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Languages: Russian, Hebrew, English, Ukrainian | Origin: Ukraine $\rightarrow$ Israel (2014)

Profile

Multidisciplinary professional with extensive experience in port logistics, operations, communication systems, technology and digital tools. My journey began in Ukraine and continued through immigration to Israel at age 14, where I integrated into a new culture, mastered multiple languages and developed resilience and adaptability.

I have a strong combination of operational thinking, technical understanding, and the ability to work under high-pressure environments. Through military service, professional logistics work and technical learning, I developed a deep sense of responsibility, accuracy and situational awareness.

Port & Logistics Expertise

I work directly with real-world cargo movement in Ashdod Port, one of the most active terminals in Israel. My daily tasks involve:

- Managing container routing and movement cycles.

- Monitoring vessel schedules and updating workflow priorities.

- Working with crane teams, engineering and yard operators.

- Identifying delays, risks and operational bottlenecks.

- Testing and evaluating new logistics and TOS software.

- Ensuring accuracy of real-time operational data.

- Communicating with different departments to synchronize operations.

This role strengthened my ability to navigate complex systems, handle operational information and maintain precision even during peak intensity.

Experience

Ashdod Port - Terminal Operations (2024-Present)

- Manage container flow, vessel scheduling, route planning and yard organization.

- Work with multiple operational teams (cranes, yard dispatch, engineering, supervisors).

- Test and analyze new TOS software, create feedback reports, identify issues.

- Maintain updated operational timelines and cargo distribution.

- Communicate across teams during critical shifts.

Elpisor LTD - Digital Product Developer (2022-2023)

- Created dashboards, CRMs, internal tools and optimization systems.

- Built interfaces that improved team workflow and reduced manual work.

- Worked closely with non-technical staff to translate requirements into functional tools.

IDF Navy - Battalion 916 (2018-2021)

- Worked in an operational command center, coordinating mission activities.

- Monitored encrypted communication and tracked naval vessels.

- Responsible for computers, systems, communication panels and encrypted channels.

- Supported emergency protocols, fast-response missions and situational updates.

- Gained discipline, reliability and high-pressure decision making.

Strengths

Logistics & Operations: vessel workflows, yard logic, crane coordination, cargo cycles.

Communication: multilingual, clear reporting, professional coordination between units.

Decision-Making: fast and accurate under stressful conditions.

Technical Understanding: ability to learn new systems quickly and apply logic.

Problem Solving: identify operational inefficiencies, propose improvements.

Adaptability: long-term experience in multicultural and high-pressure environments.

Additional Capabilities

- Strong grasp of system logic, interfaces and workflow processes.

- Ability to bridge operational teams with digital tools.

- High responsibility and ownership during critical tasks.

- Quick learner, analytical mindset, disciplined approach to work.

- Experience with dashboards, management tools and digital reporting systems.

Education

Full Bagrut - Israel

Full Stack Java Developer - Tel-Ran Educational Center

Advanced IT & Graphics - 420h professional training

Ongoing development in logistics, communication, psychological resilience, technology and systems analysis