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Director of IT at HarbourVest Partners



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About

As a hands-on IT leader, I am highly self-driven, adaptable, and quick to integrate into new environments. With 19+ years of IT experience—including 7+ years in team leadership, strategic planning, and innovation—I bring a practical, results-oriented approach. I have a strong track record in project and process management, and I've led continuous improvement through data-informed decision-making, resulting in measurable process enhancements and increased engineering productivity. This includes introducing GitHub Copilot, providing structured team training, and using KPI-driven adoption strategies to ensure sustained impact.

Top skills

OpenAI agent SDK • Python (Programming Language) • C# • SQL •

Technology Leadership



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Experience



HarbourVest Partners

Full-time · 4 yrs 11 mos

Boston, Massachusetts, United States

Director of Information Technology

Sep 2024 - Present · 1 yr 4 mos

Hybrid

↳ Leadership, Team Leadership and +1 skill

Assistant Director

Mar 2023 - Sep 2024 · 1 yr 7 mos

Technology Lead

Feb 2021 - Mar 2023 · 2 yrs 2 mos



Advisor360°

Full-time · 1 yr 11 mos

Development Team Lead

Aug 2020 - Feb 2021 · 7 mos

Weston, Massachusetts, United States

Full stack software developer

Apr 2019 - Aug 2020 · 1 yr 5 mos

Weston, Massachusetts

**Senior/Principle Software Engineer & Scrum Master**

Lionbridge

Feb 2017 - Apr 2019 · 2 yrs 3 mos

Waltham, Massachusetts

**Sr. Software Engineer**

EveryScape Inc.

Oct 2015 - Feb 2017 · 1 yr 5 mos

**Project Lead and Lead Software Engineer**

Boston Mutual Life Insurance · Full-time

2010 - Oct 2015 · 5 yrs 10 mos

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Master of Business Administration (MBA), Business Administration and Management, General

2010 - 2012

Specialized in Technology Management

Technology Management, IT Management and +3 skills

**Dharmsinh Desai University**

BCA, Computer Applications

2003 - 2006

Licenses & certifications**AI Engineer Agentic Track: The Complete Agent & MCP Course**

Udemy

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OpenAI agent SDK, MCP and +3 skills

**Develop generative AI apps in Azure**

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OpenAI Agent SDK

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Brandon Jackson · 1st

Software Technology Leader

September 25, 2020, Brandon managed Hanishkumar directly

Hanish consistently delivered solid, well thought-out implementations. He was careful to ensure that his code was maintainable and that others, especially those on remote teams, were able to understand what was done. He helped to guide other team members and always did so in a kind, polite but persistent manner which caused him to be well liked and respected.



Sachin Handore · 1st

Innovation | Business Transformation | TOGAF® Certified EA | CXO Incubator
March 5, 2019, Sachin worked with Hanishkumar on the same team

Hanish is a dedicated, experienced software professional with vast experience in all aspects of Software Engineering.

His grasp of technical issues combined with practical approach to problem solving are qualities that any company desires.

Hanish is an indispensable team member. He is an expert with his SQL skills.

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