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HCL Technologies Ltd, Chennai — Senior Technical Lead May 2021 - Present

Cognizant Technologies Ltd, Chennai — Senior Associate Feb 2010 - Apr 2021

Infosys Technologies Ltd, Chennai - Test Engineer

Aug 2005 - Jan 2010

PROFILE SUMMARY

- A Highly analytical and result-oriented leader with 17+ years of experience in Software QA (Testing) and 7+ years of experience across Guidewire implementation, BAU and upgrade projects
- Certified Guidewire Certified Associate InsuranceSuite Analyst Elysian
- Strong management skills and proven experience in leading a team in the successful delivery of various Guidewire projects. My consistency in quality of management and delivery resulted in the achievement of Mentor and Enabler of Guidewire Associates by Cognizant Technologies Ltd.
- Experienced in various flavours of testing like Component Integration Testing (CIT), System testing, System Integration testing, End to End testing, Regression Testing, and User Acceptance testing on behalf of the Business Team
- Have complete claim life cycle processing knowledge in Guidewire ClaimCenter including various integrations
- Have experience in Rating, Configuration testing such as Activity patterns, Roles and Permission & Admin data and Integration testing in Guidewire PolicyCenter

ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Identify and raise project risks and constantly monitor the project health status by maintaining the RAG status
- Involvement in agile ceremonies like sprint planning, scrum meetings, and retrospective meetings
- Participate in requirement walkthroughs and review meetings ensuring that the testable requirements are available for the team
- Strategized Test Estimation, Test Strategy, Test Plans, Test Scripts, Traceability Matrix, and Test Reports
- Coordination with various teams like Business Analysts, Dev team, Project stakeholders and Business users
- Participate in design, code reviews, PCF and data model change meetings
- · Understand clients' Automation framework, generate, and execute automation test scripts
- Improve QA deliverables and maintain quality throughout the STLC
- Defect Triaging with development and stakeholders and tracking them till closure.
- Perform Root Cause Analysis and identify the test misses and areas of improvement
- Worked in Client Location Sydney, Australia to streamline the QA best practices and to mentor the Business users in Guidewire Centers

CORE COMPETENCIES

Guidewire ClaimCenter - Guidewire PolicyCenter - Guidewire Contact Manager - Guidewire Portals Guidewire BillingCenter - Agile methodologies - Selenium & Java, SOAP UI (API Testing), MongoDB, Jira - Zephyr & Xray - BurpSuite - SQL DB

RECOGNITIONS

Mentor and Enabler of Guidewire Associates by Cognizant

EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS

- ★ Guidewire Certified Associate InsuranceSuite Analyst Elysian
- ★ ISTQB Certified Functional Tester
- ★ Bachelor of Computer Applications

PROJECTS

HCL Technologies Ltd, Chennai

Leading Reinsurer from the US –	GWCC Production Support Project
The client is a global specialty insurer & reinsurer and the largest provider of equipment breakdown insurance and	May 2021 to October 2023
related inspection services in North America serving over five million commercial locations	The Production support project aims to provide complete support and maintenance of the application including continuous application monitoring, fixing production issues, and system enhancements

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Leading Insurer from Australia –	Accelerate 1:1 Strategic Pricing
The client is a general insurance and reinsurance company listed on the Australian Securities Exchange and	January 2019 to April 2021
headquartered in Sydney	The Accelerate program is a strategic initiative by QBE
	to accurately calculate premiums using Location scores.
	The program integrated GW-MuleSoft-MongoDB by
	establishing a new operating process/procedure and
	transitioning to a new Service Delivery Platform (SDP)
	with minimal actuarial modeling work.
Leading Insurer from Australia –	Guidewire BAU Business Testing
The client is a general insurance and reinsurance company listed on the Australian Securities Exchange and	July 2019 to December 2019
headquartered in Sydney	The Business-As-Usual program implements minor
	changes and defect fixes for each release. As a part of the
	Business testing project, mentored and trained the
	business users in GW products, testing processes, and
	best practices & test management tools.
Leading Mutual Holding Company from Ohio &	Guidewire Suite Implementation
Indiana, USA –	January 2019 to June 2019
The client operates exclusively through more than 3,500	
independent agents located in over 650 locations throughout Ohio and Indiana, providing insurance protection to over	The project is to implement GW Suite (PC, CC and BC) for
174,000 households, businesses, and farms.	the P&C and Commercial Lines of Business.
Leading Workers Compensation Insurer from	Guidewire ClaimCenter Upgrade
Missouri, USA –	March 2018 to December 2018
The client is a workers' compensation provider in Missouri	
providing coverage in nearly all 600 National Council on Compensation Insurance classes. Headquartered in	The workers' compensation insurance provider from
Columbia, the client has offices in Kansas City, Springfield and	Missouri as a part of this project upgraded their GW
St. Louis, Missouri.	ClaimCenter from version 7 to version 9. The entire

	testing activities were owned by us with development done by Guidewire directly.
Leading Insurer from Canada –	Guidewire ClaimCenter Upgrade
The client is a provincial Crown corporation in British Columbia providing universal and affordable compulsory public auto	February 2017 to March 2018
insurance in British Columbia by operating on a non-profit basis.	The Government Auto insurance provider from
DUSIS.	Canada upgraded its ClaimCenter from version 7 to
	version 9. The entire testing activities were owned by
	us with development done by Guidewire directly.