

# Georg Hermann Praßl

TECHNICAL DELIVERY LEAD

## Details

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## Skills

Technical Leadership & Team Enablement

Agile Delivery & Project Management

Solution Architecture & Full-Stack Engineering

IT Operations & Infrastructure Ownership

Business & Stakeholder Management

## Languages

German

English

Norwegian

## Links

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## Hobbies

Climbing, Mountaineering,  
Skydiving

## Profile

Senior IT leader and full-stack engineer with 10+ years across Enterprise IT and automotive manufacturing. Combine hands-on engineering (Angular, TypeScript, Node.js/.NET, SQL, Keycloak) with Agile delivery (Scrum, SAFe), stakeholder management, and conflict resolution to align technology with business outcomes. As BRM/IT consultant and project lead, led a local datacenter transformation—optimizing scope and vendor model to cut a planned 5-year budget from €1.5M to €170k while maintaining SLAs and operational stability. Track record of modernizing platforms, introducing CI/CD, and motivating high-performing teams; recognized for lateral leadership and clear communication from shop floor to C-level.

## Employment History

### IT and Software Professional, Mercedes-Benz G GmbH, Graz

JUN 2024 – PRESENT

- **Business Relationship Manager & IT Consultant (Engineering)**
  - **Lateral Leadership:** Bridged Engineering and IT departments, aligning conflicting stakeholder interests with strategic business goals.
  - **Conflict Resolution:** Navigated departmental silos and high-pressure negotiations to streamline digitalization roadmaps.
  - **Team Building:** Mentored cross-functional project teams and motivated external providers to exceed SLA requirements.
- **Project Lead | Datacenter Transformation**
  - **Strategic Optimization:** Re-engineered a 5-year project scope, slashing the planned budget from €1.5M to €170k (88% saving) while maintaining full operational stability.
  - **Stakeholder Management:** Influenced executive buy-in for lean infrastructure by prioritizing critical requirements over legacy "nice-to-haves."
  - **Operations Oversight:** Primary lead for datacenter operations and third-party service provider management.
- **Full-Stack Developer**
  - **End-to-End Delivery:** Architected and deployed scalable apps using Angular, Node.js, and MSSQL with Keycloak authentication.
  - **Tech Stack:** TypeScript, SCSS, Jest, Express.
  - **Agile Leadership:** Championed Agile practices to accelerate development cycles and increase team transparency.

### Full Stack Developer, Rockets Investments GmbH, Graz

FEB 2022 – MAY 2024

- **Change Management:** Led the high-impact re-branding initiative and successfully migrated legacy JSP web architecture to Angular, improving performance and scalability.
- **IAM Modernization:** Spearheaded the implementation of Ory Kratos as the new enterprise Identity and Access Management (IAM) framework.
- **Backend & DevOps:** Optimized legacy Java backends and introduced GitLab CI/CD pipelines to automate deployments and increase release velocity.
- **Infrastructure Leadership:** Orchestrated office relocation technical strategy; designed network infrastructure and negotiated high-value ISP contracts and tariffs.
- **Operational Standardization:** Transformed workplace operations by creating a centralized hardware/software inventory and standardizing the employee onboarding process.

## **Full Stack Developer, DCCS GmbH, Graz**

AUG 2019 – JAN 2022

- Full stack developer
- Back-end: .NET Framework
- Front-end: React, React Native, Angular, Dojo Toolkit
- Worked with Scrum methods
- Regularly attending at sprint planning, daily stand-ups, story estimating
- Worked on different projects, from small two to three months projects to large three years projects for customers in Austria and Germany

## **System administrator and Test planner, Magna Steyr, Graz**

APR 2017 – JUL 2019

- Support and further development of the company's internal manufacturing management system (MMS).
- Responsible for the connection of new production systems to the MMS
- 3rd Level Support
- Training of new employees at the MMS
- Part of planning-team to decide and plan new production lines

## **Teamleader, Magna Steyr, Graz**

FEB 2016 – MAR 2017

- Led 20 employees on the night shift; ensured output quality and safety compliance.
- Produced daily shift reports and optimized resource allocation.
- Resolved conflicts and strengthened team cohesion; partnered with project managers on cost and resource strategies.

## **Soldier KIOP/KPE, Austrian Army, Klagenfurt am Wörthersee**

MAY 2012 – JAN 2016

- KIOP/KPE soldier with a 6-month KFOR deployment in Kosovo.
- Worked in multinational teams under high-pressure conditions, adhering to strict safety and communication protocols.

## **Body shop technician, Magna Steyr, Graz**

SEPT 2008 – APR 2012

- Apprenticeship
- Technician in production

## **Education**

### **Diplom-Ingenieur, FH Joanneum, Graz**

OCT 2021 – OCT 2023

Software and Digital Experience Engineering

### **Bachelor of Science in Engineering, FH Campus 02, Graz**

OCT 2018 – JUL 2021

Business Software Development

### **A level certification, HTBV4A Bulme Graz, Graz**

SEPT 2016 – SEPT 2018

Evening school with graduation in German, English, mathematics and mechanical engineering

## Certifications & Courses

**Certified SAFe 6 Agilist**

OCT 2025

**Certified IPMA Level D**

MAY 2020

**ITIL v4 Foundation**

MAY 2021

**Sicherheitsvertrauensperson, AUVA**

MAR 2018