# Volunteer resumé

# Frank van der Most

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### **Skills**

- Database design
- Programming
- Languages: Dutch, English, Swedish, German, Spanish, French
- Repairing stuff
- Writing non-fiction: reports, papers, blogs
- Analytic thinking, interviewing and case studies
- Scuba diving (PADI)
- Driver's license

## **Personal qualities**

- Pragmatic idealist
- Patient and quiet but not always
- Get along well with people
- Keeping overview and minding the details
- Work well independently and in teams

#### **Passions and interests**

- Hiking, bird watching, scuba diving
- Saving the planet
- Making and fixing stuff that works
- Lego design
- Photography
- Traveling
- Reading the news
- Solving problems and puzzles
- Warm weather



#### **Interests**

- Nature
- Human rights
- Technology high and low tech

## Life experience

- Volunteer work for, <u>Tropical Health</u>
   Alliance Foundation, <u>WildLabs.net</u>,
   <u>Las Hormigas</u>, <u>Osa Conservation</u>,
   <u>Jaquar Rescue Centre</u> and <u>WOT</u>.
- Alternative civilian service at Agromisa.\*
- Lived in the Netherlands, Sweden, Costa Rica, and currently in Spain.
- Lived in collective house holds
- Travelled to Indonesia, Costa Rica, Panama, Madagascar, Botswana, Namibia, Iceland and many European countries.
- Academic education, up to a PhD in social science. Lots of research experience as well.
- Changed my life choices some times
- Launched two start-ups. Both in IT.
  One still exists.
- Found my life's love. No children. We adopted a dog and a cat
- Found many friends, ... lost some as well
- Sat in and worked on boards and committees. Chaired many meetings

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