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WORK EXPERIENCE

CHIEF ARCHITECT
WOLTERS KLUWER
09-2014 - CURRENT

Irving TX | Chief Architect | All Up Owner of the Chief Architecture Office (CAO) Strategic Roadmap and Technical Governance across multiple delivery/distribution channels including Cloud, Mobility, and Desktop. Responsibilities include:

- Deliver Innovation for product Ideation + Participate/Support Outreach with internal and External Hackathons

- Drive Technical Transformation across a suite of Large-scale Enterprise Level Products that are mission critical to Wolters Kluwer customers and partners. Scale is multi-million lines of code with multi-million dollar revenue targets.
- Develop + Drive a scalable and resilient technology vision/roadmap from inception to delivery, YoY, that is aligned with customer needs and the business objectives of Wolters Kluwer.
- Develop + Drive a Reference Architecture Programming Model with extensible/shareable, Event-Driven, Service Oriented Architectural technology patterns, that manifest themselves as an ecosystem of Self Contained Platforms.
- Drive + Manage Technology Financial Models in concert with the CFO, CTO, & EVP, for presentation, review, and approval, at the CEO and Board Level for Wolters Kluwer.
- Attract + Retain high tier architectural and strategic talent to define and execute on the technical vision/roadmap, in a fast paced, empirical minded, agile-architecture community model.
- Drive and advance deep vendor partnerships with leading technology firms, including Microsoft, to advance technical and business innovation around product opportunities, scale, resiliency, and supportability.

DIRECTOR OF MOBILE STRATEGY AND SOLUTIONS
WOLTERS KLUWER
04-2012 - 09-2014

Irving TX | Director of Mobile Strategy and Solutions | Ownership of Strategic Planning within CCH for Mobility and Open Platform, and Wolters Kluwer Strategy for Mobility

- Consolidated all Mobile App strategic planning and development under a centralized model to drive and govern a portfolio approach across strategy, budget, design, and implementation. Reported up to CEO and Senior Leadership Team (SLT) Governance Board.
- Defined and implemented a "Mobile as a Platform" Technical Strategy utilizing a hybrid app and cloud-based architecture, for Wolters Kluwer customers and their clients.
- Defined and managed technology refactoring efforts to improve platform & application standards and flexibility, enabling multiple enterprise application distribution channels (Web, Mobile Web, and Mobile Applications). Foundational investment and technology enabled CCH Mobile App Team to win 2014 SIIA Software CODiE Award in the Best Enterprise Mobile Application category
- Drove Workforce Transformation efforts building out International Agile Teams for Mobility, leading organizational definitions and structures, role and skill definition, and recruitment/hiring. Managed Matrix FTEs and ISVs for application definition, design, and development.

DIRECTOR OF SOLUTION CONSULTANCY
SPRING GLOBAL
03-2010 - 03-2012

Plano TX | Director of Solution Consultancy | Strategy & Delivery owner of Mobile SaaS Solutions to Fortune 500 clients

- Commercialization Owner of a Global Solution Delivery of SaaS & SOA Mobility Solutions, across multiple vertical business segments (CPG, Finance)
- Definition and execution of Client Mobile Strategies & Cross-Platform best practices.
- Product Management of client customizations of mobile applications and platforms.
- Mobile Feature Ideation and Product Roadmap participation with clients and development.
- Definition and recruitment for Consultancy Services Practice for US Region.
- Cross-role/discipline management for local and international resources (FTEs).

PRINCIPAL GROUP PROGRAM MANAGER
MICROSOFT CORPORATION
01-2000 - 12-2009

Redmond WA | Principal Group Program Manager | Mobile Device Strategy and Portfolio Owner for multiple consumer focused devices in Windows Mobile Division

- Contributed and drove many innovative efforts that were foundational technologies that would be commercialized into the Surface Product Line (Capacitive Touch), Bing (Universal Search with Lexical Services Platform) and PowerBI (Natural Language Q&A)
- Shipped the fastest selling Windows Mobile Device in 2006, 1 Million units sold in less than a year.
- Built two Joint Development Partnerships (JDPs) with large OEMs (Original Equipment Manufacturers - Motorola, LG), focused on Commercialization to define, design, and ship multiple iconic specialized Windows Mobile devices.
- Defined, patented, and implemented a Lexical Service Platform for consistent "search functionality" across multiple products (Bing, Office Suite, Windows, Windows Mobile). Became one of the foundational technologies of Cortana and Bing.
- Managed team responsible (direct and matrix) for feature-set of Capacitive Touch in the Windows Phone Operating System, across major and minor release cycles. Became one of the foundational technologies for Touch Experience on Surface Product Line.
- Built and managed cross-role multiple international teams in Seoul, Taiwan, Dublin, & Beijing, to manage and execute against product development life-cycles for multiple releases and release types.
- Represented Microsoft via participation at professional business and technical conferences.
- Provided thought leadership using partnership models, business plans, design strategy, Joint Development Program definition, and Executive Management White Papers.

MANAGER
FIS
02-1998 - 01-2000

Little Rock AR | Group Manager | Product Delivery Owner of Enterprise Web Portfolio within the Financial Services Division

- Alltel Information Services prior to acquisition
- Acted as principal in creating and implementing new organization (Group Information Office) with ownership of divisional projects. Organization was responsible for enterprise process definition, technical design, application development, interface development, and production implementation of business applications.
- Shipped a Web Portal with Customer Relationship Management, Sales Force Automation, and Business Intelligence for Financial Services Division. Portfolio included ownership of developing/deploying an Application Portal aggregating multiple web applications into an integrated solution.
- Reduced TCO (Total Cost of Ownership) from estimates by ~50% annually over 2 years.
- Managed and led a cross-functional and virtual team of over 25 resources dispersed over 4 geographic regions.
- Forecasted and managed ~2.5 million-dollar project budget.

PROJECT ANALYST
PWC
05-1997 - 02-1998

Fort Worth TX | Project Analyst | Project Support responsibilities across internal and external clients

- Coopers and Lybrand prior to merger
- Coordinated and managed the strategic implementation of national technology initiatives with an emphasis on Financial Services Clients.
- Managed and maintained implementations for Lotus Notes for regional offices and client locations.
- Participated on the Training Committee for Tax Partners and Senior Managers for proprietary software

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📖 EDUCATION

MASTERS OF SCIENCE
GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY
2002 - 2005

- Engineering Program Management - Masters of Science

- Ranked #20 Globally Best Masters in Engineering and Project Management by Eduniversal
- Attended while full-time employee (FTE) of Microsoft

M.B.A.
TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS
1995 - 1997

- Texas Graduate Information Services Scholar Award Recipient
- Neely and Associates: Led team of TCU MBA Consultants to deliver Strategic Business Plan for Bell Helicopter Textron.

Program Rankings
- Ranked Top 25 in Entrepreneurship +5 Years
- Ranked Top 35 MBA in the U.S & #61 Worldwide by The Economist.
- Named #46 Best MBA in U.S. by Bloomberg Businessweek.
- Ranked Top 5 for Faculty Quality