

# Jorge Castaño

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## EDUCATION

### UPM: UNIVERSIDAD POLITÉCNICA DE MADRID (SPAIN)

Master of Science (MSc.)  
**MS in Telecom Engineering**  
- Master Thesis at the **RWTH  
Aachen (Germany)**

## SKILLS

### TECHNICAL SKILLS

Proficient with:  
JavaScript ES6 - ES2022 ·  
React · Redux · TypeScript ·  
Angular · Mocha · RxJS · HTML  
· CSS · SCSS / SASS · Agile  
(Scrum) · BackboneJS · Phaser  
· React Native · Git · Object-  
oriented Design · REST

Familiar with:  
Vue · DevOps · Azure · Java ·  
Android · SQL · Unity3D ·  
Gatsby · NextJS · GraphQL

### SOFT SKILLS

Public speaking · Leadership  
· Team Management ·  
Storytelling · Gamification ·  
Humor

### LANGUAGES

Spanish (Native)  
English (B2)  
German (B2)

## SUMMARY

**Experienced FrontEnd Engineer** that loves building mobile and desktop web applications. **ReactJS** enthusiast, but also hands-on experience with **Angular (5↑)**, **React Native** and **Backbone**.

Listen to my podcast "La Hora Developer" to know how I work and communicate:  
<https://go.ivoox.com/sq/1924655>

## EXPERIENCE

### Mercedes-Benz | LEAD FRONTEND ENGINEER

Oct 2019 – Present | Madrid, Spain

- **Led the Front End Team** by coordinating the work of six engineers in simultaneous projects, while having **hands-on development**.
- Designed, built and launch web applications based on JavaScript, using **React**, **React Hooks**, **Redux**, **Context API** and design systems like **Material UI**.
- Guided and **mentored junior developers** by having code reviews, one to one meetings and pair programming.

### Indra (Minsait) | FRONTEND ENGINEER

Jan 2017 – Oct 2019 | Madrid, Spain

- Developed web applications based on JavaScript (**BackboneJS**) for BBVA Bank.
- Reduced browser's CPU usage from 94% to 6% in Pull & Bear's (Inditex) web application by changing the animations from JavaScript to CSS.
- Designed Front End architecture and created reusable component libraries in **Angular** for Bankinter and Santalucia's web applications.
- Wrote unit tests using **Mocha** and **TapeJS**, and end-to-end (E2E) tests using **Selenium** and **Cucumber**.

### Aslam New IT | MOBILE & FRONTEND DEVELOPER

Mar 2015 – Dec 2016 | Madrid, Spain

- Built and launch mobile and web applications based on JavaScript, using Apache **Cordova (Phonegap)**, **BackboneJS** and **Marionette**.
- Developed the mobile app for Citroën and Peugeot dealers in Spain, France and the Netherlands.

### Krama e-soft | FULLSTACK DEVELOPER

Apr 2014 – Mar 2015 | Madrid, Spain

- Built and launch mobile and web applications based on JavaScript, using Apache **Cordova (Phonegap)**, **IBM MobileFirst (Worklight)** and **Android**.
- Developed back-end code in **Java**, **JSP** and **Struts**.