**Peter Uwhokori**

**SAFe Program Consultant (SPC)| Leading SAFe 4.5 | Enterprise Agile Coach| SAFe POPM**

**SAFe Advanced Scrum Master (4.6) | SAFe for Teams (4.6) |SAFe Scrum Master (4.6) | SAFe DevOps**

**Professional Scrum Master (PSM I, PSM II) |** **Professional Scrum Product Owner I (PSO I)**

**Microsoft Certified Solution Developer (MCSD) | BEng Software Engineering (Hon, University of Greenwich)**

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**Professional Summary**

SAFe Program Consultant (SPC), Agile Evangelist, Enterprise Agile Coach, with over 8 years’ experience in Scrum framework, Large scale agile transformation, SAFe implementation, Program Execution, Extreme Programming, LEAN, Kanban with a strong track record leading Agile transformation projects in complex, fast-paced environments, who came from Software development background to help Scrum teams, organizations to take on change through transition from traditional project delivery to agile project practices including start-up team, Software Development team, DevOps team, in different sectors range from banking sector, financial services, e-commerce, telecom, entrainment, Insurance, charity, oil & gas

I have in-depth knowledge and experience of the entire software development life cycle, release management cycle, Continuous Delivery Pipeline (Continuous Exploration, Continuous Integration, Continuous Deployment, and Release on Demand).

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| **Professional Skills & Expertise** | **Technical Skills and Technologies** |
| * SAFe implementation, Scrum, Kanban, LEAN, Extreme Programming, Waterfall project delivery * Leading an enterprise Lean-Agile transformation * Experience and Expertise in Continuous Delivery Pipeline (Continuous Exploration, Continuous integration, continuous deployment and Release on Demand) and DevOps | * Jira Administration, Confluences Administration and Rally administration * AWS Cloud Solution, MS Window Azure Cloud Services * Infrastructure as a Service (IAAS), Platform As a Service (PAAS), Software as a Service (SAAS) |
| * Outstanding Experience and skills in the Full - Software Development Life cycle (SDLC) and Release Management Life Cycle * Expertise in Release Burndown chart, Cumulative Flow Diagram, Flow Metrics (Work Item Aging, Work In Progress, Throughput, Cycle Time), Velocity Tracking, Leading and Lagging Indicators | * Regression Testing, Functional Testing, Performance Testing and Unit Testing, TDD, BDD, * Nexus, Artifactory, Tarraform, Datadog, Github, Gitlab, Jenkin Enterprise, Oracle Database, SQL Database, MySQL Database |
| * Agile Estimation and Agile Planning | * .Net Framework, C#, Java, Design Principles |
| * Implementing, Launching and supporting Agile Release Trains, and coordinating Large Solutions, Program Increment (PI) Planning * Visualization Policies (workflow, and value delivery), Lean principles and coaching techniques | * Cisco Jabber, WebEx, MS Teams, ATG E-commerce, MVC, Web API, **Microservices** * AKANA API, Git Version control system |
| * Expert in coaching teams in defining Explicit Policies, Workflow Definition, Definition of Done(DoD), Definition of Ready (DoR), WIP Limit, Work Item Aging, Cycle and Lead Time improvement, Skills in Cumulative Flow Diagram | * Microsoft Project, Microsoft Excel, Team Foundation Server |

**Employment History**

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| **December 2018 – Present** | **Role: SAFe Scrum Master/ Agile Coach** | **Company: Discover Financial Services** |

**Project:** Financial System

**Team:** Multiple Scrum Teams (Offshore & Onshore – DevOps &Software Development Team), **Team Size:** 18

**Key Responsibilities**

* Scrum Master for multiple scrum team(DevOps and Software Development Team) based in different locations (India, USA & UK) helped in the delivery of large and complex financial system
* Facilitating scrum ceremonies including sprint planning, sprint review(User stories level, Feature Level, Showcase), sprint retrospectives, and daily stand-ups
* Facilitating grooming meeting to ensure User Stories meet invest criteria (Independent, Negotiable, Valuable, Estimable, Small enough to be delivered within a sprint & Testable)
* Coaching Agile team how to remove impediments to their sprint progress
* Working with other scrum teams, Scrum Masters, Release Trains Engineer in resolving, minimizing, mitigating and managing internal and cross-train dependencies
* Guiding and coaching Scrum team, educating and reinforcing scrum framework to the team and the organization
* Working very closely with RTE to ensure that backlogs are aligned to project and product milestones, help with PI planning, Inspect & Adapt – I &A (P System Demo, PI Solution Demo, Quantitative Measurement and Retrospective & Problem-solving workshop)
* Involved in scrum of scrums meeting with other Scrum Masters to share team progress, dependencies and issues that impact other Feature teams
* Working with Product Owner to create, refine, order, prioritize product backlog as required, getting teams and the organization ready for PI event by facilitating refinement meetings and ensure Features and User Stories are ready and easily actionable by scrum teams, coaching team in setting and creating PI objectives in the PI event
* Helping my team to understand agile process discipline, practices and achieve reliable, predictable delivery and product conceive built-in quality.
* Building high performing team and creating an environment that foster collaboration, innovation, relentless improvement, unlock the intrinsic motivation of my team, empowering the team to be self-organized, cross-functional which result in creating high quality solution in the shortest sustainable lead time, coach the team on how to deliver new value on a predictable schedule.
* Coached the team in creating, writing acceptance criteria, definition of Ready, Definition of DONE to product with appropriate level of quality also responding to evolving business needs

