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Professional Summary:

Dynamic and innovative entrepreneur with extensive experience in driving energy and environmental efficiency initiatives. Skilled in project management, European Research, Technological Development, and Innovation (RTDI) projects, and founding and managing start-ups. Proficient in engaging stakeholders and evaluating technological entrepreneurship projects. Fluent in Catalan and Spanish, with good proficiency in English.

Experience:

Expert Evaluator of European Innovation Council and SME Agency (EISMEA), Research Executive Agency (REA), European Commission (EC), evaluating Small and Medium Enterprises (SME) instrument H2020 and Horizon Europe projects, and assessing European Innovation Council (EIC) Accelerator Pilot and several more programme projects (2016-present).

Scientific Director of S4ECoB Project leading a €2.5 million FP7-funded initiative for energy efficient control in buildings (2011-2014).

Partner of some European RTDI Projects participating in several European RTDI projects, including Sounds4EeB, SECURE-FORCE, TOSSAD, SIGOSEE, and E-LEARNING MARKETPLACE (2006-2014).

Founder and CEO of MUFICATA EU-RTDI SL Multifinancial Capital consulting and European Research and Technological Development and Innovation partnership (1997-present).

Founder, CEO and President of CONSEN Euro-Group EEIG formed by five European companies from BEL, POL, NDL, ITA and ESP and participating in European projects (2003-2006).

Project Manager at GECSA Knowledge Management and Information Technologies (2000-2002).

European Consultant at GETRONIC (1999-2000).

Project Manager at GUPER SA (1998-1999).

President Secretary at APIP Association of Professional Insertion and Inclusion (1996-1998).

Founder and CEO of Multifinancial Capital SL startup (1993-1997).

Founder and CEO of TOP5 SL startup (1991-1993).

CTO at LAINCO SA phyto-pharmaceutical company (1987-1991).

Technical Assistant of Generalitat of Catalonia for phyto-control of vineyards (1986-1987).

Education:

Agronomist Engineer, Higher School of Agronomist Engineers of Lleida (1986)

Agricultural Technical Engineer, University School of Agriculture Technical Engineers of Barcelona (1983)

Industrial Technical Engineer (first cycle), Higher Technical School of Industrial Engineers of Barcelona (1981)

Languages:

Catalan and Spanish: Native

English: Good (Intermediate level)

French: Average (Good reading and listening)

Italian/Portuguese: Basic

Masters, Courses, and Other Studies:

- Diverse courses in Ruby on Rails programming (2019-2022)
 - Online courses (MOOCs) in Web development, Digital Signal Processing (DSP), Machine Learning (ML), Artificial intelligence (AI), and more (2004-2020)
 - Courses in LORTAD, Internet, e-Learning, and standards (2000-2004)
 - Master courses in Distribution, Marketing, Management of Quality, and Business Management (1991)
 - Several conferences, symposiums, and congresses attended (1986-1999)
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Personal: Interests and Hobbies:

- **Club Sports:** Engage in tennis, swimming, and padel at Montjuïc until 2024.
- **Running:** Successfully completed three BCN marathons in the 50's age group.
- **Motorcycle:** Actively manage the "Mil Revolts" motorcycle group.
- **Gardening and Cycling:** Enjoy weekends gardening and cycling in the Delta de l'Ebre.
- **Travelling:** Explore Mediterranean countries and islands with family.
- **Other Hobbies:** Appreciate jazz music and enjoy watching films.