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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Adaptive Project Management professional with 10+ years of experience leading complex engineering projects across diverse technical industries. Expert in technical schedule management, resource forecasting, and financial oversight for large-scale initiatives. Skilled in facilitating cross-functional team collaboration using Jira and Confluence to ensure alignment with critical project milestones.

KEY SKILLS

- **Project & Schedule Management:** Technical Schedule Management, Logic Sequencing, Resource Forecasting, Budget & Cost Planning, Milestone Tracking, Change Control, Risk Management, Stakeholder Reporting.
- **Project Management Tools:** Jira, Confluence, Microsoft Project, Slack, MS Teams, Excel; Familiarity with Primavera P6.
- **Methodologies & Frameworks:** Agile (Scrum, Kanban), SAFe (Scaled Agile Framework), Waterfall, Hybrid Models.
- **Technical Coordination & Domain Expertise:** SDLC, Testing & QA Coordination, System Integration, AI & Cloud Solutions, RFP & Proposal Management, Process Improvement.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Technical Project Manager

08/2021 - 07/2025

Globant, Medellin, Colombia

A digitally native company offering AI-powered software development and consulting services that help organizations reinvent their businesses through innovative technology solutions.

- Managed detailed schedules for multi-team engineering programs, aligning tasks with key milestones and fiscal year budgets for clients like Royal Caribbean.
- Coordinated cross-functional teams and technical logic sequences, improving e-commerce platform performance by 40% for Dick's Sporting Goods through meticulous planning and execution.
- Facilitated change control processes and reported on budget, scope, and schedule for a 150+ person portfolio, ensuring transparent status updates to leadership.

Technical Project Manager

01/2020 - 07/2021

Mango Soft, Miami, FL.

A software consultancy specializing in custom solutions for media, sports, and healthcare, leveraging cloud services and big data to deliver high-impact digital products.

- Led project management for complex technical integrations, developing detailed schedules and resource plans for media streaming services for Concacaf and MLS teams.
- Coordinated engineering activities for healthcare system integrations, managing testing sequences for voice-to-text and medical imaging products, improving patient data workflows.
- Managed project budgets and cost plans, tracking expenditures against schedule milestones to ensure on-time, on-budget delivery for fixed-price contracts.

Technical Project Manager

01/2019 - 12/2019

TIPI, Medellin, Colombia.

Provider of integrated hardware and software solutions, specializing in IoT devices and management platforms for public safety, law enforcement, and healthcare sectors.

- Directed project management for engineering activities involving hardware and software, overseeing the full lifecycle for a 3,000-unit bodycam deployment for Colombian Police.

- Developed and managed execution schedules for integrated systems, including firmware updates and software releases, ensuring technical and operational readiness for all devices.
- Coordinated technical teams and managed project constraints under government contracts, resolving priority conflicts to meet stringent compliance and delivery requirements.

Technical Project Manager

08/2012 - 12/2018

IT Big Boss Software House, Medellin, Colombia.

A SaaS provider that developed and scaled a comprehensive POS system for over 1,000 small businesses in the retail, fitness, and restaurant industries.

- Led the end-to-end SDLC, defining logic sequences for feature development and system integrations for a multi-faceted SaaS platform used by 1,000+ businesses.
- Managed project schedules for the implementation of the core POS product, coordinating technical requirements and deployment activities, increasing market adoption.
- Directed a team of 30+ engineers, managing resource allocation and release planning to continuously enhance product functionality and system stability.

IT Manager

07/2005 - 07/2012

Bodytech, Bogota, Colombia.

A leading health and fitness center chain operating over 60 sites across Latin America, focused on delivering premium member wellness services and technology.

- Managed infrastructure projects across 60+ sites, coordinating the deployment of networking, access control, and CCTV systems to ensure operational stability and security.
- Led the implementation of Dynamics CRM & ERP, managing the project schedule, budget, and coordination between technical teams to centralize business operations.
- Established and led the IT Service Desk, developing standard operating procedures and managing resources to improve system uptime and support satisfaction.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- **Agile Project Management:** Certified SAFe 6 Agilist, Advanced Certified ScrumMaster (A-CSM), Certified ScrumMaster (CSM).
- **Agile Product Management:** Certified Scrum Product Owner (CSPO).
- **Project Management:** Management 3.0, Google Project Management Certificate, Microsoft Career Essentials in Project.
- **AI:** Google Generative AI Leader Certificate, Microsoft Career Essentials in Generative AI.
- **Cloud:** Google Cloud Digital Leader Certificate, AWS Cloud Technical Essentials.
- **Languages:** English, Spanish.

EDUCATION

- **Bachelor's Degree in Computer Engineering:** Politecnico Colombiano Jaime Isaza Cadavid, Medellin, Colombia.
- **Graduate-level in Technology Management:** EAN University, Bogota, Colombia.