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Senior Engineering Manager

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EXPERIENCE

Solution & Data, Program Manager

01/2024 - Present

Open Reply

Bremen-Remote

Leading a specialized business unit focused on end-to-end product delivery for enterprise digital transformation and data solutions.

- o Strategic Client Leadership for OBI (€7B revenue retailer):
 - · Managing end-to-end digital transformation initiatives, including solution partnering and customer journey platforms
 - · Managing solution architects consulting on SaaS migrations with 60K+ daily transactions
 - · Migrating 200+ business-critical Excel workflows to cloud solutions
- o Business Unit Development & Team Leadership:
 - · Managing a 30+ person cross-functional business unit with €4M+ in annual revenue
 - · Oversessing full-stack delivery across mobile, infrastructure, frontend, and & backend with DORA and SPACE frameworks
- o Product & Platform Innovation:
 - · Led teams improving client data insights in a new survey analytics platform for PORSCHE
 - · Managed teams improving Power BI Data Analytics and UX for Daimler Trucks
 - · Managed and actively contributed to development of 360 customer experience for OBI

Web Applications, Engineering Manager

01/2022 - 12/2023

Open Reply

Bremen-Remote

Leading Teams focusing on modern web applications and connected platforms.

- Scaled engineering organization:
 - · Managed 40+ engineers across 3 enterprise accounts
 - · Mentored 3 account managers handling €5M+ in annual revenue
 - · Achieved 20% revenue growth through improved delivery processes (DORA)
- o Delivered major platform launches:
 - · Led **heyOBI loyalty platform** development (€2M+ project)
 - · Architected micro frontend system handling 100K+ daily users.
 - · Lead **UX improvements** which increased online sales by 20% within first quarter
- Established engineering excellence:
 - · Implemented CI/CD, reducing deployment time by 60%
 - · Achieved 99.9% platform availability through infrastructure improvements
 - · Design of Webdocker as a micro frontend framework delivering on demand, now available as a permissive open-source asset

Chief Technology Officer

07/2020 - 12/2021

SCALARA SaaS

Cologne

Innovative, compliance-driven SaaS tailored for the property managers. Automating complex property operations enables streamline workflows

- o Launched a successful campaign as part of the founder team, securing seed funding and scaling the organization to 14 operationally active experts in two agile teams
- o Collaborated in business analysis of property management, accounting, and marketplace
- o Organised multiple workshops on application life-cycle management
- o Coordinated the development team and product owner around toolsets such as Story Mapping, Magic Estimations, Backlog Grooming, and Sprint Plannings
- o Designed and developed the Cloud-Infrastructure based on AWS cloud services from the initial launch to servicing multiple enterprise clients, implementing robust multi-tenant architecture and automated CI/CI
- o Developed hiring plans for teams and clients to ensure effective product teams



SUMMARY

Engineering Manager with 9+ years of experience leading distributed teams and scaling SaaS platforms. Proven track record of managing engineering managers and delivering enterprise solutions across multiple industries. Skilled in building scalable cloud infrastructures, mentoring cross-functional teams, and driving digital transformation initiatives that generate measurable business impact.

SKILLS

Engineering Leadership

Managing distributed teams (20-40 people) • setting technical vision • coordinating across time zones

Program Management

agile transformation • release planning roadmap development
OKR implementation • team scaling • capacity planning • budget management (€5M+) • hiring strategy

Stakeholder Management

c-level reporting • cross-functional alignment • vendor/partner relationships

Change Management

digital transformation • process optimization • organizational restructuring

Risk Management

compliance frameworks • security protocols • contingency planning

Product Strategy

requirements engineering • feature prioritization

Delivery Excellence

CI/CD implementation • quality metrics

SLA management

Software Engineer

01/2019 - 06/2020 **RISE SaaS** Cologne

A SaaS platform that bridges the gap between remote and on-site support for industrial services. Designed to empower technical experts, RISE offers advanced remote assistance solutions that enhance service, reduce operational costs, and improve customer satisfaction.

