# Sherif Shalabi | Product Management & Leadership



# PROFILE

15+ years of global product impact across SaaS, FinTech, and emerging technologies; scaling ARR through pricing strategy, product-led growth, and data-driven execution, while leading cross-functional teams across regional & international markets.

# **Professional Snapshot**

- Experience: 9+ years Product Management; 6+ years Project/Program Management; 6+ years Customer/Technical Support.
- Industry/Domains: B2B SaaS, FinTech, Privacy Tools, Data Protection, IT Infrastructure; B2C SaaS, Telecom, Food Delivery.
- Flexibility: Open to remote/hybrid across time zones; available for occasional travel and relocation (with sponsorship).
- Global Fluency: Native English/Arabic; cross-cultural experience across North America, Europe, Middle East & North Africa.
- Availability: 2-month notice period; flexible to accommodate early onboarding for a smoother transition.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# Meister & Senior Technical Product Manager, Billing & Identity

Austria (Remote, UTC+2) | Sep 2024 - Present

- Leading the transition to a modular billing engine by driving vendor selection, migration, and implementation to unlock 12% ARR uplift.
- Integrating the design system into the self-serve portal to improve UX, accelerate feature work, and enable enterprise-scale growth.
- Co-developing monetization strategy for a 0→1 Al product by designing pricing & packaging and implementing the billing architecture.

# Pelcro Product Manager → Senior Product Manager → Head of Product

Canada (Remote, UTC-5) | Mar 2021 - Sep 2024

- Drove 20% ARR growth by expanding global payments through 5+ providers, enabling cards, wallets, and direct bank transfers
- Increased client renewal rates by 12% by integrating Al Market-Based Pricing with predictive analytics for personalized pricing.
- Reduced ARR churn by 15% by deploying a predictive churn model based on leading indicators for key client accounts.
- Boosted retention by 10% by revamping the platform's financial reporting and analytics for subscription billing.
- Reduced billing fraud by 40% by leading the development of a fraud detection and prevention system.
- Increased campaign conversions by 20% by launching a segmentation and workflow automation module for targeted marketing.
- Enabled international expansion by achieving SOC-2 and GDPR compliance through privacy by design & cross-functional controls.

#### Dell & Senior Technical Product Manager, Live Optics

USA (Remote, UTC+2) | Jul 2022 - Apr 2024

- Increased upsell opportunities by 10% by developing an infrastructure sizing tool to model data protection requirements.
- Accelerated adoption by 15% by delivering an interactive workload visualization dashboard for deployment planning.
- Reduced support resolution times by 20% by implementing a structured product onboarding and training program.

#### Zyda & Product Manager, Growth & Partnerships

Egypt (Hybrid, UTC+2) | Oct 2021 - Jun 2022

- Built product strategy and POC for a food ordering app with personalized recommendations, direct connections, and loyalty rewards.
- Reduced acquisition costs by 10% by integrating a regional POS aggregator to streamline inventory and payments.
- Improved CSAT by 25% and delivery accuracy by 15% by onboarding three regional delivery partners & resolving integration issues.

#### VeraSafe & Technical Product Manager

USA (Remote - CST/CDT) | Oct 2019 - Feb 2021

- Supported 35+ SMBs in achieving compliance by managing privacy and security projects & audits across the EU and North America.
- Defined and delivered MVP of an email security plugin, securing early validation and establishing product-market fit.
- Streamlined operations by leading vendor management, data migration, and website redesign initiatives.

Dell & Senior Program Resource Manager, Managed Services

CIB & Technical Product Manager, Data Protection Infrastructure

IBM & Senior Product Support Specialist, Spectrum Protect

Egypt (Hybrid, UTC+2) | Aug 2018 - Sep 2021 Egypt (Onsite — EET/EEST) | Apr 2016 - Aug 2018 USA (Remote — EST/EDT) | Jun 2012 - Apr 2016

# **PINITIATIVES**

#### basil.ai | Founder

A Personal finance app focused on Al-powered budgeting.

The Story Point | Author

A blog exploring industry trends and PM reflections.

# **QUALIFICATIONS**

# **Professional Certifications**

- Scrum.org | Professional Scrum Product Owner (2022)
- PMI | Agile Certified Practitioner (2022)
- OSU | Certified Technical Writer (2021)

#### **Academic Education**

- Cairo University | BSc. Computer Engineering (2011)
- Rajac Schools | GSE Science & Mathetmatics (2005)

# SKILLS & TOOLS

# Product Strategy, Roadmapping & Execution

Tools: Jira, Asana, Ahal, Linear, Teamwork, Notion, Confluence, Zendesk, Figma, Miro, Photoshop, Balsamiq

# Payments & Billing, Compliance & Fraud Prevention

Stripe, PayPal, Braintree, WorldPay, Cybersource, Tap, Chargebee, Maxio

# Al Integration, Workflow Automation & Development

Github Copilot, Ollama, Lovable, Replit, ChatGPT, Gemini, Postman, GCP, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, Python, Ngrok, Supabase

#### Data Analytics, Experimentation & Insights

Mixpanel, Growthbook, Intercom, Snowplow, Looker, SQL, Excel, Google Sheets