

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## Personal

I was born on the 27'th of May 1976.

I have two kids, Andreas (July 2004) and Rey (July 2006). I am divorced and live in an apartment in central Aalborg with my youngest kid. The older kid has moved into his own apartment.

I am a happy guy, with a sense of humour that is used frequently. I am a quick learner, and I love to learn new things. I get into specifics within the subjects I work with - it is important for me to be very good at what ever I am doing. Usually, I try to be the best. I work great both individually and in teams. I am not afraid to speak my mind, if I think something can be done better.

In my spare time, I try to go to the gym two to three times a week, I spend time with friends, and I really hope to be able to run a marathon at some point in time. I used to play pool on a sort-of-high level but I am too old for that now, so I just play for fun with some friends once or twice a week.

## Education

- **Aalborg University** Aalborg  
*Master of Science* *September 2001 - June 2003*
  - Majored in Computer Science
  - Masters thesis: "Data Warehouse Based Traffic Jam Detection"
  - Minored in Humanistic Computer Science.
- **Aalborg University** Aalborg  
*Bachelor of Science* *September 1996 - Februar 2002*
  - Degree in Computer Science

## Business Experience

- **CGI (Former WM-data and Logica)** Aalborg  
*Developer/Architect/Senior Consultant* *April 2008 - now*
  - As a developer, I have spent time on:
    - \* C# development
    - \* BizTalk development
    - \* Designing and developing a data warehouse for a Danish ministry
  - As an architect, I have worked as both a solution architect and as a business architect.
    - \* presale
    - \* writing tenders
    - \* customer meetings
    - \* customer presentations
    - \* architecture
    - \* design of integration solutions
    - \* implementation of integration solutions

- \* design of solutions
- My focus is on (in no particular order)
  - \* building long lasting customer relationships
  - \* building a relationship where customer believe I am trustworthy
  - \* providing value for my customers
  - \* understanding the business of my customers
- Internal teaching engagements
  - \* I have held two internal BizTalk courses for colleagues
  - \* I have held three different internal SQL courses for colleagues

- **thy:data aalborg a/s**  
*Solution Architect*

Aalborg  
*August 2007 - March 2008*

- I was responsible for performing analysis at customers, designing integration solutions, developing integration solutions, testing and putting them into production. I primarily designed solutions based on Microsoft Dynamics AX using
  - \* BizTalk Server
  - \* Web Services
  - \* AIF
  - \* C#.NET
  - \* Code in Dynamics AX

- **WM-data A/S**  
*Consultant*

Aalborg  
*June 2003 - July 2007*

- I worked with Microsoft BizTalk Server since I started at WM-data. I participated in
  - \* writing quotes
  - \* presale
  - \* customer meetings
  - \* customer presentations
  - \* design of BizTalk solutions
  - \* development of BizTalk solutions

Basically, I went all the way from the first meeting with the customer to the solution has been developed. I represented WM-data in the Microsoft Partner Expert Team for Integration and I was the WM-data West product manager for BizTalk Server.

- Besides BizTalk Server, I worked with Microsoft Office SharePoint Server 2007 and .NET development (ASP.NET and web services), SiteCore CMS, Datawarehousing and TargIT

- **Aalborg University**  
*Teaching Assistant*

Aalborg  
*February 2002 - June 2003*

- Teaching Assistant in the course "Principles for Concurrency and operating systems". February 2003 - June 2003.
- Teaching Assistant in the course "Database Systems". February 2003 - June 2003.
- Teaching Assistant in the course "Algoritms and Datastructures". September 2002 - January 2003.
- Teaching Assistant in the course "Decision Support Systems". September 2002 - January 2003.
- Teaching Assistant in the course "Database Systems". February 2002 - June 2002.

- **Maxon** Aalborg  
*Student employee* *July 2001 - September 2001*  
  - I tested their new mobile phone before it hit the market.
- **Mindpass A/S** Aalborg  
*Student Employee* *April 2001*  
  - I was developing a web-frontend in php for one of their applications.
- **Aalborg University, Institute for Mathematics** Aalborg  
*Assistant for the System Administrator* *June 1999 - May 2000*  
  - The network consisted of plenty of Sun servers running Solaris. My job was to make sure they kept running, installing new software, get them past Y2K, support users, etc. Three of these months, I was acting System Administrator.
- **Nykredit Data** Aalborg  
*Student Employee* *June 1998 - September 1998*  
  - Student job in the summer holiday, where I worked with creating installation packages in connection with their switch from OS/2 to Windows NT.
- **Aalborg Council** Aalborg  
*Computer Technician* *October 1997 - June 1998*  
  - I drove around and repaired and installed computers.
- **Danish International Brigade** Denmark  
*Private 1st Class* *October 1996 - March 2001*  
  - Contract with the Danish International Brigade as a group leader. During my contract, I had about 4 months of training and a mission in Kosovo from August 2000 to February 2001.
- **Danish Army** Denmark  
*Soldier* *August 1995 - June 1996*  
  - Soldier (group leader) in the Danish Marine Corps.

