBER 2015, VIENNA

Part time employment as frontend designer.

Areas of operation, among other things: Communication with clients, managing projects, continuous integration (fixing bugs, publishing news articles and blog posts, maintenance of custom backend solutions and CMS', further development of existing features, etc.), creation of visual and strategic concepts, making high-fidelity mockups, iterative working on visual drafts, developing templates, integrating into CMS' and custom backend solutions of static, as well as dynamic websites.

Supervision and handling of smaller and bigger projects.

Working with individuals, clubs as well as big corporate structures.

SAE Institute Vienna / Lecturer
2016 - 2018, VIENNA

Teaching as a lecturer.

Teaching classes in the subjects of Frontend Tooling, Responsive Web Design, HTML & CSS; Creating and maintaining the accompanying script and the additional teaching materials, such as examples and test projects; Planning and preparing lessons; Planning and preparing workshops.

Designing lessons for middle-sized to small groups of students.

easyname GmbH / Sr. Frontend Designer
2016 - 2021

Part time employment as frontend developer, Design Engineer & UX Designer.

Areas of operation, among other things: Evolving varying

aspects of the easyname brand (visual, microcopy, language); Continuous integration of varying internal and client-facing projects, such as the e-commerce platform(s), product-user-experience, backend-user-experience. Work involved taking several layers, such as the Information Architecture, Content Strategy (and editorial process), communication with the backend business-logic, multi-step refactoring from legacy applications and iteratively introducing and integrating new technology into existing systems.

A large portion of this work involved cultivating knowledge around the topic of Design in general and UI/UX as well as accessibility.