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Professional Summary:

- Senior QA Specialist with 6 years of industry experience in Quality Assurance with expertise in Annuity, Disability and Long-term care insurance domain in the areas of **Automation and Functional Testing.**
- Have Strong knowledge and experience in Fixed, Variable and Income annuity products. Also have strong knowledge in Annuity products **UI, PDF reports and Calculations**.
- Good Experience in working with Long Term Care products with **New Business, Inforce and Multi-Life.**
- Good experience in creating custom **xpath** identifier for locating objects on web pages.
- Creating Test data, Debugging, Running the Test cases and Analyzing the Test Results.
- Understanding Requirement **Specifications, Prototypes and Design Documents**.
- Exposure to all stages of Software Development Life Cycle (SDLC) and Software testing Life Cycle (STLC).
- Interpreted and converted manual test cases into Automation Regression suites
- Well versed in **Test Documentation** (Test Scenarios, Test Plan, Test Data, Test Cases and Defect Reports).
- Experience in implementing **Data driven Framework and Behavior driven development**.
- Good exposure on **Keyword Driven framework** in Automation Testing
- Experience in Data driven Testing, multiple browser testing and Parallel Test execution using Selenium IDE, Selenium WebDriver, **TestNG & Cucumber.**
- Facilitated release planning, sprint planning, and retrospectives and responsible for creating tasks and writing stories in **JIRA**.
- Experienced in all phases of Quality Assurance such as **Test Planning, Estimation, Requirement Analysis, Design, Defect Management & Reporting**
- Hands on experience for build configuration on **Maven** and **Jenkins** for backend development.
- Involved in **Defect management** process.
- Timely reporting of Status / Risks / Issues to client by direct interaction in Client Status Calls/ Scrum calls and by status emails.
- Spearheaded the entire certification drive to the team to have them certified in various avenue avenues such as agile, domain and other technical aspects.
- Preparation of **Daily Status Report (DSR), Weekly Status Report (WSR)**
- Possess excellent interpersonal, communication & analytical skills with demonstrated abilities in customer relationship management.
- Work experience in both **Waterfall and Agile** methodologies.

Skills Summary:

- Operating Systems   :   Windows 7-11.
- Languages   :   Java, HTML, JavaScript
- Other Packages   :   MS Office.
- Databases   :   SQL Server, DB2
- Process   :   Testing Life Cycle, Defect Management.
- Testing Tools   :   Selenium, Eclipse, JIRA
- Development Tools   :   Eclipse ,Jenkins, GIT repository.
- Frameworks   :   Hybrid Framework, Data driven Framework, Spring MVC and Behavior driven development frameworks
- Domain   :   ERP , Annuities & Life insurance.

Educational Qualification:

Title of the Degree with Branch	College/University	Year of Passing	Percentage
Bachelor of Engineering (Computer Science)	Govt College of Engineering - Bargur	2017	75%
HSC	Malco Vidyalaya Matric Higher Secondary School	2013	90%
SSLC	Malco Vidyalaya Matric Higher Secondary School	2011	92%

Roles & Responsibilities:

• Collaborated with all key stakeholders in the agile processes, Quality Engineering and development processes.

• Responsible for the automation initiatives, deriving strategy, planning, working with automation COE and Engineering Excellence for implementation and maintenance of the automated testing.

• Attending Scrum of Scrums and facilitating PI Planning, Sprint Planning, Sprint Demo, Sprint Retrospective in Agile World. Attending Project Management Review and Audits for the Project in the Waterfall Methodology.

Work Experience:

● Working as Associate in Cognizant Technology Solutions from **Dec 2021** to **Present**

Project 1: Foresight Implementation- Strategic Insurance Business	
Client	New York life Insurance
Role	Senior Test Analyst
Period	March 2021 to Jan 2024
Tools	Selenium WebDriver, TestNG, Practitest, Cucumber, Java, Eclipse, Agile, SQL, JIRA, Git, iConnect, StreamDiff, DocDiff, TestBench.

Project Description:

The primary goal of New York Life's illustration system project is to define and create a competitive advantage for New York Life that is sustainable for the long-term future. The focus is on enhancing product delivery capabilities by improving speed to market and reducing maintenance overhead and designing and implementing technology solutions that will maintain illustration capability and data integrity required for all product life cycles.

The program vision is to build the next generation tool that will assure NYL Agents have a world class illustration and presentation system that is easy to use, provides superior output, and is a system on which users can be effectively trained. This system will provide our Agents the competitive advantage they have today with the added benefit of future flexibility and a more modern, technologically advanced application.

Foresight is the Insurance domain product and New York Life Illustration System (NYLIS) built on it and it produces illustrations for Life, Annuity, Long term care and disability products for various requirements.

Project 2: HUE	
Client	HUE
Role	Quality Analyst
Period	June 2017- Aug 2020
Tools	Selenium IDE, Eclipse

Project Description:

HUE is an ERP product where we do continuous Testing & Development in multiple products like Cost, Payroll, Manufacturing as Functional testing, Scenario Testing, Regression , Unit , Batch Testing.

Infoview's ERP system offers accounting, invoicing, and time tracking tools for businesses of all sizes. It also allows businesses to track costs, invoicing, and reconciliation on the go.

Infoview also offers a range of development services to meet the needs of organizations across different sectors and verticals.

Achievements:

Recognized as "**A remarkable Consistent performer" in 2022.**

Recognized as "**Working as one**" **in 2021.**

Personal Details:

Name   :   Akshya Abishek.

Date of Birth   :   27-May-1996

Marital Status.   :   Married

Nationality   :   India

Languages Known:English, Hindi , Kannada and Tamil.

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