PRATIK PADIYA

Product Manager | Project Management

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Professional Summary:

As a seasoned and versatile **Product Manager and Solutions Leader**, I specialize in driving **revenue growth**, enhancing **customer experience**, and developing **innovative solutions** across diverse industries, particularly in **fintech** and **payments**. My expertise includes spearheading **cross-functional teams**, collaborating with **senior stakeholders**, and implementing **strategic initiatives** globally. Skilled in SQL, Tableau, and Python-based projects to drive innovation and optimize outcomes. I possess a strong ability to navigate **complex market landscapes**, consistently exceeding organizational targets and positioning myself as an asset to any dynamic organization.

Core Competencies:

- Product & Market Strategy: Proficient in managing multiple global and regional products, successfully aligning strategies with customer demands and market trends.
- Cross-functional Leadership: Skilled in managing diverse teams and promoting collaboration across departments, resulting in achievement of organizational goals.
- End-User Experiences: Enhanced end-user experiences by integrating customer feedback and implementing innovative UX/UI enhancements, ensuring seamless functionality.

Key Achievements:

- Spearheaded the launch of global products in Asia Pacific for Mastercard scaling adoption across diverse
 markets and increasing revenue by localizing content, tailoring products, and managing pricing strategies.
- Led digital transformation for Mastercard's payment card benefits, developing APIs, API standardization, and
 integrating web-view and Single Sign-On features making the solutions more secure and easy to use & consume
 increasing the overall adoption.
- Directed the digitization of performance systems at NISA Group using data analysis and process optimization techniques, streamlining operations.

Skills and Interests:

- o Strategic Planning and Development
- Customer Insights and Analysis
- Cross-Functional Leadership (Stakeholder Management) and Team Management
- Project Management
- Performance Monitoring and Optimization
- Digital Transformation and Innovation
- Market Research and Analysis
- SQL applied in data storage and Data Analysis
- Tableau applied in Data Analytics
- o Python applied in personal projects for problem-solving and automation.

Education:

- Product Management Essentials Issued by Coursera, Authorized by IBM
- Product Management: Building Al-Powered Products Issued by Coursera/ SkillUp EdTech
- Post Graduate Diploma in Management Finance | Welingkar Institute of Management Studies | Maharashtra
 Board
- Bachelor of Commerce | Institute of Distance Education | Mumbai University

Work Experience:

Mastercard (Singapore) Sep 2017 – Oct 2024

Designation: Director, Solutions Engineering / Manager, Market Product Management

• **Led** product management initiatives by collaborating with cross-functional teams in engineering, marketing, and finance to create scalable solutions aligned with strategic growth objectives.

- Developed customer-focused solutions by leveraging **Tableau** to analyze market data, driving product innovation and adoption.
- Enhanced existing products and solutions by integrating customer feedback and analyzing market trends, while
 developing new features and functionalities to adapt to evolving customer demands and drive customer loyalty.
- Led the full product lifecycle from ideation to market launch, managing product development and localization efforts across APAC, with a focus on loyalty programs and payment card benefits.
- **Collaborated** with markets to craft and execute comprehensive **go-to-market strategies** for both new and existing solutions, scaling offerings across diverse regions and segments to maximize market impact.
- Prepared and deliver detailed **solution assessments** that outline the scope, objectives, benefits, risks, and costs associated with proposed solutions, facilitating informed decision-making among stakeholders.
- Led sales enablement and internal education initiatives, effectively communicating the value of engagement solutions to teams and clients, positioning Mastercard as a leader in digital payments.
- **Spearheaded** thought leadership initiatives on **customer loyalty trends**, influencing product strategies and enhancing Mastercard's market presence.

Mastercard (India)

Jun 2015 – Aug 2017

Designation: Leader, Market Product Management

- Managed loyalty and engagement solutions for the APAC region, expanding value-added services.
- Developed new capabilities in response to emerging client needs, ensuring competitiveness in the **payments** landscape.
- Launched a new Loyalty Program at national level targeting in-bound foreign travellers.
- Managed vendor relationships for timely and cost-effective service delivery.

S2 Infotech Pvt Ltd. (Mumbai, India)

Nov 2013 - May 2015

Designation: Business Development Manager

- Led B2B sales initiatives and managed key accounts, driving business growth through innovative solutions.
- Conducted business analysis and managed MIS systems, providing insights for strategic decision-making.

NISA Group of Companies (Mumbai, India)

Dec 2009 – Jul 2013

Designation: Product Manager (Strategist Business Developer & IT Interface).

- Developed and implemented data entry and MIS tools leveraging SQL, improving operational efficiency.
- Managed cross-functional teams to ensure seamless communication and project execution.

Hutchison 3 Global Services Pvt. Ltd. (Mumbai, India)

Nov 2004 - Nov 2009

Designation: Team Coach.

- Supervised a team of customer service representatives, optimizing team performance and customer satisfaction.
- Developed and implemented process improvements, enhancing task distribution and efficiency.