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Employment

Nuclear Promise X, Toronto, ON - Product Visionary (Director)

Jan 2019 – Present

NPX is an innovation startup delivering products to transform the nuclear power generation industry.

- Led the growth of the Product and Development team from 1 to 35 and \$0 to \$1M of ARR and \$4M of annual revenue over 3 years.
- Led the design, development, and launch of a B2B SaaS platform to modernize equipment health monitoring, reliability and reporting leading to an increase in equipment reliability and health scores by 27%.
- Acted as a subject matter expert for product related questions in key sales discovery calls \$800K of new contracts and \$1.2M of contract renewals in 2021.
- Set the overall product vision, strategy, and roadmap for NPX across all verticals, and managed a cross-functional team of 35 product managers, designers, and developers to deliver over 18 products from inception to implementation.
- Implemented SDLC processes and developed CI/CD pipelines reducing software release times by 60%
- Developed Business Intelligence reports, data pipelines, and KPIs to monitor product performance, improving customer satisfaction scores by 18% in 2021.

Kinectrics Inc, Toronto, ON - Associate Analyst

Jul 2016 - Jan 2019

Kinectrics is the category leader in providing life cycle management services for the electricity industry.

- Designed, developed, and implemented an automated purchase order management system reducing processing times by 40% and labour costs by \$120K/year
- Developed a tool to automate mechanical stress analysis leading to a 60% increase in completion speed of projects and positioning Kinectrics as the engineering consultant of choice for that type of stress analysis.

BionX Inc, Toronto, ON - Embedded Systems Intern

Sep 2015 - Dec 2015

BionX Inc. was a failed manufacturer of electric propulsion systems and electric bikes.

- Designed, developed and tested the user interface console on BionX e-bikes improving console responsiveness by 36%.
- Improving in-motion usability of console by redesigning the human machine interface to perform all activities with 2 button presses.

Suncor Energy, Fort McMurray, AB - Reliability Engineering Intern

Suncor Energy is a Canadian integrated energy company specializing in the production of synthetic crude from oil sands.

 Developed condition based monitoring model to predict failures of mining equipment resulting in a 35% reduction in unplanned failures and an estimated \$600K of avoided annual unplanned maintenance..

Husky Energy, Toronto, ON - Maintenance Engineering Intern

Sep 2014 - Dec 2014

Husky Energy is a Canadian integrated energy company specializing in the exploration and production of oil.

 Developed a reliability centred maintenance model integrated with ERP systems to continuously identify and prioritize maintenance of "bad actor" equipment leading to a reduction in annual plant maintenance costs of \$2M.

SKILLS & TOOLS

- SQL
- Cloud Architecture
- ETL

- E-commerce
- CI/CD
- HTML/CSS

- UI/UX
- Figma

EDUCATION

Ryerson University - Mechanical Engineering (BEng) University of Louisiana at Lafayette - Mechanical Engineering (BASc)

CERTIFICATIONS

Reforge - Product Leadership - 2022 (In Progress)

Reforge - Mastering Product Management - 2021