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**Competencies:**

* Professional experienced Agile Lead Business Analyst with high potential and strong knowledge in Retail, Manufacturing, Compliance, Banking, BI and Sales Business Channels with experience in B2B, B2C and Ecommerce portals web application developments.
* Extensive experience in analyzing business need, requirements gathering and writing requirements, user stories and functional specifications.
* Worked with strong understanding of project lifecycle and SDLC methodologies like, Waterfall, RUP and Agile.
* Worked closely with SAP HANA Team for BobJ Report validations for Business Users with deep understanding of Enterprise data warehouses (EDW).
* Experienced in using business process models, re-engineering, functionality enhancements, migration to new technology and value-addition of existing business solutions.
* Gathered and documented Master Data Management (MDM) application, conversion and integration requirements. Identified bottlenecks and provided recommendations based on Performance result analysis.
* Developed requirements for AWS Cloud and integrating various AWS tools.
* Experience in conducting Joint Application Development (JAD) sessions with end-users, expert team, development and QA team for project meetings, walkthroughs and customer interviews.
* Developed SQL queries as part of data analysis and QAT effort
* Assisted Business Stakeholders perform end-to end testing as part of UAT effort.
* Possessed excellent client facing skills and worked closely with Level II & III Executives.
* Performed as a Scrum Mater and acted as facilitator for various teams to close pending and critical issues.

**Technical:**

**SDLC:** Waterfall, Agile Unified Process (Scrum)

**Analysis:** Requirements Gathering, Functional Matrix, Gap Analysis, Impact Analysis, BRD, FRD, Visual Basic PowerPoint, Data Mapping Specifications, Business Process Mapping.

**Databases:** SQL Server, Oracle, MS Access, IBM Db2

**Tools:** Microsoft Office (Excel, Word, PowerPoint, Vision, Project), Lucid chart, Bugzilla, HPALM, BPM, Jira, Confluence, Rally, Slack, Wrike, TFS, Azure Dev Ops, BO Reports, Pega Reports, DBeaver, SharePoint, SAP NetWeaver, Waterfall Model, Test- Driven Development, Extreme Programming Methodologies Used Documentation Tools MS Project, IBM Blueworks Live.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

**Lead Business Data Analyst Intone Networks Inc; Edison New Jersey June 2017 – Current**

* Lead the Functional team for documentation related to Project for sunsetting existing Legacy Pharmacy RDS system.
* Translated technology into Business Process flows and reverse engineered Oracle Shell Packages/Stored Procedures for tables, by creating Data Mapping Specifications.
* Independently performed Data analysis, Data discovery and Data profiling to support business requirements development that are complete, clear, unambiguous, well written and appropriate to audience.
* Maintained Business Matrix, other Data Design artifacts that define business data requirements/ transformation rules and efficiently used Rally/Jira/SharePoint for Documentation control.
* Participated in all Scrum ceremonies as Program Increment (PI) planning, Retrospective, Sprint planning, Backlog refinement sessions and Daily Stand-ups calls (DSU).
* Acted as Subject Matter Expert (SME) for PHRMRDS and segregated attributes based on Business area for the Cigna Health to Claim, Customer, Drug, Financial, Payer, Pharmacy and Prescriber.
* As a Lead MDM Analyst, collected information regarding the scope of effort for all Zions Master Data Management integration with the downstream systems for Customer Data Integration (CDI) Hub.
* Gathered and document Business Requirements for MDM with clear understanding of Master Data Management (MDM) technology landscape, processes, MDM services and design principles.
* Worked on Jira, Rally, Confluence, ADO (Azure Dev Opps), SharePoint for maintaining the storage of documents/flows/working with global teams.
* Planned on Systems Integration activities and closely worked with Middleware Teams for COACH, KATE SPADE and STUART WEITZMAN Brands on SAP/S4 OMNI Channel Remediation and Systems Integration.
* Proposed Interface standardization / consolidation and impact analysis across all retail systems.
* Acted as a Lead on FUT, SIT1, SIT2 and UAT testing and gave status to all different streams on all the open defects and road blockages. Provided post go-live support, Debug issues reported by end users’ teams.
* Proposed options and solutions to apply judgment in implementing application engineering methodologies, processes and practices to ensure security, resilience, maintainability and quality of MDM solutions for RFI (Request for Further Information).
* Performed extensive Requirement analysis and developed use cases and workflows. Interacted with other Business Analysts for designing and development of Use Cases and Test Plans.
* Worked on a Business Intelligence/Data Warehouse project to map data from more than 30 ERP systems and MD sources to SAP Hana DW (Informatica ETL and SAP Extractors).
* Worked on Labeling and Regulatory systems for submitting the data to FDA through HL7 submissions.

