

IT Support Analyst II IT Support Analyst II Project Manager Dallas, TX Experienced analyst with a successful career in project management, information technology and business development Excellent at interfacing with others at all levels to ensure organizational goals are attained An effective manager with the skills necessary to direct, train, and motivate staff to its fullest potential

Work Experience IT Support Analyst II State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company - Richardson, TX February 2019 to Present Provide first contact technical support for hardware, software, procedures, password resets, etc. via the telephone, email, and/or the internet/intranet Uses knowledge-base and documentation systems to troubleshoot, resolve, document, and/or research incidents Follows and supports workforce management, service management, and incident handling procedures and philosophy to resolve business partner's problems Responsible for diagnosing and documenting customer's technical and "How To" problems and resolving, educating, escalating or assigning problems to appropriate area Educates customer on how to avoid future related problems and may serve as customer's contact for status and/or customer concurrence of problem resolution Understands and supports the vision and strategy of the department to meet the objectives of the company Identifies, resolves, escalates or assigns routine incidents with limited direction Understands and serves as a resource for complex first contact technical incidents

IT Project Manager BayMark Health Services - Lewisville, TX December 2018 to February 2019 Coordinated with third party vendors for deployment of IT equipment i.e., phone systems, internet cabling, WAP s, laptops/desktops to clinics Software installs, upgrades Performed on-site due diligence at various clinic Datacenter governance/migrations Post-deployment support for migrations, upgrades Created tracking system for project deployments Presented at meetings updates of deployments and their various stages Design technical developments with technical team Implement software life-cycle methodology Develop and maintain information technology plans which outline project status individual tasks, milestones, completion estimates, and resource allocation Coordinate roll-out of beta and production releases Inspect projects for quality assurance Ensure customer satisfaction through post- project debrief with clients Document all estimates, project statuses, and project completion paperwork Project

Manager (Contract) PNC Bank - Plano, TX April 2018 to August 2018 Managing projects, developing project plans, and monitoring performance IT project management Datacenter governance/Issue management Distribution of SSAE 16 and 18 SOC reports Address questions from internal and external audits and examinations Evaluating business processes, anticipating requirements, uncovering areas for improvement, and developing and implementing solutions Leading ongoing reviews of business processes and developing optimization strategies Staying up-to-date on the latest process and IT advancements to automate and modernize systems Performing requirements analysis Documenting and communicating the results of efforts Effectively communicating insights and plans to cross-functional team members and management Gathering critical information from meetings with various stakeholders and producing useful reports Working closely with clients, technicians, and managerial staff Allocating resources and maintaining cost efficiency Ensuring solutions meet business needs and requirements Performing user acceptance testing Updating, implementing and maintaining procedures Prioritizing initiatives based on business needs and requirements Serving as a liaison between stakeholders and users Managing competing resources and priorities Determine operational objectives by studying business functions; gathering information; evaluating output requirements and formats Construct workflow charts and diagrams; studying system capabilities; writing specifications Improve systems by studying current practices; designing modifications Recommend controls by identifying problems; writing improved procedures Define project requirements by identifying project milestones, phases and elements; forming project team; establishing project budget Monitor project progress by tracking activity; resolving problems; publishing progress reports; recommending actions Maintain user confidence and protect operations by keeping information confidential Prepare technical reports by collecting, analyzing and summarizing information and trends Contribute to team effort by accomplishing related results as needed Validate resource requirements and develop cost estimate models Conduct and coordinate financial, product, market, operational and related research to support strategic and business planning within the various departments and programs of the client group Interpret,

evaluate and interrelate research data and develop integrated business analyses and projections for incorporation into strategic decision-making Plan and coordinate the development of primary and secondary market research studies in support of strategic planning and specific marketing initiatives, as required and presents findings of studies to client committees Perform daily, weekly and monthly reviews and analyses of current processes using operational metrics and reports Review a variety of areas including operations, purchasing, inventory, distribution and facilities Understand and communicate the financial and operational impact of any changes Suggest changes to senior management using analytics to support your recommendations. Actively participate in the implementation of approved changes Create informative, actionable and repeatable reporting that highlights relevant business trends and opportunities for improvement Conduct insightful, ad hoc analyses to investigate ongoing or one-time operational issues

