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I am a consultant, trainer and author in the fields of software development, focused on web applications based on Microsoft technologies. My job is to architect, design, develop and maintain distributed solutions and intranet portals, mainly based on Microsoft Office 365, and Microsoft SharePoint.

I spend a lot of my time on improving and certifying my knowledge. Currently I have passed about 50 certification exams and I have the following certifications: MCP, MCT, MCSD.NET, MCSE, MCSA, MCAD, MCPD, and MCTS on many Microsoft technologies and IBM Certified Developer on XML technologies.

I work with Microsoft Office 365 and Microsoft SharePoint since early betas and I have passed all the certifications exams available on SPS2003, MOSS2007, SP2010, SP2013, and Office 365.
I am also a Microsoft Certified Solutions Master - Charter Share-Point and a Microsoft MVP on Office Apps and Services.

I began my professional growth in 1995 as a freelance consultant for a financial company and for an Internet Service Provider. There I had a great deal of experience in software development and system administration.

In 1999 I founded a company of my own (www.piasys.com), focusing on web development. I am still self-employed in my company, which is now based both in EU and in the USA. PiaSys.com is a Microsoft Silver Certified Partner, working for the top ISVs, ISPs and Enterprise level companies, as well as for some international organizations.

In January 2015 I became a proud member of the SharePoint Patterns & Practices (http://aka.ms/SharePointPnP) community project, where I offer my expertise to the community of Microsoft SharePoint and Microsoft Office 365 developers.

In the last 10 years, I wrote 11 books about XML, .NET, LINQ, Windows 8, Microsoft SharePoint, and Microsoft Office 365:

- **"XML"** - Mondadori Informatica
  ISBN: 88-8331-341-0 - Italian language

- **".NET XML & Web Services Full Contact"** - Mondadori Informatica
  ISBN: 88-8331-500-6 - Italian language

- **"Programmare con XML"** - Mondadori Informatica
  ISBN: 88-04-53213-0 - Italian language

- **"Introducing LINQ"** - Microsoft Press
  ISBN: 0-7356-2391-0 - English language, translated in 3 languages

- **"Programming Microsoft LINQ"** - Microsoft Press
  ISBN: 0-7356-2400-3 - English language, translated in 7 languages

- **"Programming Microsoft LINQ in .NET Framework 4"** - Microsoft Press
  ISBN: 0-7356-4057-2 - English language

- **"Microsoft SharePoint 2010 Developer Reference"** - Microsoft Press
  ISBN: 0-7356-3903-5 - English language, translated in German

- **"Build Windows 8 Apps with Microsoft Visual C# and Visual Basic Step by Step"** – Microsoft Press
  ISBN: 0-7356-6695-4 – English language

- **"Build Windows 8 Apps with Microsoft Visual C++ Step by Step"** – Microsoft Press
  ISBN: 0-7356-6723-3 – English language

- **"Microsoft SharePoint 2013 Developer Reference"** – Microsoft Press
  ISBN: 0-7356-7071-4 – English language

- **"Programming Microsoft Office 365"** – Microsoft Press
  ISBN: 978-1509300914 – English language

In the last 19 years, I spoke at many conferences worldwide. Here you can find past and upcoming events (https://piasys.com/events/):

- **Windows Professional Conference 2000 Fall** (October 2000 - Milan)

- **Future Web Conference** (April 2001 – L'Aquila)

- **XML Applications** (July 2001 – Milan)

- **Windows Professional Conference 2001** (October 2001 - Milan)

- **.NET Developers Conference** (June 2002 - Milan)

- **Future Web Conference 2002** (July 2002 – L'Aquila)

- **Windows Professional Conference 2002** (October 2002 – Milan)

- **Web .NET Conference 2003** (April 2003 – Milan)

- **International Web Services Conference** (October 2003 – Toronto - Canada)

- **Windows Professional Conference 2003** (November 2003 – Milan)

- **DevLeap Conference 2004** (May 2004 – Bologna)

- **MSDN Security Roadshow** (from April to May 2004 – Italy)

- **Windows Professional Conference 2004** (November 2004 – Milan)

- **DevCon OneDay SOA** (January 2005 – Brescia)

