

# Curriculum Vitae

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## **Professional experience**

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- 11/2006 – present **Switzerland Global Enterprise, Zurich – Senior Consultant**  
International project management; responsibility for countries (currently: Russia + CIS) and sector (food industry); advice to Swiss SMEs on export activities and international business development; responsibility for *Swiss Business Hub Russia* and *Trade Point Kazakhstan* (previous responsibility for Swiss Business Hubs Germany, Austria and the UK as well as countries in Western and Eastern Europe); regular travelling to target countries
- 09/2009 – 11/2009 **Swiss Business Hub UK, London – Trade Advisor**  
Looking after Swiss SMEs entering the British market, supporting economic activities of the Swiss embassy in the UK

## **Activities during studies**

- 09/2005 – 08/2006 **Osec Business Network Switzerland, Zurich – Assistant**  
Positions in various departments: Consulting (assistant to senior consultant), Euro Info Center, public procurement, CRM, management of participants in the "Forum for Swiss Foreign Trade"
- 02/2004 – 07/2004 **Institute for Political Science – Semester Assistant**  
Semester assistant, International Relations department, University of Zurich
- 03/2001 – 07/2005 **City of Zug Presidential Department – Assistant**  
Assistant to the head of communication and PR work: e-Government, website maintenance

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**Education**

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2000–2006	<b>University of Zurich</b> Studies in political science, media and communications, and constitutional law; awarded lic. phil I/MA degree
1994–1999	<b>Zug Cantonal School</b> "Matura" school leaving certificate type D (modern languages; Italian)

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**Language knowledge**

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German	Native language
English	Very good written and spoken knowledge 2003: Certificate of Proficiency in English 2000: Language study trip to Los Angeles, USA (8 weeks) 1997: Home-stay in Perth, Australia (6 weeks)
French	Good written and spoken knowledge 2010: "Français d'Affaires" course
Italian	Written and spoken knowledge
Spanish	Basic written and spoken knowledge
Russian	Basic written and spoken knowledge

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