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**Summary:**

* Over 8 years of experience in Software development life cycle( SDLC) and other methodologies like Scrum Agile, Kanban, XP, SAFe , Waterfall.
* Successfully implemented numerous projects with various risk strategies and ensured on-time delivery as well as quality demonstrated from proven statistics of defect containment and traceability process.
* Ability to adapt to new technology and learn quickly in order to deliver quality product on time.
* Experience in managing a geographically dispersed **SCRUM** teams positioned in different time zones.
* Excellent written and verbal communication skills
* Complete life cycle experience in **SCRUM, AGILE** and project life cycle.
* Experienced in Project Planning and Project Management tools like **MS-Project, JIRA, RALLY** for status planning and reporting.
* Ability to Organized and facilitated sprint planning, daily stand-up meetings, reviews, retrospectives, release planning, demos and other scrum related meetings.
* Followed Agile best practices by conducting backlog grooming sessions, Sprint planning, and Sprint retrospectives with the development team
* Strong analytical, problem solving, communication and documentation skills, with emphasis on clear, detailed **Business Requirement Document (BRD), Functional Specification Document (FSD)**, as well as reports to keep executive staff and team members informed of goals and project status.
* Business-based, business intelligence analyst and program manager with a passion for data quality and process optimization. Talent for quickly mastering technology to deliver business critical information quickly and accurately.
* Mentored teams through a complete transitioning from **SDLC to Agile Scrum**. Helped define processes and tools best suited. Focused on customer needs through adherence to Agile Scrum best practices.
* Strong Technical Knowledge in **C++, C, Java** programming, PL/ SQL.
* Knowledgeable with widely successful Agile techniques: **User Stories, TDD, Continuous Integration, Refactoring, Continuous Deployment, Pairing, Automated Testing. Familiar with other methodologies like Kanban, and XP.**

**Technical Summary:**

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| **Operating System** | Windows NT, Windows 2000, MS-DOS, Windows 95/98/ and Windows XP |
| **Project Methodology** | Agile Scrum, Kanban, XP,SAFe. |
| **Web Technologies** | HTML. |
| **Agile tools** | JIRA, Rally, Version one, MS project |
| **Office Tools** | MS Word, ,MS Access, MS Outlook,  MS PowerPoint, MS Excel. |
| **Programming Languages** | C Programming, Java, J2EE, PL/SQL |

**Professional Experience :**

**Joy global, Milwaukee, WI March 2015 -TillPresent**

**Senior Scrum Master**

**Responsibilities:**

* Worked as a Scrum Master and Kanban Master for Scrum and Kanban teams in the SAFe environment
* Help the teams and the Product Owners plan for BRP (Big Room Planning) by creating features and stories in JIRA
* Attend the BRP and get an understanding of the upcoming PI(Program Increment)
* Preparing teams’ objectives for the PI and identifying the roadblocks and dependencies on other teams
* Reaching out to other Scrum/Kanban Masters during BRP to help them understand our dependencies and getting an ETA for the same.
* Worked on developing SQL queries using Oracle8i/9i/10g, Teradata databases
* Kickstart the PIfor my teams by helping them preparedefinition of done, definition of ready, sprint goals
* Facilitate scrum ceremonies such as: sprint planning, daily standups, backlog grooming, sprint review/retrospective
* Assist the Product Owners in writing user features and stories, breaking them down, tagging stories to features
* Help the Product Owners in understanding the need of prioritizing the backlog constantly and maintaining it
* Help the teams understand and implement concepts such as story estimation, adding individual tasks, iterative delivery, pair programming, WIP limits
* Attending Scrum of Scrums to give updates on my teams’ progress to RTEs and other scrum/Kanban maters, and also to understand the progress of other teams in my train and other trains
* Preparing the CRs (Change Requests) for production releases, getting the CRs approved, and working as a release coordinator for production releases

**Environment:** Agile Scrum, Kanban, JIRA, MS Office Suite, PL/SQL, Oracle 10g, Teradata.

**Environment: Agile Scrum, JIRA,Ms Office Suite.**

**Del Monte Foods Mar 2014- Feb 2015**

**Scrum Master/Agile Coach**

**Responsibilities:**

* Mentored and coached four teams new to Agile in Scrum and Lean Best Practices developing firmware for hardware integration and shipping
* Led strategic Release Planning and tactical Iteration Planning sessions
* Conducted daily stand-ups in two-week Iterations, facilitated sprint reviews, retrospectives, and sprint planning
* Communicated and presented weekly updates to stakeholders and program managers
* Coordinated software development with product and marketing groups to ensure feature release based on manufacturing commitments
* Developed the roadmap for all teams to evolve toward predictive velocities.
* Focused primarily on training the teams to write good user stories, prioritize the work based on business value and handling of the tasks by the team.
* Placed substantial efforts on team member role training, time-boxing and providing strong metrics for all players
* Brought in Agile best practices such as time-boxing, continuous integration, code/design reviews, transparency, accountability, rally tracking, product visioning, technical debt reduction, self-management, empowerment and role training resulting in realized velocity improvement of more than 100%.
* As a Scrum Master for four products and four separate cross-site teams (20+ people), identified process changes required to accelerate development and remove major impediments.
* Facilitated Scrum of Scrum calls for seven different billing applications following Agile process.

