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Summary

Results-driven **Data Engineering and Project Management** professional with 5+ years of experience designing and delivering scalable data systems and leading Digital Twin and SaaS initiatives. Proven expertise in **Python**, **Kafka**, **Delta Lake**, **gRPC**, and **AWS cloud deployments**. Skilled at bridging business needs with technical execution, optimizing data workflows, and managing end-to-end delivery of enterprise applications. Adept at **Agile methodologies**, **CI/CD practices**, and cross-functional team leadership.

Experience

EinNel Technologies

March 2021 – Present

Chennai

Project Manager - Software Development

Digital Twin Projects

1. Boiler Digital Twin

Role: Data Engineer & Project Manager

- Designed and implemented the overall system architecture and database/storage planning.
- Developed Python APIs for real-time data integration and analytics.
- Managed the full project lifecycle from inception to delivery, ensuring alignment with business needs.
- Facilitated **end-user interactions** to gather requirements and provide solutions.
- Led team management, task allocation, and delivery oversight.

2. Copper Twin (Proof-of-Concept & Application Development)

Role: Strategic Planner, Tech Lead & Project Manager

- Involved from scratch, contributing to business-level decision-making and product strategy.
- Optimized data pipelines using Kafka, Delta Lake, and gRPC for high-performance processing.
- Defined the **technology stack** (Python, Polars, Delta Lake, gRPC) and data storage architecture.
- Managed **project execution**, milestones, and delivery timelines.
- Mentored team members and provided technical guidance during critical phases.
- Developed POCs to validate architecture and functionality.
- Oversaw database management and API development for modular expansion.
- Acted as a bridge between business stakeholders and technical teams.

SaaS Application Projects

Role: Project Manager & Database Specialist

- Provided end-to-end project oversight across multiple SaaS applications:
 - Church Management Application
 - Task HR & Employee Management Application
 - Laboratory Management Application
 - Donor Management Application
- Engaged with end users for feedback, requirements gathering, and support.
- Conducted change request analysis and evaluated feasibility/impact.
- Handled database administration and schema optimization for performance.
- Contributed to feature change analysis and development strategy planning.
- Played a key role in **crisis control** where delivery timelines were impacted due to business deviations, ensuring corrective measures and smooth delivery.
- Coordinated with cross-functional teams to align **business needs with technical execution**.
- Oversaw team performance and guided delivery in an agile environment.

Sicagen India Ltd

Jun 2018 – May 2019

Graduate Engineer Trainee

Chennai

- Have performed installation, testing and maintenance of speed governor in diesel generator and turbine.
- Provided expertise to establish pre-commissioning processes according to the client's requirements as identified in the technical specification and contractual scope of work.
- Supervised pre-commissioning subcontractor activities by attending weekly progress meetings, reviews their deliverables and progress reports, check their readiness prior to pre-commissioning processes and prepares the commissioning schedules.
- Commissioned Governor and Controller at MADRAS ATOMIC POWER STATION (MAPS), Kalpakkam.
- Sales and service of electronic speed governors for 25+ power plants and process plants across south India.

Education

Prathyusha Engineering College 7.06

2018

Bachelor's in Electrical and Electronics Engineering

Skills

- Data Engineering & ETL Pipeline Development
- Data Modeling & Warehousing
- Digital Twin Implementation & Optimization
- API Development (gRPC, REST, WebSocket)
- Cloud Deployment & Scalability Planning
- Project & Team Management (Agile/Scrum)
- SaaS Application Development OversightBusiness & Product Development Strategy
- Cross-functional Team Collaboration
- End-to-End Product Delivery OwnershipClient Engagement & Requirement Gathering
- Crisis Management & Timeline Recovery
- Application Development (Python backend focus)

Technology Stack

- Programming & Scripting: Python, SQL
- Data Processing: Polars, Pandas, Delta Lake, PySpark
- Streaming & Messaging: Kafka, MQTT, Redis
- Databases: PostgreSQL, Cassandra, SQL Server
- APIs & Frameworks: gRPC, FastAPI, Flask, REST API, WebSocket
- Workflow & Orchestration: Apache Airflow
- Cloud & Deployment: AWS (EC2, ECS, S3), Docker, Kubernetes
- Version Control & CI/CD: Git, GitHub Actions
- Monitoring & Logging: Prometheus, Grafana, ELK Stack

Profiles