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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Product Manager II

Expedia Group

iii 10/2022 - Present ♀ Gurugram, India

Working within Fraud and Risk division, leading the charter for booking/payment fraud, abuse and sanctions. Accountable for shaping product vision, strategy, & roadmap

- Kept financial losses from payment fraud & abuse <1% of total GBV YTD 2023 & kept EG sanctions compliant
- Conducted data analysis on falsely denied travelers, identified opportunity
 of \$190K; developed feature to re-engage travelers with the platform;
 partnered with operations and data scientists
- Collaborated with engineering & operations to create in-house sanctions case management tool; resulted in improved reporting capabilities & increased user efficiency for manual reviews
- Introduced attributes within fraud prevention model to reduce false positive rate; uplift of \$200K observed within a quarter
- Launched features to increase manual review efficiency; resulted in \$80K annualized cost avoidance, ~4 head count avoidance
- Conducted competitor benchmarking, cost benefit analysis to identify vendors to partners with to increase decision quality of operations team for manual reviews
- Partnered with loyalty team; identified & addressed vulnerabilities within loyalty burn solution for airline segment
- Partnered with issuers to identify improvement in payment authentication rates; potential opportunity of ~\$35M GBV uplift
- Selected as ally skills facilitator, conducted sessions within APAC region to sensitize employees on alllyship to make Expedia more inclusive

Senior Business Analyst (Management Consultant)

Kearney

Worked as a management consultant for leading Indian Oil & Gas player. Formulated **digital transformation strategy**; led 30+ initiatives worked with client leadership

- Executed concept-to-launch of \$850K project management platform; enhanced traceability & efficiency company wide
- Mapped user journey & identified major pain points in current chatbots; proposed features to increase engagement
- Ideated data monetization opportunities across the value chain by market research and stakeholder interviews
- Discovered gaps in website by Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas; proposed solutions to increase user activation & engagement
- Conducted thorough research across different product lines & identified factors to formulate pricing strategy

Partner Tech Architect (Power Platform)

Microsoft

Managed **relationships with top Microsoft partners**/clients acting as a trusted advisor to upskill them to **drive revenue growth**

- Managed 4 key partners for SME segment; expanded \$180mn business;15% YoY top-line growth, ~14% YoY cloud revenue growth
- Strategized 4 GTM programs to recruit 100+ channel partners on cloud by expanding distributor reach, frequency & yield
- Worked with President, MS India to analyze sales blockers & accelerate adoption of Power Platform, presented to Satya Nadella
- Created PowerApps for government COVID response for patient monitoring by partnering with top advisories and SI partners
- Conducted 50+ sessions to upskill 20+ partners including top advisory & IT firms on Power Apps; Led virtual hackathon for a top ITES org. with 200+ participants; resulted in 15 customer solutions
- Awarded 'One Microsoft award' for cross team collaboration to launch campaigns to reduce customer churn; Received 'Special Stock Grant' from President, MS India
- Collaborated with leading IT firms to build globally available Power Platform solutions; recognized as 'Enrich Partner Portfolio Hero'

EDUCATION

MBA

Indian Institute of Management Lucknow

CGPA

8.31 / 10.0

2022

 Recognized from Director for being in Institute Merit List

B.Tech Computer Engg

Delhi Technological University

CGPA

9.25 / 10.0

= 2018

INTERNSHIPS

Myntra

- Selected among 9/152; Liaised with AVP Marketing to build go-to-market strategy for Live Commerce
- Analysed Myntra Live commerce and devised strategies for user retention; executed 25+ M-live events

Kearney

- Identified gaps in IT infrastructure of a leading Indian Oil & Gas player; formulated value proposition for cloud
- Analysed offerings of leading CSPs to build a hybrid cloud strategy & recommended suitable subscription model
- Received pre-placement offer to join full time

Microsoft

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- Selected among top 3 out of 400+ to receive internship from college, among top 7/20 interns to receive pre-placement offer to join full time
- Built a ML engine to recommend Azure architecture basis user's inputs from a bot to increase adoption

Office of the Advisor to CM, Delhi

- Received Certificate of Appreciation from Mr Gopal Mohan, Advisor to CM, Government of NCT Delhi
- Part of technology team involved in the design and development of CM's PGMS system & Mohalla Clinics

RECOGNITIONS

Received KVPY Fellowship Award by Dept. of Science & Tech (AIR 550/1 Lakh)

10+ Microsoft certifications including MB-200: Microsoft Power Platform +Dynamics 365 Core, Microsoft Azure