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## **SKILLS**

**Tools:** SQL, R, SPSS, MS Project (Basic proficiency)

## **Product Management:**

- Product roadmapping
- Wireframing
- UI/UX design
- A/B Testing
- Scrum, Agile Product delivery
- Defining and tracking metrics
- Analyzing data to understand user behavior
- Market research, Competitor analysis and benchmarking

#### Others:

- Project management
- Brand and Strategy Planning
- Digital Marketing
- Category management
- Stakeholder management
- Supply Chain Management

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

- Product Management Course
   by Yourstory
- Google Analytics (Advanced)
- SEO Training The Beginner's Quick Guide to Advanced SEO - by Udemy
- Lean Six Sigma Green belt by Henry Harvin Education

# Chirag Gupte

# Product/Project Manager, Marketer

Product/Project Management and Marketing Enthusiast.

Passionate about conceptualization, development, operations and marketing of digital products. Demonstrated strategic thinking, analytical capabilities, leadership, team building in the designing, building and improvement of mobile/web applications.

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# **Product Manager**

Shaadi.com, People Interactive Pvt Ltd (Location: Mumbai, India)
[Oct 2022 – Present]

**Owned** the User Visit to Activation (V2A) journeys, Profile quality, Photos and Safety across the App, mobile site and website of the **World's largest Matchmaking Service**, **managed a team of 11 engineers**, **designers and APM** 

- User V2A: Worked towards improving the Visit-Registration-Profile Completion-Verification-Activation funnels
- Introduced Mobile Sign up, Digital ID verification, Progressive onboarding
- Launched an experiment for a minimalist Sign-up splash screen
- Profile quality: Worked on enhancing profile fill rates for various types of user profile information
- Revamped the Family details, Hobbies & interests pages
- Photos: Worked on boosting photo uploads and approvals
- Modernized the Photo upload UI, with an emphasis on females
- Safety: Worked towards providing users better privacy & security
- Launched an experiment to disable screenshots on the App

# **Product Manager**

Indiamart (Location: Noida, India) IAug 2020 – Sep 20221

Owned the Buyer Desktop pages, Buyer Profiling, Enrichment and Personalization, User Verification and Business Buyer products, on India's largest B2B online marketplace, directly managed a team of 5 Software Engineers and 1 Assistant Product Manager

- Buyer Desktop pages (Buyer My): Worked towards providing a seamless buying experience to users on Indiamart
- Revamped the Orders page UI, introduced widgets and minichatbox feature on the Homepage, resulting in a 17% increase in engagement and 10% increase in replies
- Buyer Profiling, Enrichment and Personalization: Worked towards improving Buyer engagement, BuyLead consumption, and Seller responses
- Conversational Commerce improved BuyLead consumption by 40% and Seller responses by 30%
- Business Buyer Program: Worked towards identifying and verifying users purchasing for business purposes, and providing them with enhanced matchmaking and value-added services
- Achieved 23% growth in engagement and a 15% increase in BuyLead consumption for business buyers within 6 months
- Developed Product Strategy by defining the Product Vision and Roadmaps with the CEO, CPO and HODs

# AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- Nominated for Indiamart's Leadership Experience and Development Program – iLEAD in 2021
- Global Winner ISCEA Ptak Prize Competition 2020
- 2nd Place GSCMI Case Competition 2020 held at Purdue University, USA
- D2C CNBC CRISIL Awards' Top 10 College Champions 2020
- Regional Finalist Tata Crucible 2020 & 2019
- Semi-finalist Mahindra Logiquest 2018
- Stood First in a batch of 210 in Business Communication-1&2 at IIM Raipur, recognized for excellence in presentation skills at L&T
- Awarded the Star Team
   Award at L&T, for identifying and resolving a critical issue in a DMRC project in 2017
- Winner Freakonomics, a National parliamentary debate sponsored by Bombay Stock Exchange in 2013, winner of various College debate competitions

## **HOBBIES**

Debating, Swimming, Reading, Travelling

Head, Service Management Cell Larsen and Toubro Ltd. – E&A (Location: Mumbai, India) [Nov 2016 – Jun 2018]

**Led a team of 2**, responsible for **central management** of the All-India Service team of the Electrical Standard Products division of **one of India's largest engineering and manufacturing conglomerates** 

- Implemented changes resulting in 36% reduction in complaint resolution time and 7.5% points increase in NPS
- Collaborated with technology teams for development of CRM,
   Mobile and Cloud Applications for the Service team
- Worked with SVPs, HODs and cross-functional teams for improvement of products, based on Service inputs
- Worked towards implementation of TQM and attempting for Deming Prize in All-India Service Operations
- Coordinated with Market Research and Creative agencies for Brand Advocacy Surveys, Sales Promotions, etc..

Senior Sales Engineer Larsen and Toubro Ltd. – E&A (Location: Delhi, India) [Jul 2015 – Nov 2016]

Handled **techno-commercial sales** of LV Switchgear and related products in Noida and Greater Noida, in the Delhi team

- Contributed towards a 18% increase in area sales, reached
   ~3000 new customers via sales promotions
- Dealt with clients including dealers, builders, contractors, consultants, panel builders and industries
- Organized several Sales promotional activities, channel management and expansion initiatives in Delhi and Noida

## **INTERNSHIPS**

Intern – Brand Strategy Team Mullen Lowe Lintas Group [Jun 2019 – Jul 2020]

Worked with the CSO - APAC, Brand Planning, Strategy Planning and Creative teams on 11 brands and 3 product studies

Product Management Intern – Category Team Indiamart [Apr 2019 – May 2019]

Analyzed company data to **provide solutions for Tier-2 market penetration**, used **Market Basket Analysis in R to develop a recommendation system** to target sellers to sell related products

# **EDUCATION**

Year	Institute/School	Course/Board	CGPA (Out of 10)
2020	Indian Institute of Management, Raipur (IIM Raipur)	MBA	7.54
2015	Veermata Jijabai Technological Institute (V.J.T.I.), Mumbai	B. Tech – Electrical Engineering	6.8