- **.NET Security Day** (March 2005 – Lugano - CH)

- **DevCon OneDay SOA Security** (July 2005 - Milan)

- **DevLeap Conference 2005** (November 2005 - Milan)

- **Windows Professional Conference 2005** (November 2005 – Milan)

- **2007 Microsoft Office system Developer Conference 2006** (June 2006 – Milan)

- **SQL Server Conference 2006** (June 2006 - Milan)

- **DevLeap Conference 2007** (May 2007 - Milan)

- **SQL Server Conference 2007** (June 2007 - Milan)

- **SharePoint Conference 2007** (September 2007 - Milan)

- **Microsoft Rhythm Bootcamp: Visual Studio 2008** (October 2007 - Milan)

- **Microsoft Rhythm Bootcamp: Office SharePoint Server 2007** (November 2007 - Milan)

- **Microsoft Rhythm Bootcamp: Office Business Applications** (February 2008 - Milan)

- **Heroes happen here: Microsoft Launch event for Windows Server 2008, Visual**

- **Studio 2008, SQL Server 2008** (February 2008 - Milan)

- **DevLeap Conference 2008** (May 2008 - Milan)

- **Microsoft SharePoint Conference 2008** (October 2008 - Milan)

- **Microsoft TechEd EMEA 2008** (November 2008 - Barcellona - Spain)

- **Microsoft TechDays 2008** (November 2008 – Milan)

- **DevLeap Conference 2009** (May 2009 - Milano)

- **SharePoint Future** (October 2009 - Milan)

- **Microsoft TechDays 2009** (November 2009 - Milan)

- **Microsoft SharePoint & Office Conference 2010** (March 2010 - Milan)

- **Microsoft SharePoint Community Tour** (June 2010 - Milan)

- **Microsoft SharePoint Community Tour** (September 2010 - Bologna)

- **Microsoft SharePoint 2010 BizSpark** (January 2011 – Rome)

- **Microsoft SharePoint & Office Conference 2011** (April 2011 – Milan)

- **Microsoft .NET Campus 2011** (May 2011 – Milan and Rome)

- **DevLeap Conference 2011** (November 2011 – Milan)

- **European SharePoint Conference 2011** (November 2011 – Berlin – Germany)

- **DevCon OneDay SharePoint 2010** (March 2012 – Milan)

- **Microsoft .NET Campus 2012** (April 2012 – Rome)

- **Microsoft Virtualization & Private Cloud Conference 2012** (May 2012 – Milan)

- **Windows Developer Conference 2012** (October 2012 – Milan)

- **SharePoint Future 2012** (November 2012 – Milan)

- **European SharePoint Conference 2013** (February 2013 – Copenhagen)

- **Community Days 2013** (February 2013 – Milan)

- **SharePoint & Office Conference 2013** (March 2013 – Milan)

- **Microsoft Windays HR** (March 2013 – Croatia)

- **.NET Campus 2013 @ Rome** (April 2013 – Rome)

- **.NET Campus 2013 @ Cesena** (June 2013 – Cesena)

- **Infrastructure Server Days 2013** (June 2013 – Milan)

- **Microsoft DevCamp: Apps for Office and SharePoint 2013** (June 2013 – Milan)

- **Microsoft TechEd Europe 2013** (June 2013 – Madrid – Spain)

- **Technical Days - SharePoint 2013** (November 2013 – Milan)

- **Cloud Conference 2013** (November 2013 – Milan)

