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Qualifications Profile

Fintech professional experienced in leading new product development, project management, and enterprise-wide system implementations. A hands-on leader with advanced analytical, problem-solving, and team building skills. Certified Python programmer with a keen interest in Web3 and decentralized Finance.

Areas of Expertise

- Project Management Professional (PMP)
- Business Analysis and Consulting
- Data Modeling
- JavaScript and Python Development
- Agile Software Development, Implementation & Testing
- Business Analysis and Consulting
- Capital Markets, Derivative Products, Trading, and Risk Management
- Fixed Income, Equity, Credit, Commodity, and Interest Rate Derivatives
- Front, Middle, and Back Office Operations

Professional Experience

ESI Inc., New York, NY

June 2018–Present

Jan 2011- Jan 2016

Project Manager/Business Analyst

Project Manager/Business Analyst:

- Initiate, plan and execute projects with a budget of \$5MM-\$12MM in size
- Build and lead cross functional implementation teams of 10-25 business and technical consultants
- Track and analyze project budget and regularly communicate progress to all stakeholders
- Manage project schedule and delivery timelines, ensuring high quality and timely deliverables
- Identify, communicate, and mitigate project risks
- Build and maintain client/ stakeholder relationships at all levels of the organization
- Collect and analyze users' requirements for system features and functionality

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- Evaluate process workflows, perform gap analysis, develop, and recommend solutions
- Write detailed Business Requirement and Functional Specification documents

Key Engagement- Bitcarbon.com/TheDiamondStandard.com (August 2018-May 2019)

- Advisor to CEO of a blockchain startup creating the world's first diamond commodity /digital asset (NFT) and online Institutional Diamond Exchange. Defined system, interface, and resource requirements for blockchain, robotics, hardware security (HSM) development and ERP configuration.

Previous Clients include - Bank of New York/Bridgewater Associates, Bank of Montreal, JP Morgan Chase US Bank, SunGard Systems, DTCC

OpenLink Financial, New York, NY

Principal Consultant

Jan 2016–June 2018

- Provided leadership and solution expertise, driving successful project implementation while ensuring customer satisfaction, contributing to best practices of the group, and mentoring other team members
- Led a team of business consultants on implementation projects in multiple functional areas including Interest Rate Derivatives, Fixed Income, Equity Derivatives, Credit Derivatives, and Money Market instruments across front, middle, and back-office areas
- Facilitated Project Scoping and Requirements Gathering, sessions and created Business Requirement Documents (BRD), Functional Specification Documents, (FSD) and Best Practice Documents in functional areas; conducted client training sessions

Calypso Technology, New York, NY

Project Manager

Jan 2007–Jan 2011

- Built and managed global cross functional project teams; providing business analysis, system configuration, custom software development, and testing for Hedge Fund, Insurance, and Asset Management clients
- Managed project schedule and delivery timelines; Ensured milestones were met and progress communicated internally and externally

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- Established and maintained client relationships at all levels of the organization.

Education

Master of Science in Industrial Psychology/Organizational Behavior

City University of New York, Baruch College, New York, NY

Master of Business Administration in Financial Management

Pace University, New York, NY

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Finance

State University of New York, Buffalo, NY

Skills

Technical Skills

- JavaScript, Python, SQL
- JIRA, Slack, Confluence
- Office 365, MS Project, Access, SQL Server, Visual Basic, SharePoint, MS Dynamics
- Blockchain/Ethereum/Smart Contracts/ Crypto Currency/NFT

Certifications

- Project Manager Professional (PMP) Certification
- Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association (SIFMA) Series 7
- PCEP – Certified Entry-Level Python Programmer, Python Institute

Training

- C/C++ Programming in the Unix Environment, Pace University, New York, NY
- Dale Carnegie Foundation Course
- Blockchain Applications, Duke University - Graduate School of Engineering
- Computer Science for Python Programming – Harvard University