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SUMMARY

Project Manager with proven success in the Israeli Air Force and Intelligence Corps, experienced in leading large-scale, innovative projects. Skilled in agile methodologies, cross-functional team collaboration, and product development, with expertise in Geo-data analytics, UI/UX, and hardware/software integration. Highly motivated, with a track record of delivering results and leading teams through deadline driven, dynamic and complex environments

EXPERIENCE

Project Manager (Officer + Reserved)

Israeli Military Intelligence

Oct 2023 - Jan 2025

- Manager and supervisor in a large-scale project to develop a revolutionary multi-mission aircraft, aiming to deliver high-quality intelligence to analysts in real-time
- Oversaw five cross-functional teams, ensuring the product development aligned with the project's strategic goals
- Directed R&D efforts, allocating resources and product features to meet end-user needs
- Contributed to strategic discussions and decision-making processes regarding feature development, optimizing system functionality and product performance

Airborne Intelligence Operator

Israeli Air Force

Sep 2022 - Oct 2023

- Initiated the roadmap and strategy to create the infrastructure and implementation of the aircraft in the user's environment
- Leading an Airborne QA team, responsible for planning and executing test flights ensuring systems Functionality according to the project's KPI's
- Led negotiations with defense industries, to ensure product specifications met quality and performance standards

Project Manager (Officer)

Israeli Military Intelligence

Apr 2021 - Sep 2022

- Managed a classified electro-optical sensor project, overseeing the entire product lifecycle, from R&D to customer integration
- Defined and prioritized product backlogs, managing product feature development while working closely with multiple teams, to align and focus on product strategy and execution
- Actively analyzed data and performance metrics to inform decisions and improve outcomes

Customer Success Consultant

Israeli Military Intelligence

Jan 2020 - Dec 2020

- Worked with clients and R&D teams to develop a comprehensive geo-information analysis software, improving user experience by consolidating multiple tools into a single platform
- Provided feedback on UI/UX design, algorithmic functionality, work methodologies, and new features

SKILLS

- Project/ Product Management
- Python, JavaScript, HTML, CSS
- VSCode, GitHub, Jira, Trello, Figma, Slack, Microsoft Office
- Data Analytics & Performance Optimization
- Algorithmic Functionality
- UI/UX Consulting & System Design

CERTIFICATIONS

Israeli Military Intelligence

- Project Management
- Intelligence Officer
- GEOINT Professional- Remote Sensing & Imagery Analysis

HarvardX

- CS50's Introduction to Programming with Python
- CS50's Introduction to Artificial Intelligence with Python

Elta Systems LTD - Operational CB-AGS

Ness Technologies - Programming in C#

Center for Applied Educational Technologies - Astronautics Master Class

