

# Phaneendra Kumar N

Senior Project Manager

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## PROFILE SUMMARY

Accomplished Senior Project Manager with over 18 years of experience in steering intricate IT projects to deliver exceptional operational outcomes. Expertise in Agile methodologies foster effective collaboration, ensuring projects align seamlessly with strategic business goals. Proficiency in risk management and resource allocation drives timely project delivery while enhancing quality assurance standards. A commitment to continuous improvement and process optimization propels innovation, ensuring stakeholder satisfaction at every stage. Leveraging a robust background in project life cycles, poised to lead teams toward achieving remarkable success.

## PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

- Project Planning
- Agile Methodologies
- Stakeholder Management
- Communication Management
- Schedule Management
- Team Leadership
- Reporting and Analytics
- KPI Tracking
- Project Governance
- Quality Assurance
- Budget and Time Management
- Strategic Planning
- Change Management
- Adaptability

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### IVY Comptech, Hyderabad

#### Senior Project Manager

March, 2019 – Feb, 2025

- Managed the successful roll out of the new gaming platform during seasons, training services teams to achieve 90% adoption rate within 3 months, leading 20% increase in sales.
- Optimized project resource allocation during organization restructuring using predictive analytics, resulting 20% project overruns and 10% improvement in efficiency.
- Implemented an agile project management approach across the Eng & QA departments, increasing the project delivery and quality speed by 25% and the satisfaction rate from 60% to 85%.
- Lead Cross-functional team of 30+ professionals in delivering web-based applications across regions.
- Leveraged my distributed teams effectively with prior planning which lead to delivering the application migrations ahead of scheduled release, resulting in \$80K cost savings.
- Managing the counterpart stakeholders and providing on-side leadership for project team by building and motivating members to meet the goals.
- Preparing quarterly QBR reports & metric reports per allocation
- Managing two framework level products with respect to delivery and quality maintenance.
- Developed comprehensive project plans, identifying risks and mitigation strategies for timely completion.
- Monitored project progress, identified risks, and implemented corrective measures to ensure successful delivery.
- Adapted quickly to unexpected challenges or obstacles during project execution, devising creative solutions without compromising objectives.



## SKILLS

### Technical Skills:

- Java
- MS SQL Server
- AWS
- Jenkins
- Micro Services
- Docker
- CI/CD
- Sonar Qube
- Microsoft Planner
- Oracle
- HTML
- GitHub
- Actimize RCM
- Selenium WebDriver
- ETL/ Datawarehouse

### Project Methodologies:

- Scrum
- Kanban
- SAFE
- TDD/BDD
- Predictive
- Hybrid
- Jira
- Confluence

- Demonstrated excellence in managing teams through requirements gathering, design, implementation, and deployment.
- Facilitated knowledge sharing and skill development workshops for project team members, enhancing capabilities and project outcomes.
- Improved stakeholder communication by establishing regular update meetings and clear reporting channels, resulting in increased trust and partnership.
- Developed strong working relationships with internal and external stakeholders, building trust and credibility to facilitate smooth collaboration on shared goals.
- Led strategic initiatives and change management processes, driving organizational improvements in efficiency, business processes, and successful project transitions.
- Negotiated contracts with vendors and suppliers, securing favorable terms while ensuring collaboration and adherence to project goals.
- Proactively identified risks and implemented mitigation strategies and resolving team conflicts to ensure smooth execution and maintain high morale.
- Enhanced client satisfaction and loyalty by delivering projects that consistently exceeded expectations in terms of quality, timeline, and budget.

## Barclays Technologies, Pune

### Senior Test Analyst

July,2013 – March,2019

- Managed QA team by assigning tasks, tracking deliverables, and overseeing end-to-end testing, including test planning, execution, reporting, and defect triages.
- Participate in daily scrum calls, sprint planning and sprint retrospective with project stakeholders.
- Carried out testing pertaining to field size validation, constraints, data mapping and data integrity of Data Warehouse as per mapping requirement using ETL testing.
- Preparation and execution of SQL Scripts for data validation and ETL transformation logics.
- Extensively tested several Business Objects.
- Created and implemented Automation Framework using Selenium WebDriver, JAVA.
- Writing, reviewing, and maintaining Selenium WebDriver scripts for smoke, regression and functional testing using Hybrid framework.
- Involved in planning the testing activities and carrying testing in Agile-scrum methodology using JIRA.
- Involved in analyzing the production issues and providing resolutions.

## PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE

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| <b>Mahindra Satyam</b>       | Test Lead            | Oct,2012 – Jul,2013 |
| <b>Mphasis an HP Company</b> | Senior Test Engineer | May,2007 – Aug,2012 |
| <b>GCI Solutions Pvt Ltd</b> | Quality Engineer     | May,2006 – Apr,2007 |

## Education

- Bachelor of Computer Science from Andhra university