## Saatwick Chandra

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#### **EDUCATION:**

## **Bachelor of Technology, Information Technology**

KIIT University, Bhubaneswar, India

GPA: **8.7/10** [3.63/4]

2015 - 2019

# EXPERIENCE: Associate Technical Project Manager and Product Owner [@Associate India]

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Associate Technical Project Manager and Product Owner [@Acquia, India]

Sep'21 - Present

- Facilitated cross-team implementation of various project lifecycle phases, leading to 59% project completion.
- Revamped the sprint grooming and planning processes, resulting in the increase of sprint efficacy from 72% to 93% and a reduction of scope creep in sprints by 55%
- Maximised the value of the incremental product produced by the team, built new dashboards for efficient management of work & processes, and delivered sprint demo.
- Planned team's work capacity and formulated team's OKRs for upcoming quarter, with the engineering manager.

## Associate Software Engineer and Scrum Master [@Acquia, India]

Aug'20 - Sep'21

- Built new features and migrated 22 out of the first 40 customers, amortising business costs worth \$42,000.
- Planned sprints by distilling the product backlog into workable stories and tasks across delivery buckets.
- Prioritised 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 \$33k.
- Led a new team into an untapped market and generated revenue of \$1800, which was 600% above our target.
- Collaborated with international committees to synergise on cross-cultural exchanges/internships.
- Headed the organising committee for various events that involved ample stakeholder & operation management.

### **SKILLS:**

**Tools:** JIRA, Asana, Confluence, Miro, Trello, Jellyfish, Google Workspace, Microsoft Office Suite, Domo **Process and methodologies:** Agile, Scrum, Kanban, PDLC, SDLC

Technologies: AWS, Azure, Kubernetes, Argo, Python, Django, Linux, JQL, Sumo Logic, Github, Postman

### **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)
- Recognised for educational project ideation by Mozilla, Bhubaneswar.
- Held 261st international rank in the 15th National Science Olympiad.
- Won TechEx-2020 and received high laurels from company executives for my out-of-the-box pitching skills.
- Wrote technical blogs on Medium with 1400+ reads.

[medium]

Won Model United Nations and declamation competitions.

KEY PROJECTS: [portfolio]

- Covid-19 vaccine notifier
- Covid-19 vaccine locator
- Doc2Pdf Converter
- Document Language Translator
- Rail Journey Manager