Rahil Khan

TECHNICAL PROJECT MANAGER (SAAS, CLOUD, DATA SOLUTIONS)

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SUMMARY

Technical Project Manager with 5+ years of experience delivering SaaS, AI, and data-driven solutions. Skilled at end-to-end project lifecycle management, Agile/Scrum methodologies, SDLC, and hybrid delivery frameworks. Proven ability to bridge product, engineering, and business stakeholders, ensuring on-time delivery of high-impact projects. Adept at risk management, governance, vendor management, resource allocation, budgeting, and compliance. Strong technical acumen across AWS, Databricks, ETL, and data pipelines, with demonstrated success in digital transformation and modernization initiatives.

WORK EXPERIENCE

TECHNICAL PROJECT MANAGER (OFFICIAL: BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY CONSULTANT) | ZS Associates | Gurugram

July 2024 - present

- **Owned full project lifecycle** (initiation to closure) for an *Inclusion/Exclusion Criteria Optimizer*, ensuring compliance with regulatory frameworks and governance standards, leading a cross-functional team of 8.
- Delivered 12% increase in patient pool and 50% reduction in manual protocol review time across 100+ trials; awarded *Most Innovative Project*.
- Facilitated Agile/Scrum ceremonies (sprint planning, retros, standups) as Scrum Master, applying Agile best practices and managing dependencies across client, engineering and product teams.
- Directed **Databricks cost and performance modernization initiative**, identifying **\$1M+ savings annually** through architecture redesign, resource allocation, and risk management.

ASSOCIATE PROJECT MANAGER (OFFICIAL: BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY ASSOCIATE CONSULTANT) | ZS Associates

July 2022 - June 2024

- Spearheaded delivery of a Competitive Intelligence SaaS chatbot, integrating system workflows, APIs, and Knowledge Graphs with 3 global trial data sources.
- Designed a **real-time clinical trial alert system** with ETL pipelines and data transformations, reducing update lag from days to under 30 minutes.
- Collaborated with **C-suite stakeholders on oncology portfolio strategy**; presented progress through roadmaps, dashboards, and milestone tracking. Managed **backlog grooming, prioritization**, and sprint execution to align delivery with business objectives.

BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS ASSOCIATE | ZS Associates | Gurugram

July 2020 - June 2022

- Built and maintained ETL pipelines for specialty pharmacy data, leading implementation, integration, and deployment of
 reporting workflows. Automated manual operations, reducing workload by 15+ hours weekly and improving reporting
 turnaround by 40%.
- Advanced from Intern to **leading team of 3 associates**, overseeing vendor deliverables and external data partnerships with 20+ vendors. Supported **process improvement initiatives**, enhancing governance and compliance tracking for client-facing projects.

LEADERSHIP INITIATIVES

• **GenAl Advocate & Facilitator:** Led learning sessions for 50+ colleagues, introducing GenAl frameworks, model selection strategies, and practical use cases, accelerating Al adoption across client projects.

SKILLS

Project Management: Agile (Scrum), Waterfall, SDLC, Hybrid Delivery, Change Management, Governance, Risk & Compliance, Quality Assurance, Scope Definition, Milestones & Deliverables, RAID Log

Tools & Platforms: Jira, Confluence, Miro, Figma, Excel Dashboards, AWS, Databricks, PostgreSQL, Git, Bitbucket, SQL, ETL, Prompt Engineering, AI, RAG, Python, Knowledge Graphs, API Development

Execution: Program & Portfolio Management, System Integration, Deployment, UAT, Documentation, Process Optimization, Continuous Improvement

Leadership: Stakeholder Communication, Executive Reporting, Vendor Management, Team Leadership, Mentorship, Negotiation, Conflict Resolution

EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF TECHNOLOGY IN COMPUTER SCIENCE | SRM Institute of Science & Technology | 84%

July 2016 - June 2020

PUBLICATIONS

<u>Crop Yield Prediction using Gradient Boosting Regression</u> (Principal Author)

Journal: International Journal of Innovative Technology and Exploring Engineering (IJITEE)