# nina untch

11 years in public health, now focusing on catastrophic risks from advanced AI

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## PROFILE

Reducing catastrophic risks from AI hinges on people turning a promising idea into something applied – which is one of my greatest strengths. For the last 11 years, I've worked in public health. At **luca App** (40M+ users, 330M+ check-ins), I was **responsible for enabling contact tracing for the German health authorities**. At **Bloom/ginione**, I **built a B2B SaaS OHS product from zero**, serving **16 companies with 1,500+ employees in 12 months**. Now I work full-time on AI safety.

## EXPERIENCE

### Product Lead
2024 – 2026

Bloom · Berlin · acquired by Arsipa Group 2025 (now ginione)

- Led the pivot to B2B occupational health and safety compliance; shipped 5 product modules in the first year with a single engineer; 16 customers, 1,500+ employees on the platform.
- Built the product and tech department from scratch and hired the whole team, including Lead Engineer, Engineers and Product Designers.
- Relaunched the legacy employee assistance platform with a complete technical rebuild, focusing on the employee experience in psychologically stressful situations.
- Co-led the company's ISO 27001 certification efforts as well as GDPR audits.

### Head of Product Management, luca App
2021 – 2023

culture4life · previously Product Manager, Senior Product Manager

- Worked with Germany's health authorities to bring 323 health departments onto a privacy-preserving contact-tracing and disease surveillance system during Covid: 40M+ users, 330M+ check-ins, 550k+ exposure notifications.
- Worked with complex cryptography, in close collaboration with a dedicated team of cyber security specialists.
- Led the pivot to a B2B2C SaaS for restaurants with PCI-DSS compliant payments: €25M+ transaction volume across 200+ restaurants and hotels; led a team of 3 product managers.

### Product Owner, WOKvirtuell
2020 – 2021

Agentur WOK

- Built a virtual events platform with integrated video conferencing from concept to launch.
- Ran 15+ events on the platform in the first year.

### (Senior) Communications Consultant
2015 – 2021

Agentur WOK · healthcare communications

- Launched 40+ websites for healthcare clients, owning UX and information architecture.
- Specialised in making hospitals and their services easy to understand, so people could find the care relevant to them.

## AI SAFETY

**BlueDot Rapid Grant**
2026 · with Leonie Ellerbrock

**AGI Strategy, intensive cohort**
BlueDot Impact · Aug 2026

## STRENGTHS

**Complex systems:** highly technical, regulatorily complex products, ranging from health to compliance

**Scale:** owned a system used by 40M+ people and 323 health departments

**Turning ideas into reality:** building product, team and processes from zero

**Applied AI oversight:** my own agents can only act on cryptographically signed grants

## EDUCATION

**MSc Public Health**
Berlin School of Public Health (Charité, ASH, TU Berlin)
2016 – 2019

**BA Media & Communication Studies, Dutch**
FU Berlin, Germany
2013 – 2016

## LANGUAGES

German native
English fluent
Dutch intermediate