

Gian Senpinar

Zurich & Basel, Switzerland · Swiss Citizen

Innovation and venturing enthusiast with hands-on experience across startups, corporate product management, and blockchain research. USD 4.5M fundraising at a tech-startup, owns internal products at Siemens, and builds AI-powered tools. Two published conference papers. Looking to bring entrepreneurial energy into corporate innovation.



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Professional

Aug 2023 — Present

Project & Product Manager | Siemens AG – Smart Buildings

Zug, Switzerland

Product Manager (Jul 2025 – Present):

- × Own Indoor Air Quality ROI Calculator (~EUR 50K budget): defined requirements, manage external dev team of 4; PDF export used in customer-facing sales proposals.

Project Manager (Aug 2023 – Present):

- × PMO for CET Configurator (EUR 250K+, thousands of global users): full lifecycle from kickoff to rollout, stakeholder coordination across BUs.
- × Replaced fragmented tracking with binding Product Lifecycle Calendar (Mendix); pitched benchmarking analysis solo to upper management, delivering EUR 450K in annual savings.

Sept 2024 — Jan 2026

Research Assistant | UZH Blockchain Center

Zürich, Switzerland

- × Researched cross-chain bridge protocols (EVM); co-authored blockchain curriculum for ~50 students; executed \$10M+ on-chain arbitrage venture.
- × Built Python pipeline for full-history stablecoin transfer tracking across EVM chains.

Jul 2022 — Jan 2024

Venture & Finance Manager | Almer Technologies

Bern, Switzerland

- × Led USD 4.5M pre-Series A fundraising: investor outreach, data room, ARR models, all investor meetings. Company later merged with RealWear.
- × Secured EUR 3M Swiss Technology Fund loan; led Innosuisse scale-up programme; secured cloud credits (Azure, AWS, NVIDIA).

Other Roles

Strategy & Finance Associate | Spielmann Consulting AG (2025–Pres.) · Marketing Coordinator | Hörmittelzentrale AG (2022–24) · Shift Lead | Coop Pronto (2020–22)

Education

Feb 2025 — June 2026

MA, Business & Economics; Minor IT | University of Zurich

Visiting Student MTEC | ETH Zurich · Exchange | Sciences Po Paris & Paris-Saclay

Two conference papers published (Digital Health, Blockchain).

Jan 2021 — Feb 2025

BA Business & Economics | University of Zurich

Skills

Innovation & Venturing

Startup Fundraising · Venture Analysis · Business Model Development · Innosuisse · CVC Ecosystem

Product & Project

Product Ownership · PMO · Roadmapping · Stakeholder Coordination · Agile Delivery

Analytical

Financial Modeling · Data Pipelines · On-chain Analytics · Market Research

Tools

Python · Excel · R · Power BI · SQL · Mendix · Jira · Confluence · SharePoint · LaTeX

Blockchain: EVM · Arbitrage · Stablecoin Analytics

AI: Top 1% Cursor AI power user; builds internal tools and automations with LLMs

Languages

German (Native)
English (Full Professional Proficiency)
Turkish (Native Speaking)
French (Intermediate, B1)
Spanish (Intermediate, B1)

Leadership

Teaching Assistant | UZH (2022–26)

Managed 3 tutors; prepared exercises for ~1,000 students/year.

Finance Committee | VSUZH (2024–26)

Mentored 20+ students on university financing.

Volunteer

Vice President | Aktion Pinguin (2022–Pres.)

+30% donations, +15% social media growth.

FVOEC · Mentor (2021–23)

Certifications

Python & R | UZH, 2025
Business English (C1) | ETH, 2022
Excel for Business | Macquarie, 2021