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Professional Summary

Dynamic technology leader with extensive experience in shaping and executing technology strategies. Proven track record in developing scalable platforms and managing high-performing engineering teams. Adept at driving innovation and overseeing technical operations, with a focus on data security and compliance. Seeking to leverage strategic mindset and technical expertise as Chief Technology Officer at Ambiance.

Work Experience

IBM   2023 - Present
Senior Director of AI Strategy

As the Senior Director of AI Strategy at IBM, I was responsible for spearheading the integration of artificial intelligence into our core business processes and product offerings. My role involved defining a comprehensive AI strategy that aligned with IBM's broader objectives, ensuring we remained at the forefront of technology innovation.

I led cross-functional teams in the development of AI-driven solutions that enhanced operational efficiency and improved customer experiences. Collaborating with data scientists, engineers, and business leaders, I cultivated a culture of innovation and experimentation, encouraging teams to leverage cutting-edge technologies such as machine learning and natural language processing.

A crucial aspect of my position was evaluating emerging AI technologies and their potential impact on our market positioning. I also established robust partnerships with academic institutions and industry leaders to foster knowledge exchange and drive collaborative projects.

Ultimately, my objective was to position IBM as a leader in AI solutions while ensuring ethical considerations and compliance were at the forefront of our strategy. This role demanded a blend of strategic vision, technical acumen, and exceptional leadership skills to navigate the complexities of AI integration in a rapidly evolving landscape.

Education

Lamar University   2013 - 2015
masters

Certifications

Google   2013-01-10
Certificate

Skills

Strategic Leadership, Technical Expertise, Scalable Platform Development, Team Building, Data Security, Compliance Best Practices, Innovation Management, Technical Operations Oversight, Emerging Technology Evaluation, Cross-Functional Collaboration, Agile Methodologies, Problem Solving, Communication Skills, Project Management, Risk Management.