THOMAS YOSHIHARA FINK

Creative Technologist

Passionate creative software engineer focused on technological innovation, interactive communication and new media arts. I am a concept-driven, out of the box thinker with over 15 years of experience in "emotioneering" interactive media projects, advertisement and software.



Relative Experience

03/2012 - Present BBDO interone, Munich

Creative Technologist

Production of award winning works that blend technology and storytelling.

R&D, Conception, UX, IA and Creative Direction. Full stack web- and application-development. Disruption of traditional workflows.

08/2011 - 03/2012 bestbytes GmbH, Munich

Creative Technologist

Interaction design, UX for car interfaces.

Conception and development of an UI-Framework to build realtime simulations of cockpit interaction for a premium car manufacturer.

Development of a test environment to enable agile hypothesis tests on real candidates for use in a car simulator.

04/2010 - 06/2011 salesfactory42, Munich

Senior Frontend Engineer

Head of frontend including UX and UI Design.
Architecture and integration of the frontend into a Maven-Based Continuous Integration Process spanning over Google App Engine, Amazon EC2 and salesforce.

08/2008 - 04/2010 New Ego, Munich

Creative Technologist

Conception, UX and Development of an industry leading marketing software asset.

09/2006 - 02/2008 webguerillas AG, Munich

Senior RIA Developer

Conception, UX and Development of digital campaigns for several international brands including Gore Tex, Lycos and T-mobile.

03/2006-09/2006 Scholz & Volkmer, Wiesbaden

Senior RIA Developer

Lead Developer on the german launchcampaign for Coke Zero. Focus on realtime multiuser websites for Mercedes Benz and Coke Light.

05/1999 - Present Freelance

Creative Engineer

Conception, UX and Creative Direction for advertisement agencies including BBDO, Jung von Matt, Scholz&Volkmer, interone, webquerillas.

Software-, Web- and Mobile Application-Development including campaigns for BMW, Coca Cola, K2 Snowboard, Logitech, Mercedes Benz, MINI, Mc Donald's, T-Mobile. Technical Consulting for various startups.

Info

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Languages

English,
Japanese
German
Objective-C/Sw

Objective-C/Swift C++ Java Python HTML5/CSS3/JavaScript Flex/AS3 SQL

Honors

2015

ADC.DE Bronze NYF 4xFA Annual Multimedia Silver

DVDW Propage

BVDW Bronze

2014

reddot communication award theFWA mobile of the day LIAA bronze 2013 ADC.DE Silver ADC*E 2xSL 2012

LIAA Silver DMMWA Silver Eurobest SL

Recognition

Featured on Huffington Post, psfk, Fast Company, Tagesschau, HORIZONT, Focus, Next Conference

Other Interests

Snowboarding, Surfing Music, Synthesizers Travel, Food Robots Sneakers Video Games Movies