**Environment:** Scrum, Kanban, SAFe, Jenkins, Java, Nexus, AKANA API, Web API, Artifactory, Github Enterprise, Jenkin Enterprise, Selenium, CA Agile Central (Rally), Jira, Confluence, Slack, Continuous Integration, Continues Deployment, Release on Demand, Automation Testing

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| **July 2018 – October 2018** | **Role: Scrum Master/Agile Coach** | **HSBC Retail Banking and Wealth Management** |

**Project:** Financial System **-** Migrating entire development pipeline to AWS platform

**Team:** Multiple Scrum Teams – DevOps (AWS Platform Team & On-Prem Platform Team), **Team size: 15**

**Key Responsibilities**

* Scrum Master for multiple DevOps team (AWS Team & On-Prem Platform Team) based in different locations (India, China, USA & UK) helped in the delivery of Tier 0 AWS development environments which is used by 10,000 developers across different scrum teams
* Facilitated sprint ceremonies; Daily stand-ups, sprint planning, sprint review, sprint retrospective and workshops of AWS Dev tooling project between several teams
* Collaborate with platform teams in prioritization and planning, to deliver realistic product goals and helped with business roadmaps.
* Worked collaboratively and closely with product owners to help them understand the team’s way of working, backlog grooming, and backlog management, enhance the team’s exposure and voice back to the business.
* Make sure progress of team is visible to business by using different projective tools that is based on worked completed and work remaining such as release burndown chart, release burnup chart and cumulative flow diagram

**Environment:** Scrum, Kanban, SAFe, Jenkins, Java, Nexus, Web API, Artifactory, Tarraform, Datadog, Github Enterprise, Jenkin Enterprise, Selenium, Slack, Node.js, Continuous Integration, Continues Deployment, Release on Demand, Automation Testing, BDD, ATDD, Cisco Jabber, webex, SaaS, PaaS, IaaS

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| **Oct. 2017 – July 2018** | **Role: Agile Coach(DevOps Team)** | **Company: Kingfisher** |

**Project:** Large scale E-commerce (ATG) System, Migration of On-premises environments to AWS Platfrom

**Team Size:** 17

**Key Responsibilities**

* Scrum Master and Agile Coach for multiple DevOps teams (Onshore – Southampton (UK) and Offshore- India) Using Continuous Delivery pipeline (Continuous Exploration, Continuous Integration, Continuous Deployment, Release on demand) to maintain solution stability of feature teams’ development effort daily, providing capability to keep solution on a releasable state
* I served, coaching, guiding, supporting, facilitating DevOps Engineers teams’ decisions, ceremonies, managed team dependencies, resolving dependencies, removing distractions, resolving conflict, removing impediments, prioritizing requirement to deliver business value and enable the team to meet up with their commitment, align the team towards business needs and technical goals.
* Enforced Kanban principles and practices as a scrum master that resulted in reduction of Cycle time by 20% thus increasing team's throughput in less than 12 weeks.

**Environment:** Scrum, Kanban, SAFe, Jenkins, Java, ATG E-commerce, Terraform, AKANA API, AWS, Git Version controlsystem, Gitlab, Github, Continuous Integration, Continues Deployment, Release on Demand, Automation Testing, BDD, TDD, ATDD

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| **Dec 2015 – Sept 2017** | **Role: Scrum Master** | **Company: Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer** |

**Projects:** Digital Transformation Project, Lawyer & Client Portal system, Mobile apps, EPiServer CMS

**Team Size:** 9

**Key Responsibilities**

* I served scrum team(Onshore - London and Offshore- USA), coaching, guiding, supporting, facilitating software development team decisions, ceremonies

**Environment:** Scrum, XP, Paired Programming, SAFe, .Net**,** Jira, Git, Automation Testing, BDD, TDD

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| **July 2014 – Dec 2015** | **Position: Scrum Master** | **Company: Making Music ltd** | **Team Size: 6** |

**Projects:** E-commerce projects, AWS Application and Database Migration and Upgrading of Legacy system

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| **Feb 2009 – July 2014** | **Position: Technical Scrum Master/Technical Lead** | **Company: Zenith Telecom** |

**Environment:**MS Visual studio 2010, VS code, C#, ASP.Net, MVC, Entity Framework, Web API, Bootstrap, JQuery, CSS, HTML, SQL Server 2005, Web API, WCF Web services, JSON, Jira, Slack, Git, XP, AWS, IIS, Unit Testing, TDD, BDD, SOLID, DRY and KISS Principle, Scrum Framework, CI, CD, PowerShell, **Microservices,** Jasmine, grunt

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| **Feb 2006 – Jan 2009** | **Role: Senior Web Developer** | **Thames College** | **Team Size: 7** |

**Projects:** StudentSystem Management system

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| **Nov 2003 – Jan 2006** | **Role: Web Developer** | **FBA Computer College** | **Team Size: 4** |

**Projects:** StudentSystem Management system

**Achievement/Award**

**48 Hour Hackathon – (11th -13th Nov 2016)**

Won the 1st Runner Prize, best agile teamwork and resilience, evidenced by leading and coaching team of developers in delivery software application to address LGBT right in the first European 48h Hackathon “Hack the change” targeting LGBT\* rights globally.

**Interest** : Football, Boxing, Music, Games, and Socializing **Reference** (Available upon request)