IT Project Manager (Contract) USPI - Dallas, TX January 2018 to April 2018 Management of IT security and IT risk (e.g., data systems, network and/or web) across the enterprise Address questions from internal and external audits and examinations Serve as project manager/lead within IT security projects Single point of contact for IT-related end-user issues/request Promote awareness of applicable regulatory standards, upstream risks and industry best Practices across the enterprise Assesses information risk and facilitates remediation of identified vulnerabilities with the entire network, systems and applications Reports on findings and recommendations for corrective action Performs vulnerability assessments as assigned utilizing IT security tools and methodologies Facilitates and monitors performance of risk remediation tasks, changes related to risk mitigation & reports on findings Maintains oversight of IT and vendors regarding the security maintenance of their systems and applications The IT Security/Risk Analyst assists in all IT audits, IT risk assessments and regulatory compliance Identifies opportunities to reduce risk and documents remediation options regarding acceptance or mitigation of risk scenarios

Project Coordinator State Farm - Dallas, TX September 2017 to January 2018 Provides second level support to resolve complex problems with products and applications by meeting customer service standards (i.e., displaying a positive attitude, actively listening, taking ownership, leveraging knowledge,

communicating clearly) Interfaced with business partners and vendors to determine their technical needs, design and recommend integrated technical solutions, and implement of cost effective network solutions while protecting the stability of the network Windows 7 to Windows 10 migration

Single point of contact (SPOC) for IT-related end-user issues/request Define reporting and alerting requirements Gathers and develops requirements for process or system solutions by interfacing key stakeholders and appropriate teams Responsible for implementing, integrating, and supporting infrastructure with technical applications and related vendor software & hardware.

Report on common sources of technical issues or questions and make recommendations to product team AVP, IT Project Manager IV Bank of America - Plano, TX March 2016 to November 2016

Design document templates for use by the software application Review federal, regional and industry requirements for the definition and management of the required set of documents for the applications Interpret regulations as published by both government regulatory agencies Define

and develop customer documents based on the business requirements of the customer using rich text format (RTF) syntax Coordinate project management activities, resources, equipment and information Break projects into doable actions and set time frames Develop documents for use in customer projects Liaise with clients to identify and define requirements, scope and objectives

Assign tasks to internal teams and assist with schedule management Make sure that clients' needs are met as projects evolve Help prepare budgets Analyze risks and opportunities

Oversee project procurement management Monitor project progress and handle any issues that arise Act as the point of contact and communicate project status to all participants Work with the Project Manager to eliminate blockers Use tools to monitor working hours, plans and expenditures

Issue all appropriate legal paperwork (e.g. contracts and terms of agreement) Create and maintain comprehensive project documentation, plans and reports Ensure standards and requirements are met through conducting quality assurance tests Process claims and invoice

clients Track billing or claims issues and exceptions Mortgage loan processing Follow up with borrower within set timeframe Collaborate with loan officer on any issues Audit and review all third party documentation Process transactions in one or more of the company's internal

