

# Arun Castromin Lawrance

## SENIOR TECHNOLOGY ARCHITECT

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## Traits

- Demonstrated Leadership (Led teams for top Tier Clients with 5000+ mandays of high quality deliverables)
- Business Analyst Acumen (Conceptualized & established multiple Business Processes)
- Technology Architect (Designed & Implemented Scalable, Reusable & Performance-Savvy Business Complex modules)
- Inclination to not settle with customary work culture, to add in flavors of creativity & always thrive to be an out-of-the box think-tank at work regimen.

## Experience

### Bank Of America (Jakarta, Indonesia and India)

#### As **Senior Technology Architect, Infosys (2019 - Present)**

- Front ending a data governance and interface transformation program working along an array of downstream partners and upstream Clients.
- Led the Business mapping stream vis-à-vis the Regulatory Reporting translation achieving 100% mappings and timely Business enablement of accurate report submissions amidst the parallel Legacy system transformation program.
- Strategized relevant Business processes in lines of Client Onboarding, enabling new Businesses and integrating new Regulatory norms within the Bank-in-a-box technology helping seamless Business continuation
- Led numerous Business meetings with stakeholders across the Bank - Operations, Streamleads, PMO, Compliance and Service providers, Solutioned multiple Reporting to Business conflicts thereby promising and ensuring BAU.
- Strategized and Designed multiple performance improvement elements, achieved a 5 x Business-volumes-ready reporting system certified by the Client.
- Led the Design changes and Performance enhancements resulting in 60% daily job execution times reductions.
- Designed Splunk User interfaces to be able to visualize and remediate potential system detrimental events (performance and functional) offering the quickest TAT for identification, resolutions and enhancements.
- Mentored and chiseled in a strong conglomerated team culture in terms of decision making, Business thinking, Knowledge sharing and Problem Solving skills amidst Business Analysts, Technology teams and Testers contributing to

progressive value additions to the Bank with numerous client appreciations as acknowledgment.

## **Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited**

### **As Project Manager, Latitude Fintech (2019)**

- Responsible for implementing Fintech Latitude's premiere tech savvy LOS product at Cholamandalam Finance Ltd ensuring successful all India go-live transformations contributing to a two-thirds reduction in their Client onboarding processes (end-end time, verifications & sanctioning) .

## **Standard Bank (South Africa & Nigeria)**

### **As Technology Architect & Project Manager, Edgeverve Systems (2012 to 2016)**

*The Standard Bank Group, Africa is a Tier-1 bank, one of the largest banking institutions in the African continent in terms of asset size and earnings and has its operations across 18 countries.*

- Participated and Managed Business discussions, Requirement gathering & Design Phases with Client.
- Trained and mentored fresh to hired talents in the Design, Build & Delivery phases (Product Customization).
- Strategized and Setup work standards, best practices and benchmarks for the Design and Build team as we went on to successfully implement over 1000+ mandays of 100% on-time deliverables.
- Managed a team of 3-18 members for the Enhancements Build and Delivery phase of the Project ensuring a 100% (< 2.5% DIR) on-time delivery.
- Planned, adapted and Led the Project into a successful CMMI Maturity level 4 assessment taking up the QA role additionally - this was a first in our Business Unit of Africa & Middle East Region of Projects.
- Acknowledged as the Client's most preferred Project Manager for my techno-functional capabilities along with my management stronghold.
- Earned an internal prestigious Team Award for the management, consistency, timeliness & code quality of one of the Build delivery phases.

**Role:** Project Manager (BPD, Customization Design, Build, Test & Support), Business Analyst, QA, Technology Architect, Senior Developer.

## **Emirates NBD (Dubai)**

### **As Team Lead, Project Manager, Infosys (2008 to 2012)**

*ENBD is one of the largest banking groups in the Middle East by assets. Emirates Bank International (EBI) & National Bank of Dubai (NBD) were 2 separate Banks when we partnered with EBI working towards the merger in 2007 along the way.*

- Strategized and Setup work standards, best practices and benchmarks for the Design and Build team as we went on to successfully implement over 3000+ mandays of 100% on-time deliverables.
- Served as a preferred techno-functional Project Manager offshore managing teams of sizes upto 18 at various points.
- Designed, built & implemented an array of reusable module components - cash denomination, teller reports, EOD

batch Jobs to name a few wherein the cash denomination module earned me an internal prestigious individual award.

- Strategized, Defined Processes and Led Release Management eliminating non-infra deployment issues by 100% - by Automating implementing checklists, code dynamics review, server deployment & server master checks.

**Role:** Senior Developer, Team Lead, Project Manager (BPD, Customization Design, Build & Support), Technology Architect.

### Bank Sohar

As **Software Developer, Infosys (2007)** (Reports Customization & Development)

### State Bank of India (Oversees)

As **Software Developer, Infosys (2006-2007)** (Core module Customization, Reports, Test & Support)

### Bank of Alexandria

As **Software Developer, Infosys (2004-2005)** (Core module Customization, Test & Support)

### Bank of India

As **Software Developer, Infosys (2004)** (Core module Customization)

## Timeline

JUN 2019 - PRESENT

**Infosys Ltd, Singapore** - *Technology Architect, Sr. Technology Architect*

FEB 2019 - APR 2019

**Latitude Fintech, Bangalore** - *Project Manager*

AUGUST 2015 - SEPTEMBER 2016

**Edgeverve Systems Ltd, Chennai** - *Technology Architect*

SEPTEMBER 2004 - AUGUST 2015

**Infosys Ltd, India** - *Software Engineer, Team Lead, Technology Architect*

## Forte

- Programming Languages: Scripting, JSP, Javascripts, PL/SQL (& Oracle), C, Unix
- Stronghold/Exposures in Banking/Finacle Modules: CASA, Retail & Commercial Loans, Cards, Clearing & Payments Systems, Regulatory Reporting, Third party Integrations, Liquidity Management System, EOD Operations.
- Well experienced in using JIRA, PMP & Splunk tools.
- Well experienced in Agile and Waterfall methodologies.

## CERTIFICATIONS

- ISO 31000 - Enterprise Risk Management for the Professional - Udemy
- Databricks accredited Lakehouse Fundamentals
- MicroStrategy for Business Intelligence - Udemy
- MicroStrategy Architect - Udemy
- Practical Solution Architecture - Udemy
- Currently pursuing IBM's Data Science Professional Certification

## ACADEMIA

**B.E (Electronics & Communication) , 2004**

Sathyabama College of Engineering,

Madras University