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Education Specialist: Nature and Sustainability

- Motivation catalyst
- (Re)Creating a link with our Environment
- Popularising science
- Collective intelligence and participatory processes
- Easy contact with all audiences and conflict situations
- Knowledge and know-how mediator

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

From 2005 – Still in progress	Fully self-employed and leader of Transition Durable. Senior Expert : <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Trainer of teachers, trainers, youth workers, social workers: (re)Creating a link with Nature, eco-anxiety issues, resource and waste use cycle, water, energy, mobility, climate change, ecological footprint, the SDGs, anthropocene ;- Educator for sustainable development and the link with our environment for a young audience, and designer of numerous games, booklets and educational sequences.- Educational consultant: development of educational continuums based on school curricula, advice, design and development of teaching materials.- Strategic consultant for companies and public authorities: advice and training on environmental and climate issues, the SDGs, internal/external changes in behaviour, resource management, future prospects and eco-construction.
2011 - 2020	Voluntary Chairman of École Nouvelle asbl. Financial organising authority of the Decroly school (active teaching): financing of the school, management of the 6,000m ² buildings and parent relations.
2005	Organizer of International Meetings and Youth Parliaments, GoodPlanet, Brussels.
2002 - 2005	Coordinator of a youth support association: project management, recruitment of social workers and animators, events, budgets, logistics, links with schools; CEMO asbl, Brussels.
2001	Nature Educator, creation of activities and courses for young people, CRIE Enghien
2000	Discovery-learning teacher, local primary school, in English; Addis-Ababa, Ethiopia.

COMPLEMENTARY TRAINING

Stretch Collaboration	Co-constructing in a complex world and facilitating multi-actor collaboration; Reos Partner, February-March 2023
WTR	“The Work That Reconnects” workshop, Ecopsychology by J. Macy, Terre Éveil, November 2022
Beekeeping	Introduction to gentle beekeeping; Brussels, 2022-23
Permaculture	Long PDC training course in Australia with R. Francis at Djangbung Garden; Nimbin, Australia, 2016
Carbon footprint	ADEME-approved service provider for Bilan Carbone® assessments; Paris, May 2009

DIPLOMAS - STUDIES

Special needs educator	Diplôme d'Éducateur Spécialisé; HEB, Brussels, Belgium, June 2000
Chemistry	University Diploma of Technology in Chemistry; Strasbourg, France, June 1996
Baccalauréat	Baccalauréat D Section "Sciences and Nature", Lycée, Strasbourg, France, June 1994




SKILLS

Link with nature, climate change and future prospects	<p>Training, project support and facilitation for Réseau Idée, IFEC, FELSI, Bruxelles Administration of Environnement, HUB Bxl, ENGIE, GoodPlanet, Écocide and other associations since 2005:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identification of objectives and themes. • Development of workshops and training courses to help people understand the problems and issues and encourage changes in behaviour. • Production, delivery and management of various educational kits. • Strategic consultancy to redefine internal strategy
Cycle management and Towards Zero Waste	<p>Project support, awareness-raising and training for GoodPlanet Belgium, Bruxelles Administration of Environnement and ENGIE, since 2005:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support for schools, principals and teachers. • Development of workshops and training courses to support waste management. • Creation of educational tools to reduce waste.
Responsible and rational consumption	<p>Long-term assignments for Emmaüs Habitat (social landlord), Maison de la Famille, ENGIE, Emmaüs France, since 2008:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identification of objectives and results to be achieved. • Development of workshops and training courses to help professionals and beneficiaries to save energy and water, and manage waste. • Production, delivery and logistics of various kits for energy and water saving. • Design of a web-based advice platform and several operating procedures.
Publication and teaching tools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing and publication of Educ-Ecocide, an educational brochure (56 A4 pages): accompanying the film with a holistic and in-depth approach; Planète Vie, 2022 • Development of the Bel Expo Museum's pedagogical continuum on the climate and the sustainable cities, writing content and teacher fact sheets; Brussels Environment, 2016-20 • Since 2006, we have produced a number of educational booklets (for schoolchildren and young adults) and games on various themes (smartphones, waste, water, paper, etc.). • Numerous teaching sequences (teachers) on various themes (ecocide, climate, sustainable development, environment) since 2006 • Creation of activities and games to raise awareness of the link with nature and environmental issues; CRIE, CEMO, IBGE, GoodPlanet, Éduc-Écocide... since 2001 • Creation and delivery of a range of educational tools on energy and water management; Maison de la Famille, ENGIE, Emmaüs, Emmaüs Habitat, since 2008 • Development of an interactive CD-ROM to raise awareness of the environment and citizenship for all primary school teachers and pupils; FM6E Morocco, 2012 • Complete eco-renovation of a show home to save energy and water using ecological materials; 2009-2010

LANGAGES AND DIGITAL

French	● ● ● ● ●	English	● ● ● ● ●	Dutch	● ● ● ● ●
Windows	● ● ● ● ●	Suite MS Office	● ● ● ● ●	Adobe AI + PSD	● ● ● ● ●

PERSONNAL DETAILS

 Driving licence + car	 Urban cycling	 Offshore sailing permit
Interests: Sailing skipper, Climbing, Botany, Hiking, Desert and tropical environments		
Trips >1 month: New Zealand, Cameroon, Ethiopia, Algeria, Laos, Thailand, Europe, Australia, Namibia...		