**Environment: Agile Scrum, Rally, Ms office Suite.**

**Earth Link, Atlanta, GA Aug 2013- Mar 2014**

**Agile Scrum Master**

**Responsibilities:**

* Planned and managed work activities of at least two software development/test teams (Web Portal, Dealer Onboarding) working closely in conjunction with business teams.
* Developed and followed agile project management plan (Agile Ceremonies). Facilitated build requirements log (product backlog) with cost estimates and priority.
* Conducted Scrum Daily standup, Product backlog, Sprint Planning, Sprint Review & Sprint Retrospective meetings.
* Determined the team capacity (velocity) from historical data. Created Work Break down structure (user stories) and corresponding activities (tasks).
* Monitored the project progress and radiated the information to stake holders. Identified and mitigated team risks and impediments (Blocking Issues, Critical Defects) on daily basis.
* Worked with Senior Management, Business & Release Management to understand the vision of the product, prioritize and develop software release planning.
* Communicated the progress to senior management thru 'Burndown Charts'. Monitored the Quality thru metrics and mentored team thru the project management processes.

**Environment: Waterfall Scrum, Share point, MS project, MS excel, Ms Access, Tableau, Ms SQL, Version One.**

**Genworth Financial, Richmond, Va Oct 2012- July 2013**

**Sr. Business analyst/ Scrum Master**

**Responsibilities:**

* Established a new self-organizing scrum team by training on agile fundamentals and coaching team for sustaining changes introduced. Implemented agile process for re-platform, re-hosting data projects by training team to use Jira.
* After the burn-in period, the team was able to execute 80% - 90 % of user stories over multiple sprints.
* Rapid bootstrapping of distributed team and excellent cadence build-up with-in 3 iterations.
* High-performing and motivated team created with record close to 95 % participation in agile meetings.
* Team designed and trained to follow Kanban or Scrum based on project or user story.
* Executive briefing and reporting on scrum metrics, burn-up and process improvements periodically.
* Coordinated with systems partners to finalize designs and formalize requirements Utilized Story.
* Sizing and Planning Poker techniques as needed based on the length of the backlog and priorities.
* Operated in 3 week sprints with flexibility on length based on immediate functionality concerns.
* Ensured application availability and data integrity through preventative maintenance and upgrades.

**Environment:Agile Scrum, MS Visio, MS Access, MS Office Suite, Informatica, SQL, COGNOS, UML, Core Java, JDK 1.5, JSP, EJB, Servlets, Struts, Struts Tiles, JDBC, JavaScript, JQuery, Web Services, XML, HTML, Eclipse IDE, Oracle9i, PL/SQL, VersionOne**

**ING Vysya Bank, Hyderabad, India July 2010- Sep 2012**

**Business Analyst**

**Responsibilities:**

* Interacted with the stakeholders to gather business requirements
* Interviewed SMEs, conducted JAD sessions and online surveys to get a better understanding of the gathered requirements
* Performed GAP Analysis by analyzing and creating the process flows for the AS-IS of their existing ATM architecture and came up with the process flows for the TO-BE
* Analyzed and developed BRD (Business Requirement Document) and FSD (Functional Specification Document)
* Developed use cases and obtained approval from the clients
* Used wireframes to develop the mockup screens to test the look and feel of the front end
* Created UML diagrams such as Use Case Diagrams, Activity Diagrams, Sequence Diagrams for better understanding of the system
* Coordinated with the clients for the change request by conducting impact analysis and providing the details of the change requests and obtaining the approvals from the appropriate stakeholders
* Assisted in the client-side validation and server-side validation on the given data
* Supervised the User Acceptance Testing (UAT)
* Performed regression testing extensively using HP QC

**Environment:** MS Visio, MS Project, MS Office Suite, UML, Windows XP, HP QC, JIRA

**EDUCATION:**

Bachelor of Engineering

Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Hyderabad, India

**Certifications:**

**CSM (Certified Scrum Master) from Scrum Alliance.**