

# Vishal Saini

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- A hands on technical leader, with proven track record of delivering large scale initiatives of Business & IT transformation with diverse teams
- Played various roles like **Scrum Master, Program Manager**
- **16 years** of experience in Java development projects using Agile
- A passionate Project Manager with an eye to the detail
- Believe in “**Do IT Right First Time**” philosophy but will take charge of the situation to steer the team out of trouble if things are not going as planned

## Most Proud Of

- Successfully delivered **multi form factor** Online Banking solution including **Mobile Automation** worth \$5M using **SAFe agile**. (I am **Scrum Master** for one of the squads and overall responsible for delivery of multiple squads in the program)
- Migrated a legacy application from Struts to **Angular 7, REST**
- Delivered a major program based on **IoT** using **cloud infrastructure** for **iOS and Android** devices
- Successfully delivered complex program of converging multiple client channels into Single Client Channel which resulted into savings worth of **\$5M** annually
- Setup a new team of 5 members from competitor and grew into **\$4M** business with delivery transformation, innovation and right **governance model**
- Managing the programs in Fixed Price model using **SAFe Agile**
- Experience in setting up Offshore Development Center and growing the business

## Responsibilities

- Facilitate PI (**Program Increment**) and **Sprint Planning**
- Ensuring quality standards are as per acceptance criteria and **Definition of Done** (DoD)
- Working with Product Owner for **Release Planning**, Prioritization, and to maintain the backlog healthy
- **Manages interdependencies**, remove the impediments and represents the team in the **Scrum of Scrum** (SoS)
- Rapidly scaled up the team to over 50 members in few months while initiating a large program

## Above and Beyond

- Driving **Technical Innovations** and providing **Thought Leadership**
- Created **Full Stack Developer** Training plan and driving for the entire portfolio

## Employment Experience

- **Senior Manager** in Cognizant [Client : **Credit Suisse**, Apr 2016 to Till Date]
- **Consultant** in TCS [ Client : **The Home Depot**, Oct 2007- Apr 2016]
- **Programmer Analyst** in Infosys [Client : AT&T, Feb 2004 – Oct 2007]
- **Developer** in SITM [Aug 2003 –Feb 2004]

## Onsite Experience

- 6+ Years of experience in working with clients in **USA**
- Experience in working in **UK** for project initiation

## Technical Skills

**Java:** Core Java, Junit

**Framework:** REST services, SOAP Services, Spring Core, Spring MVC

**DevOps:** Team City, Jenkins, Sonar, Git, SVN, Docker, Kubernetes

**Automation:** Junit, Jasmine, Karma, Cucumber, Selenium

**UI Technologies:** Angular, JSP, HTML

**Tools:** JIRA, Confluence, Quality Center, ALM

**Others:** Mobile development & automation

- Outlined '**Attack and Defense Strategy**' based on vulnerability analysis of the portfolio
- Proposed a unique operating model for taking over complete ownership of an Agile engagement under an **output-based pricing** construct

## Certifications

- Certified Scrum Master (CSM)
- SAFe Agilist

## Awards and Recognitions

- Project of the Year (POY) in Cognizant – 2017
- Extra Mile Award in TCS -2012
- Spot award in Infosys – 2006

## Education

Bachelor of Engineering – CS

Maharshi Dayanand University, Haryana - 2003

## Professional Skills

- Agile Development
- Project Planning
- Estimation & Scheduling
- Risk Mitigation
- Stakeholder Management
- Customer Relationship
- Recruitment & Building the team
- Team Appraisals & Promotions

## Personal Skills

- Problem Solving Attitude
- Leadership and Mentoring
- Highly Motivated
- Analytical
- Adaptable
- Team player