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Senior Technical Project Manager | Scrum Master | Agile Delivery Leader
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Professional Summary

Results-driven Senior Technical Project Manager with 21+ years of IT experience, including 9 years in Java/J2EE development and 12+ years leading Agile delivery, program management, stakeholder management, release management, and Scrum teams. Experienced in driving large-scale enterprise initiatives, improving delivery efficiency, and collaborating with architects, product owners, and engineering leaders. Strong exposure to cloud, observability, AI-assisted development tools, ITSM, and SRE practices.

Core Skills

- Agile & Scrum, Kanban, Program Management, Stakeholder Management, Release Management
- JIRA, Azure DevOps (ADO), VersionOne, ServiceNow, Mantis
- Java, Spring Boot, Microservices, Python (NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib)
- Oracle, MongoDB, Neptune
- Splunk, ELK, Grafana, AppDynamics, New Relic
- Generative AI, Agentic AI, Prompt Engineering, Context Engineering
- Resource Planning, Hiring, Billing Management, ITSM Reviews, Risk Management

Professional Experience

Senior Technical Project Manager | Cognizant Technology Solutions | Oct 2017 – Present

- Lead Agile delivery teams and facilitate all Scrum ceremonies, ensuring predictable and high-quality releases.
- Partner with Product Owners on backlog prioritization, roadmap planning, and feature delivery.
- Drive stakeholder communication, change management, release management, and program governance.
- Implement Agile and Kanban practices to improve delivery efficiency and team productivity.
- Prepare executive status reports, risk assessments, and mitigation plans.
- Collaborate with architects and technical leads on solution design and engineering decisions.
- Monitor engineering KPIs and SLA compliance using observability and monitoring platforms.

- Contribute to hiring initiatives, resource planning, monthly billing, and ITSM review processes.

Previous Experience

- Associate Technical Manager | ExcelaCom Technologies | Sep 2016 – Sep 2017
- Associate Technical Manager | HCL Technologies | Oct 2009 – Sep 2016
- Associate Consultant | Wipro Technologies | Apr 2005 – Aug 2009
- Software Developer | L&T Infotech (Iris Soft) | Sep 2004 – Apr 2005

Key Projects

- GMI – Product Planning Team (Jul 2024 – Present)
- GSE – Guest Service Engine, MGM Resorts International (Jan 2023 – May 2024)
- PLA – Personalized Learning Analytics, Pearson Education (Oct 2017 – Dec 2022)
- Century, Comcast Corporation (Sep 2016 – Sep 2017)
- AETP / DWR / TMQO-WSMT, The Boeing Company (2009 – 2016)
- Application Server 5200, Nortel Networks (2008 – 2009)
- Availability Appliance / SRAS / Swordfish, Sun Microsystems (2005 – 2008)
- Network Flow Collector (NFC), Hitachi (2004 – 2005)

International Assignments

- The Boeing Company, Washington, USA (Mar 2012 – May 2013)
- Nortel Networks, Texas, USA (Sep 2008 – Dec 2008)
- Nortel Networks, Texas, USA (Sep 2007 – Dec 2007)
- Sun Microsystems, Canada (Jun 2005 – Jul 2005)
- Sun Microsystems, Canada (Sep 2005 – Oct 2005)

Certifications

- PMP
- PMI-ACP
- CSM
- CSPO
- SAFe Agilist
- Google Cloud Digital Leader
- AWS Certified Cloud & AI Practitioner