**Senior Business Analyst Ebyte Technologies FL; April 2015 – May 2017**

* Interacted with various cross functional teams to establish comprehensive business and functional.
* Analyzed the complete Supply Chain, from receiving an order in OMS (Order Management System) and complete processing till final delivery to customer.
* Created Functional Requirements Document (FRDs), Functional Specifications Document (FSDs) and Traceability Matrices for application development.
* Involved in the stack sessions, and met with all stake holders to understand, articulate, and document the requirements.
* Created Business Flow diagrams using MS VISIO as per the requirements.
* Worked extensively on drools to define the acceptable values by orchestrating the execution of the business rules in BRMS.
* Designing Excels Sheets and FDD for all modules using BRMS as rule authoring tool.
* Define, configure, and optimize various MDM processes and stages including data ingestion/acquisition, standardization/enrichment, harmonization and data provisioning using MDM tools.
* Extracted the Business Requirements from the end users keeping in mind their need for the application and prepared Business Requirement Documents (BRD), Functional Requirement Document (FRD), business Process Documents, business Flow Documents, User Training Manuals
* Acted as a liaison between departmental end-users, technical resources (architects, data analysts, developers, and operation specialists), consultants and others in the analysis, design, configuration, testing and maintenance of UDI Systems to ensure optimal operational performance.

**IT & Accounts Manager for Ficke and Associates, NJ Oct 2014 - Mar 2015**

* Prepare accounting statements, cash flows and projections, ratios analysis, compilation and review reports using manual or computer-based system.
* Process monthly ledgers using multiple software packages.
* Audit client’s records, analyze variance and determine its reasons.
* Assist to review financial operations to make best practices recommendations.
* Prepared PowerPoint presentations/decks to make clients and individuals understand how the Insurance product helps.
* Hands on accounting tools as QuickBooks Online and FreshBooks.

**Sr. Business Analyst for Precision Fasteners Corporation, India June 2009 - Dec 2013**

* Prepared High Logical Data Models and BRD’s (Business Requirement Documents) supporting documents containing the essential business elements, detailed definitions, and descriptions of the relationships between the actors to analyze and document business data requirements.
* Drive requirements gathering sessions with client team members to understand and document client requirements, Assisting with the Business Case, Planning and Monitoring
* Guide the technical team members in understanding the business requirements. Acted as a Subject Matter Expert (SME) on many occasions to explain in brief to the business users.
* Worked extensively with MS Excel and MS access. Created mockup diagrams using MS VISIO and provided the screenshots replicating the changes to the User Interface (UI) as per the requirements
* Create, present and get sign-offs for business and functional requirement documents for ONGC/other clients.
* Support business users for ONGC/other clients to make sure smooth transition from development activities into production by providing product knowledge during training, UAT go live activities.

**Associate Intern (Part time) for Precision Fasteners Corporation, India June 2005 - May 2008**

* Helped and learned from Senior team members on creating of daily status reports.
* Worked on creation of Requirements Documents, Process Flows, Decks for presentations.
* Helped in creation of mock up diagrams using MS Visio.
* Extracted requirements from the Business Requirements Documents for creating functional requirements document and learned on creation on FRD for Retail and Manufacturing clients.
* Analyzed and reviewed validation reports for end clients and submitted to reporting manager.