## Courses since my Masters degree

- **SCRUM Master** June 2012  
*2 days*  
  - 2 day course in being a SCRUM Master.
- **TOGAF 9 Certification** September 2010  
*5 days*  
  - 5 day course in TOGAF 9 (The Open Group Architecture Framework).
- **BizTalk Server 2006 R2** December 2007  
*5 days*  
  - 5 day Deep Dive course in Microsoft BizTalk server 2006 R2
- **timeXtender Certified Professional** May 2007  
*3 days*

- 3 day course in using timeXtender to build datawarehouses and cubes from multiple data sources
- **BizTalk Server 2006** June 2006  
*5 days*
    - 5 day Deep Dive course in Microsoft BizTalk Server 2006
- **SharePoint Portal Server 2003, InfoPath and BizTalk Server 2004** November 2005  
*5 days*
    - 5 days course, given by Jan Tielens from U2U, about SharePoint Portal Server 2003, InfoPath, BizTalk Server 2004 and how they are connected.
- **The selling organization** September 2005  
*2 days*
    - This course had the purpose that the participant should learn proactively to talk to customers and act as a sales person in meetings and hereby create more business opportunities.
- **BizTalk Server 2004** May 2005  
*5 days*
    - 5 day Deep Dive course in Microsoft BizTalk Server 2004.
- **TargIT Certified Professional** April 2005  
*4 days*
    - 4 day advanced Targit course.
- **TargIT Super user** March 2005  
*1 day*
    - 1 day superuser course in Targit.
- **Sitecore Certified API Developer** November 2004  
*1 day*
    - 1 day course in advanced Sitecore programming. Their Sitecore Certified API Developer course.
- **C#** October 2004  
*6 days*
    - Internal WM-data course in C#.
- **BizTalk Server 2004** September 2004  
*3 days*
    - 3 day "Partner Readiness Course" in Microsoft BizTalk Server 2004.
- **SiteCore Certified Developer** December 2003  
*2 days*
    - 2 day course in SiteCore development. It was there SiteCore Certified Developer course.
- **Java** September 2003  
*5 days*
    - Course number 11803, given by "Teknologisk Institut"
- **BizTalk Server 2002** August 2003  
*5 days*

- MOC Course 2379, which is actually for BizTalk Server 2000, but the instructor used BizTalk 2002 instead.

## Exams

**SCRUM Master** June 2012. Certified SCRUM Master by the SCRUM Alliance.

**70-595** April 2011. Microsoft exam in BizTalk Server 2010.

**TOGAF 9 Certified** October 2010. Exam in TOGAF 9.

**TOGAF 9 Foundation** October 2010. Exam in the foundation of TOGAF 9.

**70-241** December 2008. Microsoft exam in BizTalk Server 2006 R2.

**70-235** August 2006. Microsoft exam in BizTalk Server 2006.

**74-135** April 2006. Microsoft exam in BizTalk Server 2004.

**TargIT Certified Professional** April 2005. After completing the four day course, we took a written exam, consisting of both theoretical questions and practical exercises.

**SiteCore Certified API Developer** November 2004. Not exactly an exam, but the teacher graded us after the end of the course, and I passed.

**70-230** December 2003. Microsoft exam in BizTalk Server 2000.

**SiteCore Certified Developer** December 2003. Not exactly an exam, but the teacher graded us after the end of the course, and I passed.

**Microsoft Transcript** You can view my Microsoft Transcript at <http://www.microsoft.com/learning/mcp/transcripts/> using the Transcript ID 740854 and the Access Code 42424242.

