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Top Skills

Technical Leadership
Team Leadership
Team Building

Languages

English (Full Professional)
Tamil (Native or Bilingual)
German (Elementary)

Certifications
SCRUM MASTER
SCRUM PRODUCT OWNER

Honors-Awards

Best Elevator Pitch Award
Star of the Month
Dean's Merit Scholarship
AD Innovator of the Month
Asia Pacific Recognition award

Vignesh Thangavel Ilangovan

Engineering Manager @ Awin Global | Technical Leadership Berlin, Berlin, Germany

Summary

With over 10 plus years of experience in software engineering, I am an Engineering Manager at Awin Global, a leading affiliate marketing platform. I established and lead a high-performing engineering team that develops and implements innovative solutions for onboarding service-oriented products, leveraging AI and cutting-edge technologies.

As a technical leader, I bring together my proficiency in backend development and infrastructure, seamlessly blending technical expertise with effective people management skills. I hold an MBA in Marketing Management and a B.Tech in Computer Science and Engineering. I am passionate about creating values and delivering excellence.

Experience

Awin Global 4 years 8 months

Engineering Manager April 2024 - Present (1 year 3 months)

Berlin, Germany

Built and led multiple high-performing engineering teams, managing a tribe to drive innovation and operational excellence. Spearheaded scalable solutions leveraging advanced technologies and AI to meet strategic goals. Fostered a collaborative environment, ensuring alignment with business objectives and delivering impactful results.

Lead Engineer
July 2022 - April 2024 (1 year 10 months)
Berlin, Germany

Established a high-performing engineering team from scratch in the onboarding service-oriented space. Led the development and implementation of innovative solutions for Awin's affiliate marketing platform, addressing the needs of advertisers and publishers.

Leveraged AI and cutting-edge technologies to integrate technical expertise with effective people management, ensuring smooth execution and impactful tech leadership

Senior Software Engineer November 2020 - July 2022 (1 year 9 months) Hannover, Lower Saxony, Germany

Technical lead for a core team dedicated to crafting advanced Tracking Solutions for Awin's Affiliate Marketing Platform. Played a pivotal role in designing architectural solutions and actively contributed to the development of tracking products. Furthermore, provided teams with technical mentorship and consultation

Software AG

2 years 2 months

Engineering Specialist October 2019 - November 2020 (1 year 2 months) Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India

Responsible for crafting and advancing core modules within Tenant
Management Systems, with a emphasis on pivotal orchestration workflows and
the implementation of innovative product onboarding features for the Software
AG cloud platform. Actively participated in architectural design and offered
technical mentorship to the team

Senior Software Engineer October 2018 - September 2019 (1 year) Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India

Full Stack Developer for Software AG Cloud, played a pivotal role in developing and architecting core functionalities for constructing a unified cloud platform from the ground up, with the overarching objective of seamlessly integrating Software AG's suite of products on an open and independent cloud platform

Ford Motor Company 4 years 3 months

Senior Software Engineer October 2017 - September 2018 (1 year)

Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India

Played a key role in the development and architecture of manufacturing domain products. Leading a core team, I actively participated in a workgroup

dedicated to application planning and architecture. These efforts were instrumental in supporting Ford's transition to Next Generation Technologies and the establishment of the Data Centre of the Future.

Acknowledged as the Global Innovator of the Month for achieving \$320K in savings by optimizing queries and streamlining development efforts

Software Developer

July 2014 - September 2017 (3 years 3 months)

Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India

Core contributor in designing and developing customer-facing websites and applications for Ford of Europe. Actively involved in projects associated with the Ford Data Centre of the Future, where I took on a pivotal role in building applications using Pivotal Cloud Foundry. Additionally, I led efforts in designing and implementing features, managing content, and overseeing crucial product launches for these websites

Freshworks
Software Developer Internship
December 2013 - May 2014 (6 months)
Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India

Played a central role in building and implementing a core feature for Freshservice, an IT Service Management (ITSM) product, starting the development process of the product from the ground up

Education

Anna University

Master of Business Administration (MBA), Marketing Management · (2015 - 2017)

Shanmugha Arts, Science, Technology and Research Academy Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech.), Computer Science and Engineering · (2010 - 2014)

SRK Matriculation Higher Secondary School Higher Secondary Education · (2009 - 2010)

St.Johns Matric Higher Secondary School Primary & Secondary Education · (1996 - 2009)