

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Google for Education
Certified Innovator



Professional Learning
Specialist

WORK EXPERIENCE

August 2021 - Present

IT Director and Computer Science Teacher

American School of Valencia (<https://asvalencia.org>)

- IB DP Computer Science teacher.
- PowerSchool and Google Workspace Administration.
- Support teachers with technology use and integration.
- Part of the MSA Accreditation team.

August 2018 - July 2021

IB MYP Design Teacher and K-10 Technology Integrator

Fairgreen International School (<https://www.fairgreen.ae>)

- Teach IB MYP Design in grades 6-10.
- Implement and deliver a Computer Science program in grades K-5.
- Leader of the IB Group Network UAE in IT and Innovation.
- Lead the effort to become a Common Sense Education School (achieved Nov. 2020).

December 2012 - August 2018

IT Coordinator and Computer Science Teacher

American School of Valencia (<https://asvalencia.org>)

- Deployed G Suite for Education and trained staff.
- Transitioned PowerSchool to standards-based grading, and designed the new report cards.
- Computer Science teacher in grades 7 to 10, vertically aligning the curriculum.

February 2007 - June 2012

IT Teacher and Coordinator

Various High Schools in Castilla-La Mancha (Spain)

- Yearly substitutions in different schools.
- Bilingual Maths, Physics, Science and IT teacher.
- IT support and training for teachers on Moodle and Free Software applied to education.

August 1998 - June 2006

IT / Computer Science Engineer

Companies: [Analog Devices](#) (98-99), [Bull \(now Atos\)](#) (00-01), [Amper](#) (01-02), [Inelcom](#) (02-06)

- Designed Hardware and Software for various telecom projects.
- Consultor tasks - programmed a Day Hospital Care system, trained nurses.
- System test and support (Supervised and managed 240 Telefonica servers).

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- September 2002 - May 2003 **Teaching License (“Curso de Aptitud Pedagógica”)** EQF Level 7
Complutense University, Madrid (Spain).
- September 1993 - June 1998 **Electronic Engineering** EQF Level 6
Valencia University, Valencia (Spain) and Cork Institute of Technology, Cork (Ireland).

PERSONAL SKILLS

- Communication skills** Good communication skills gained through my experience as teacher and trainer.
- Managerial skills** Leadership demonstrated in the transformation to Google school at ASV.
- Job-related skills** Problem solver gained through years troubleshooting in the IT industry.

Digital skills

| SELF-ASSESSMENT | | | | |
|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Information processing | Communication | Content creation | Safety | Problem solving |
| Proficient user | Proficient user | Proficient user | Proficient user | Proficient user |

Levels: Basic user - Independent user - Proficient user
[Digital competences - Self-assessment grid](#)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Publications** S. Landete Benavente (2017) [20% TIME IN THE CLASSROOM - BRINGING GOOGLE PHILOSOPHY AND THE KEYS TO MOTIVATION TO YOUR SCHOOL](#), *INTED2017 Proceedings*, pp. 1016-1020, doi: [10.21125/inted.2017.0395](#).
- Projects** [Copernicus challenge](#) - Help teachers switch to student-centered learning experiences.
- Conferences** [11th International Technology, Education and Development Conference](#) (2017).
- Seminars**
- [ASV Summit featuring Google Apps for Education](#) (May 2017).
 - [International Symposium on Applied Innovation](#) (July 2017).
- Honors and awards**
- Valencia First Lego League Coach Award (March 2016).
 - Coach at the #ESP18 Google Innovation Academy (October 2018).
 - Mentor of Google Certified Innovators (November 2018 - November 2019).
 - Sustainability award at the 1st Kalebr Steamathlon (March 2019).
- Courses** Most recent: IB DP Computer Science Cat1 (June 2022)
IB MYP Design Cat2 (April 2019)
IB PYP Cat1 (November 2018)
- Certifications**
- [Google for Education Certified Innovator](#).
 - [Google for Education Certified Trainer](#).
 - [Google Certified Educator Level 2](#).
 - [Apple Professional Learning Specialist](#).
 - [Microsoft Innovative Educator](#).
 - [Common Sense Ambassador](#).
 - [Seesaw Certified Educator](#).
 - [Teach SDGs ambassador](#).