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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Adaptive Senior Project Manager with 15+ years of experience leading complex system implementations for SaaS, e-commerce, and financial services. Expert in managing the full lifecycle of revenue-focused projects, including CPQ, billing, and pricing strategy. Excels in guiding senior stakeholders through high-profile initiatives, collaborating with sales on packaging, and working with systems integrators to deliver robust solutions. Deep knowledge of revenue recognition best practices and AI-driven process enhancements.

KEY SKILLS

- **Revenue & Pricing Systems**: Revenue Recognition Best Practices, SaaS Pricing Models, CPQ & Billing Systems, Deal Mechanics, NetSuite & Zuora Principles, Systems Implementation
- Project & Program Management: End-to-End Project Delivery, C-Level Stakeholder Management, Budget & Risk Management, Scope Definition & Control, Systems Integrator Collaboration, Vendor Management
- **Methodologies & Tools**: Agile (SAFe Scrum Kanban), Hybrid Waterfall, Jira, Confluence, Salesforce CRM, MS Dynamics
- **Technology & AI Expertise**: Cloud Platforms (AWS GCP), AI-driven Solutions (Generative AI Chatbots), Full SDLC Management, Data Migration & Integration
- Languages: Spanish

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Project Manager

08/2021 - 07/2025

Globant, Medellin, Colombia

A digitally native company focusing on AI and software development to reinvent businesses by creating innovative technology solutions for top global brands.

- Led Salesforce Commerce Cloud projects for Abastible, defining order-to-cash processes that streamlined sales operations and improved data accuracy for revenue reporting.
- Directed e-commerce platform enhancements for Dick's Sporting Goods, focusing on checkout and product pricing features which boosted Core Web Vitals performance by 40%.
- Guided C-level stakeholders through quarterly PI planning and execution using KPI/OKR reporting, ensuring alignment on high-profile projects and strategic financial goals.
- Managed delivery of a Google AI Chatbot and tailored advertising for Royal Caribbean, enhancing the guest journey and creating new ancillary revenue streams.

Technical Project Manager

01/2020 - 07/2021

Mango Soft, Miami, FL

A software consultancy specializing in cloud-native applications, media streaming services, and data solutions for clients in sports and healthcare industries.

- Oversaw delivery of a SaaS media platform for Concacaf, managing complex data integrations and multi-feature releases that supported subscription-based streaming services.
- Directed the implementation of a voice-to-text application for healthcare clients, integrating AWS AI services to streamline clinical documentation and operational workflow.
- Managed fixed-price contracts for cloud-based healthcare solutions, ensuring on-time delivery and successful production deployment for multiple large hospital systems.

Technical Project Manager

01/2019 - 12/2019

TIPI, Medellin, Colombia

Provider of integrated hardware and software solutions, including bodycams and management platforms, for public safety and healthcare sectors.

- Led the full SDLC for a SaaS management platform for the Colombian Police, delivering a system that improved operational efficiency and evidence management.
- Managed the deployment of over 3,000 bodycam units, overseeing firmware updates and data synchronization, ensuring 99% operational uptime for mission-critical hardware.
- Directed projects for SaaS-based nurse call systems in 10+ hospitals, integrating RFID and Bluetooth hardware to improve patient care response times.

Technical Project Manager

08/2012 - 12/2018

IT Big Boss Software House, Medellin, Colombia

Developed and scaled a SaaS-based POS and business management platform for over 1,000 small businesses in the retail and fitness industries.

- Architected and managed a SaaS POS platform with complex billing, payment processing, and inventory features, successfully establishing a scalable recurring revenue model.
- Led integrations with accounting software and government tax systems, ensuring financial compliance and seamless revenue data flow for 1,000+ business clients.
- Drove the full SDLC for the platform, from hands-on coding to release, achieving significant market penetration across multiple LATAM countries.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

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Certified SAFe 6 Agilist Scaled Agile, Inc	01/2025
Advanced Certified ScrumMaster (A-CSM) Scrum Alliance	08/2024
Certified Scrum Product Owner (CSPO) Scrum Alliance	09/2023
Certified ScrumMaster (CSM) Scrum Alliance	07/2022

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science (B.S.), Computer Engineering

12/2005

Politecnico Colombiano Jaime Isaza Cadavid, Medellin, Colombia

A highly-accredited Colombian institution distinguished by its robust technological and engineering focus, cultivating analytical and practical expertise in advanced computing and IT systems.

Graduate Certificate, Technology Management

12/2008

EAN University, Bogota, Colombia

A pioneering higher education institution focused on sustainable entrepreneurship, empowering professionals in strategic technology and innovation.