## Certifications

**SCRUM Master** June 2012

**MCTS: BizTalk Server 2010** April 2011

**TOGAF 9 Certified** October 2010.

**MCTS: BizTalk Server 2006 R2** December 2008.

**timeXtender Certified Professional** May 2007.

**MCTS: BizTalk Server 2006** August 2006.

**MCTS: BizTalk Server 2004: Custom Applications** April 2006.

**Microsoft Certified Technology Specialist (MCTS)** April 2006.

**TargIT Certified Professional** April 2005.

**SiteCore Certified API Developer** November 2004.

**MCP** December 2003.

**SiteCore Certified Developer** December 2003.

## Honors and Awards

**MVP** I was awarded the MVP title in BizTalk Server in July 2004.

**Nominated as PET member of the year** In 2006, I was nominated by Microsoft to be Partner Expert Team (PET) member of the year. Microsoft said: "[cut]... Jan was front page material at msdn.microsoft.com/bpi and thereby he put not only himself, but Denmark on the world map within integration - not a situation we are used to."

**MVP** I was awarded the MVP title in BizTalk Server in July 2008.

**MVP** I was awarded the MVP title in BizTalk Server in July 2009.

**MDIP** I was awarded the Microsoft Designated Information Provider (MDIP) title in August 2009. The MDIP is sort of a Danish small version of the MVP title.

**MVP** I was awarded the MVP title in BizTalk Server in July 2010.

**MVP** I was awarded the MVP title in BizTalk Server in July 2011.

**MVP** I was awarded the MVP title in BizTalk Server in July 2012.

## Publications

**(MCTS): Microsoft BizTalk Server 2010 (70-595) Certification Guide** I am one of the official reviewers of this book.

**BizTalk Server 2010 Unleashed.** I co-wrote the book "Microsoft BizTalk Server 2010 Unleashed" alongside a team of fantastic people. I wrote just above 40% of the book. My chapters are chapter 2 (Schemas), chapter 3 (Maps), chapter 4 (Orchestrations) and chapter 5 (Pipelines). Also, I co-wrote chapter 1. The book was published in September 2011.

**Master thesis.** My masters thesis can be found at <http://www.bibliotek.dk>. It's called "Data warehouse based traffic jam detection".

## Speaking engagements

- **Biztalk presentation** October 29'th 2008  
*Aalborg .NET User Group*
  - Introduction to BizTalk.
- **Biztalk talk** January 4'th 2009  
*Aarhus .NET User Group*
  - I was interviewed for a podcast about BizTalk and where it is heading by the .NET User Group in Aarhus.
- **The new mapper in BizTalk 2010** August 12'th 2010  
*Danish BizTalk User Group*
  - Introduction to the new mapper in BizTalk 2010.
- **Pipeline Component Wizard** August 12'th 2010  
*Danish BizTalk User Group*

- Introduction to the Pipeline component wizard which can help you build a custom pipeline component.

- **Transactions in orchestrations**  
*Swedish BizTalk User Group*

November 18'th 2010

- Presentation about transactions in orchestrations - when to use compensation and how it works, as well as exception handing and how that works.

- **Transactions in orchestrations**  
*Danish BizTalk User Group*

May 4'th 2011

- Presentation about transactions in orchestrations - when to use compensation and how it works, as well as exception handing and how that works.

## This and that

- Member of Red Cross Youth from 1999 to 2010, and have in this period been a volunteer at 4 youth camps for fysically, phycologically and socially handicapped young people between 13 and 18. Besides these four camps, I have been at a childrens camp once. At my latest youth camp, I was part of the management.
- Volunteer at "Matematikcenter" in 2019.
- I am chairman of the "Ejerforening" in my building.
- Member of the The Study Board for Natural Sciences at Aalborg University for a year.
- I speak and write perfect English.
- I speak and write German good enough for daily needs.
- I have been a blood donor and bone marrow donor since 2002.
- I have a no criminal record.

## Skills

The table describes the most important skills I posses. The number in the right column depicts my proficiency within the given skill on a scale from 1 to 10.

<b>Microsoft Server Products</b>	
Microsoft BizTalk Server, all versions	10
SQL Server, all versions	8
SharePoint Portal server 2003 & 2007	5
<b>Technologies</b>	
C#.NET	8
InfoPath	8
T-SQL	8
XHTML	8
HTML	8
XML	9
XSD	9
SQL Server Analysis Services	8
SQL Server Integration Services	7
TargIT	7
SQL	10
Datawarehouse	8
Datamart	8
Star Schema	8
Service Oriented Architecture (SOA)	8
ER-modelling	8
ASP.NET	7
XSLT	7
Business Intelligence	7
Offentlig Information Online (OIO)	7
OIOUBL	7
timeXtender	6
EDI	6
EDIFACT	6
<b>Development Environments</b>	
Visual Studio	8
Team Foundation Server	4