Saatwick Chandra

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EDUCATION:

Master of Science in Software Management (MSSM) May '22 - Dec '23
Carnegie Mellon University, Silicon Valley GPA: 4.0/4

Bachelor of Technology, Information Technology 2015 - 2019
KIIT University, Bhubaneswar, India GPA: *3.63/4*

EXPERIENCE: [linkedin]

Product Owner (DevOps) and Associate Technical Project Manager [@Acquia, India] Sep'21 – Aug'22
▪ Built and delivered six cross-team projects with well defined dependencies and stakeholder alignments.
▪ Drove all aspects of program management across three teams to release a new ingress to the Acquia cloud platform, impacting 400 employee accounts and 5200+ customer environments.
▪ Revamped the sprint planning processes, increasing the sprint efficacy upto 128% and a reduced scope creep by 91%.
▪ Planned team's work capacity and formulated team's OKRs for upcoming quarter with the engineering manager.
▪ Maximized value of DevOps' incremental work by delivering sprint demos, building dashboards and effective reporting.
▪ Collaborated with technical marketing and product teams to schedule, audit and publish content on Acquia dev portal
▪ Build a new ADP team and the team's processes, its backlog management board and standardization.

Associate Software Engineer and Scrum Master [@Acquia, India] Aug'20 – Sep'21
▪ Built a set of features and piloted cloud migration of 55% customers, amortizing business costs worth $42,000.
▪ Planned sprints by distilling the product backlog into workable stories and tasks across delivery buckets.
▪ Prioritized sprint work to eradicate sprint spillovers by 80% and scope creep into the sprint by 100%
▪ Facilitated scrum events like daily standups, sprint retrospectives, sprint grooming and sprint planning.

Software Engineer (full-time and intern) [@GS Lab, India] Sep'18 – Aug'20
▪ Built a SaaS software for AWS and Azure cloud, consequently reducing the cloud expense worth $47,000.
▪ Independently designed and implemented the networking architecture of the product end-to-end.
▪ Formulated the AWS marketplace launch strategy and roadmap for the SaaS product.

Team Lead and EP Manager (volunteering) [@AIESEC in Bhubaneswar] Jul'16 – Jul'18
▪ Delivered 11 projects end-to-end in two years, generating revenues worth $33,000.
▪ Built and led a new team into a new market and generated revenue of $1800, 600% above planned target.
▪ Collaborated with several international committees to synergise on cross-cultural internships.

SKILLS:

Tools: JIRA, Asana, Confluence, Miro, Trello, Jellyfish, Sprout, Domo, Google Analytics, Postman
Process and methodologies: Agile, Scrum, Kanban, PDLC, SDLC
Technologies: AWS, Azure, Kubernetes, Docker, Python, Django, Linux, JQL, MongoDB, Sumo Logic, Github

CERTIFICATIONS AND TRAININGS:

▪ Certified ScrumMaster® (CSM®) ▪ AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner ▪ PMI Agile Certified Practitioner (PMI-ACP)®
▪ Azure Architecture Technologies ▪ Acquia R&D Agile and Jira training ▪ Google Agile Project Management

ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

▪ Winner of the national logo designing competition for the Delhi Drainage Master Plan-2031.
▪ Graduated 12th (senior secondary) with **99.98th percentile** (NIOS board)
▪ Won TechEx-2020 and received high laurels from company executives for my out-of-the-box pitching skills.
▪ Recognised for educational project ideation by Mozilla, Bhubaneswar.
▪ Won 'award of recognition' by Department of Science and Technology, India - 2014.
▪ Held 261st international rank in the 15th National Science Olympiad - 2013
▪ Won several Model United Nations and state level declamation competitions.

Major side projects: [Github]

▪ Movie recommendation system (Netflix) ▪ Covid vaccine notifier [with PRD]
▪ Language translator and detector ▪ PDF converter