- o Coordinated the development team and product owner around modern agile tool sets, increasing team velocity by 10%
- o Maintained and modernized RISE Remote Support software stack with a test-driven approach
- o Designed and deployed self-hosted scalable CI and CD pipelines in a Kubernetes cluster
- Implemented multiple React Native plugins for Android and iOS
- Established automated testing paradigms and built-in quality mindset
- o Designed and deployed self-hosted scalable modular CI and CD pipelines based on GitHub actions, assessing multiple scenarios (Canary release and Blue-green)

Lead Software Engineer

01/2015 - 01/2019

Dear Reality Dusseldorf

Leader in immersive audio, providing advanced spatial audio solutions that create realistic 3D soundscapes for sound engineers, broadcasters, and musicians in VR/AR.

- o Designed and implemented a VR mixing console, Spatial Connect, enabling intuitive gesture-controlled positioning and automation of audio tracks in a virtual 3D space
- Led the complete overhaul of dearVR core engine with a strong focus on performance optimization based on Google benchmarks
- Educated the team on agile practices and Extreme Programming paradigm, emphasizing continuous integration, frequent deliveries, and close collaboration between developers and stakeholders39
- Coordinated with product owners on business-value-oriented development strategies, aligning with the company's focus on creating high-quality immersive audio experiences

Research Assistant

01/2012 - 01/2015

Chair of Fluid Dynamics, University of Siegen

Siegen

Under Prof. Holger Foysi, this research role involved creating high-performance computational tools to model complex fluid-structure interactions.

- Designed and implemented a massively parallel computation engine for simulating Fluid-Structure interactions
- o Implemented a Finite Element Method FEM solver using dealii framework (C++) for simulation of structural deformations, crucial for analyzing complex geometries and materials in biological and engineering applications
- o Designed and implemented a Lattice-Boltzmann solver to simulate viscous fluid flows, providing numerical stability and easy treatment of fluid-solid interfaces
- o Consulted multiple master students during their studies, contributing to the educational mission of the department

Research Assistant

01/2010 - 01/2011

Institute of Heat and Mass Transfer, RWTH Aachen

Aachen

Under Dr. Georg F. Dietze, conducted high-precision numerical simulations and experimental validations of free-surface flows.

- o Carried out numerical simulation of free-surface flows based on the Volume-Of-Fluid (VOF) technique, enabling accurate modeling of complex fluid interfaces
- Conducted successful thickness measurement of free-surface flows using laser-induced fluorescence, providing non-intrusive, high-resolution data on thin liquid films
- o Successfully validated experimental results with numerical simulations, ensuring the accuracy and reliability of the developed models for free-surface flow dynamics using OpenFOAM (C++)

Coding & Frameworks

Javascript Proficient · · · · · Typescript Proficient · · · · · Python Intermidiate • • • • Go Learning •••• Java Rusty ••••• C++ Rusty • • • • C# Rusty • • • • •

SQL • REST • GraphQL • React • Vue.js · Node.js · Nest.js · Spring Boot • HTML • CSS • Tensorflow • keras • PyTorch • Grafana • Webpack/vite •

Tools & Infrastructure

Git • AWS • Azure • K8s • Terraform • CI/CD • DevOps • BPMN JIRA

Data & Analytics

Data Warehousing • Azure Fabric • ETL/ELT Pipelines • Data Visualization • Spreadsheets • Data Modeling

LANGUAGES

English Proficient · · · · German Proficient · · · · Farsi Native Intermediate • • Spanish

CERTIFICATIONS

Deep Learning Specialization DeepLearning.AI - Coursera

Natural Language Processing DeepLearning.Al - Coursera

EDUCATION

M.Sc. 01/2012 Energy Eng. RWTH Aachen, Germany Thesis First- and second-order adjoint-based optimal control of a plane jet

B.Sc. 01/2009 Mechanical Eng. Amirkabir University Tehran,

Thesis Simulation of Heat convection and conduction of electrical transformer boxes.

INTERESTS

- Quantum Physics
- Organisation Theory
- Human Physiology
- Music Production
- Machine Learning