operations to support domestic and international consumer, commercial and wholesale bank businesses or services functions Maintains internal operational and financial controls and ensures they meet bank standards Ensures quality service and effective and efficient operations support for the assigned area's internal business partners and/or external customers/clients IT Project Manager Research Now - Plano, TX December 2015 to March 2016 Understands project plans and clearly articulates roles, project goals, and timelines Conduct market research, benchmarking research, user survey and other research as assigned Liaison between clients, vendors and other technical groups to resolve simple to complex infrastructure issues Develop and maintain a detailed understanding of business processes and applications, policy and procedure Assist with analysis, design, testing, system documentation and user training Ensures all vested parties are informed of issues and the necessary remedies. If any issues are identified, work with the appropriate parties to make corrections Manage incoming chats via Live Chat Respond to tickets regarding variety of questions/concerns. Meet with technical leads, business relationship managers to gather and compose documentation, diagrams, and process flows Supports business owners in identifying specific business problems and the associated application system needs and services Interviews business areas for the purpose of defining business needs and priorities and assists the business owner by translating these needs into functional specifications by performing further analysis Manages work plan to ensure the timely completion of functional specifications for either new systems or major enhancements Develops proposals that will provide the most appropriate solutions to solve a business need Works to identify the root cause of problems while actively searching for solutions to resolve complex issues Analyzes and evaluates projected workflow improvements and cost reductions attributable to new or improved systems to ensure that they are achievable Accurately employs line of business methodology and documentation tools Proactively carries out project support /administrative functions Managed workflow ticketing system & ensure SLAs were met AVP; Mortgage Servicing Project Manager Bank of America - Plano, TX April 2000 to June 2015 Project Management/Implementation Business Analysis Root Cause Analysis Business controls monitoring Change Management

Vendor/Asset/Inventory Management Strategic Planning/Reporting Risk Assessment/Remediation/Compliance Variable Data Analysis Process improvement/analysis

Work with leadership to formulate the tactical plan to meet the strategic direction of Infrastructure Operations team Support automated methodologies for build activities in Infrastructure Operations

Maintain installation and configuration procedures, and drive automation around these areas

Support the efforts for cross-training and collaboration with other members of the Infrastructure Operations team Develop shared knowledge of leveraged tools on the Infrastructure Operations team, eliminating single points of knowledge and dependencies Work with IT management to establish and support technical policies and procedures Drive compliance and security efforts related to systems managed by the Infrastructure Operations Team Drive improved "Time To Value" using consistent and documented procedures Support and continuously improve upon methods to improve availability of infrastructure services Work with the Project Managers and Infrastructure Coordinators on project progress, issues and solutions Hardware/Software determination, workstation consulting and configuration Intake through Post-Implementation of the Project Delivery Life Cycle Understands Software Development Life Cycle policies (SDLC) and procedures Communicate effectively and persuasively in a business context End-to-End UAT(User Acceptance Testing) Use software, analytical tools and techniques and business process knowledge to analyze business problems and to formulate solutions Researches and documents organizational reviews, workflow analysis Design and develop project deliverables Identify key drivers through structured analysis and conceptual thinking to effectively probe problems and causes Analyze current Fulfillment/Operations processes and provides legal recommendations on policies & procedures related to all Fulfillment functions; completes research on investor requirements to support recommendations Act as a liaison between the business and external counsel to provide legal recommendations Present at team and client meetings, and determine the most practical way to drive lasting results based on insight and analysis Structure and perform analysis and conduct primary research to uncover insights, identify and validate value creation opportunities

Education High school or equivalent Skills PROJECT MANAGEMENT (10+

years), ACCESS (10+ years), AS400 (10+ years), EMPLOYEE RESOURCE GROUP (10+ years), ENCRYPTION (10+ years), Help Desk, Desktop Support, Helpdesk Support, Active Directory, Customer Support, Call Center, Comptia, Estimating, maintenance, Scheduling, Auto CAD, Word, budget, Outlook, Customer Service, Microsoft Project, Sales, SDLC, PMP, Waterfall, PM, Scrum Master, Information Technology, Itil, Software Development, CSM, Service Desk, MAC, Tech Support Links <https://www.linkedin.com/in/james-powe-a82350108> Certifications/Licenses PMP Present Six Sigma Green Belt Present MS Project Present A valid IT Specialist certification Additional Information Technical Skills MS Office Suite (PowerPoint, Word, Excel, Access, Project, One Note, Visio, Outlook) Office365-Expert AS400/iSeries, Visio, Agile, SharePoint, HP Service Manager, McAfee Hardware Encryption, MDT, JIRA, FileZilla, ERP, Salesforce.com, SQL, Active Directory, Power Shell, Windows 7,10, SCRUM, Clarity, Service Now, PPM Skills/Certifications Six Sigma-Green Belt PMP (Project Management Professional) MS Project

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