- **SharePoint & Project Conference Adriatics 2013** (November 2013 – Zagreb)
- **SharePoint Saturday Stockholm** (January 2014 – Stockholm)
- **Microsoft SharePoint Conference 2014 (SPC14)** (March 2014 – Las Vegas)
- **European SharePoint Conference 2014 (ESPC14)** (May 2014 – Barcelona)
- **.NET Campus 2014** (May 2014 – Rome)
- **SharePoint Saturday Dubai** (May 2014 – Dubai – United Arab Emirates)
- **SharePoint & Office Conference 2014 (SPOC2014)** (May 2014 – Milan)
- **SharePoint Saturday Oslo** (May 2014- Oslo)
- **Server Infrastructure Days 2014** (June 2014 – Milan)
- **Community Days 2014** (September 2014 – Milan)
- **SharePoint & Project Conference Adriatics 2014** (October 2014, Zagreb)
- **SharePoint Days 2014** (October 2014, Slovenja)
- **SharePoint Friday Budapest 2014** (October 2014, Budapest)
- **Microsoft TechEd Europe 2014** (October 2014, Barcelona)
- **SharePoint Saturday UK 2014** (November 2014, United Kingdom)
- **SharePoint Saturday Stockholm 2015** (February 2015, Stockholm)
- **Community Days 2015** (March 2015, Milan)
- **SharePoint Saturday Helsinki 2015** (March 2015, Helsinki)
- **SharePoint Saturday Paris 2015** (May 2015, Paris)
- **Server Infrastructure Days 2015** (June 2015, Milan)
- **Iberian SharePoint Conference 2015** (June 2015, Madrid)
- **SharePoint Saturday Florence 2015** (June 2015, Florence)
- **Iberian SharePoint Conference** (June 2015, Madrid)
- **SharePoint Saturday Munich 2015** (October 2015, Munich)
- **European SharePoint Conference 2015** (November 2015, Stockholm)
- **SharePoint Days Slovenia 2015** (November 2015, Slovenja)
- **SharePoint Konferenz 2016** (March 2016, Erding, Germany)
- **Collab 365 Summit** (May 2016, Online)
- **TUGA IT** (May 2016, Lisbon)
- **SharePoint Saturday Stockholm 2016** (May 2016, Stockholm)
- **SPC Adriatics 2016** (May 2016, Zagreb)
- **SPS Netherlands 2016** (June 2016, Amsterdam)
- **Server Infrastructure Days 2016** (June 2016, Milan)
- **Microsoft Ignite 2016** (September 2016, Atlanta)
- **Collab 365 Global Conference** (October 2016, Online)
- **SharePoint Days Slovenia 2016** (October 2016, Slovenia)
- **European SharePoint Conference 2016** (November 2016, Vienna)
- **SPS Geneva 2016** (December 2016, Geneva)
- **SPS Munich 2017** (March 2017, Munich)
- **SPS Helsinki 2017** (March 2017, Helsinki)
- **Techorama 2017** (May 2017, Antwerp - Belgium)

- **European Collaboration Summit 2017**
  (May 2017, Zagreb)
- **SPS London 2017**
  (June 2017, London)
- **Microsoft Inspire 2017**
  (July 2017, Washington DC)
- **Microsoft Ignite 2017**
  (September 2017, Orlando - USA)
- **SPS Milan 2017**
  (September 2017, Milan)
- **SPS Paris 2017**
  (October 2017, Paris)
- **SPS Brusselles 2017**
  (October 2017, Bruxelles)
- **Thrive Conference 2017**
  (November 2017, Slovenja)
- **SPS Vienna 2017**
  (November 2017, Vienna)
- **European SharePoint Conference 2017**
  (November 2017, Dublin)
- **SPS Helsinki 2018**
  (January 2018, Helsinki)
- **SharePoint Conference NA 2018**
  (May 2018, Las Vegas)

- **European Collaboration Summit 2018**
  (May 2018, Mainz - Germany)
- **Microsoft Ignite 2018**
  (September 2018, Orlando - USA)
- **SPS Milan 2018**
  (October 2018, Milan)
- **SPS Lisbon 2018**
  (October 2018, Lisbon)
- **Modern Workplace Conference Paris 2018**
  (October 2018, Paris)
- **SPS Belgium 2018**
  (October 2018, Bruxelles)
- **European SharePoint Conference 2018**
  (November 2018, Copenhagen)
- **SharePoint Conference 2019**
  (May 2019, Las Vegas)
- **European Collaboration Summit 2019**
  (May 2019, Wiesbaden, Germany)
- **SPS London 2019**
  (May 2019, London)

From 2007 to 2015, I was one of the track owners of the Italian edition of the **SharePoint & Office Conference**.

In September 2013, I was nominated Co-Programme Chair for the European SharePoint Conference 2014, which took place in Barcelona in May 2014 (http://www.sharepointeurope.com/).