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| Contact9392831394cs.nemmani@live.com | ProfileQA Manager/Scrum Master with a total of 18 years of experience in Software Testing and software Test Management. Defined and practiced Agile and Waterfall approaches covering the full SDLC and STLC including QA Test team creation, mentoring, performance management and continuous development. Providing Project Management, Prioritization, QA risk assessment, requirements and change management services as well as test environment management, test automation frameworks and related documentary structure. Established process guidelines and practices for Agile testing offerings that included estimation model, assessment metrics, retrospective guidelines etc.Specialties:# Management of Multiple QA and Testing Projects.# Expertise in Project Test Management, Team Management, Estimations, and hands-on Testing across technologies (Functionality, Regression, Integration, UAT and System Testing)# Waterfall and Agile development models# Adopting Agile XP practices such as BDD and ensuring adherence to agile concepts and principles# Expertise in agile development cycles and Agile/Scrum project management, product management, and QA processes# Driving Scrum ceremonies like Sprint Planning, Daily Standups, Sprint Tracing/Reviews and Retrospectives# Project Management- Scaling Process Approaches, Strategizing minimum viable product, identifying and resolving Technical debts.# QA Team Establishment, Management and Process Adherence.# Test Process Documentation Creation and Management.# Continuous Integration, Continuous build# Designed and Managed Web based project automation using Selenium.# Exposure to performance testing tools like Load Runner, JMeter.# Agile Project Management through VersionOne (Release planning ,Sprint Planning, Sprint Tracking)# CM Tools-Clear case, StarTeam and Win CVS# Bug Tracking tools – JIRA, VersionOne, Bugzilla and Clearquest.# Proven mentor and trainer, skilled at communicating with all organizational levels and cross-functional teams to develop a shared vision and foster a culture of excellence.# Team Building and Leadership |
| Key SkillsQuality EngineeringDeliveryAgile Project ManagementExcellent oral and written communication | ExperienceMarch 2020—Present**Sr.QA Manager/ Scrum Expert**SkyeITs, Hyderabad# Independently took over the regression testing of the product. Owned the end to end Product testing for “Options Online Management System” with Test planning, Functional, Integration and Regression Testing activities.# Worked on transforming Waterfall methodology to Agile methodology for the organization with the leadership and guided teams with outcome resulting in enhanced performance.# Adopting Agile XP practices such as BDD and ensuring adherence to agile concepts and principles# Supported monthly release cycle by facilitating Release Feature Selection meetings, organizing and monitoring eligible release candidates, Creating, maintaining, and organizing backlog of features, epics, stories, and tasks in JIRA and Version One# Been instrumental in gathering various Customer scenarios through regular customer calls to understand their scenarios and methods of usage of the product. Pioneered the translation of these scenarios to repeatable regression cases which are automated.# Transforming the test case creation approach by adopting the lifecycle based - End-to-end deal workflow method achieving maximum breadth coverage in the way customers use the product.# Was involved in People Management activities like contracting, skill development, mentoring and Training for - Software Quality, Design & Testing, Agile & SCRUM Coaching etc.Jun 2011—Jan 2020 (8Yrs 6Months)Associate Director, PAREXEL International# Facilitated Scrum adoption for the organization with the leadership and guided teams with outcome resulting in enhanced performance.# Supported monthly release cycle by facilitating Release Feature Selection meetings, organizing and monitoring eligible release candidates, Creating, maintaining, and organizing backlog of features, epics, stories, and tasks in JIRA and Version One# Partnered with Product Owners, Program Managers, IT and Quality to deliver business value. Assisted product owner with keeping the backlog groomed.# Scheduled and facilitated Scrum events including sprint planning sessions, backlog grooming, daily scrums, sprint reviews and sprint retrospectives.# Maintained the Scrum team’s capacity plan, Scrum board, sprint backlog, velocity charts and burn down charts.# Identified and helped remove impediments. Identified and communicated potential risks to the completion of the Sprints, including resources, costs, and external dependencies.# Proactively escalate as appropriate. Facilitated decision making and conflict resolution# Communicated team progress and dependencies with other team leads during scrum of scrums# For PowerTrader there was no specification document available, took initiative to write the specs with the BAs and guided the team to prepare the test cases for the same.# Managing the Quality Assurance for CTMS and Regulatory Clinical Solutions Teams who were not very satisfied with the delivered quality and reluctant to migrate to the latest versions.# Process Improvement-Enhancement initiatives:# Constant ongoing standardization in process through Metrics collation, Dashboards design and weekly update for single point projections of various test activities progress# Process improvements brought in spans across usage and migration of tools like JIRA, VersionOne ensuring smooth transitions and adherence.Aug 2008—May 2011 (2Yrs 9 Months)Associate Software Testing and QA Manager, Symphony Software Solutions, Hyderabad# Handled entire QA Life cycle for the project# Prepared Test plan and executed detailed Test Cases with reference to the functional specifications.# Performed Alpha phase testing, Beta phase testing, Regression Testing.# Managed Defect Lifecycle including Review diffect, Review, Prioritize, Triage, Retesting.# Discussed Requirements and QA schedules with the Stakeholders.Performance testing:# Involving in review of requirements (Functional and non- functional) # Providing estimates for the deliverables# Actively involving in project performance test strategy and planning# Performance Test design# Working on HP LoadRunner by using various protocols like HTTP/HTML, Web Services, MQ# Performance Test execution, and results analysis# Identification of bottlenecks# Performance Profiling/Tuning/TestingApplication Security and Penetration Testing# Reviewing the non-functional required (NFRs) and Security test planning# Providing estimates for the deliverables# Authoring security Test approach document# Involved in vulnerability scanning# Taking care of various aspects of security test aspects like SQL Injections, XSS, Buffer Overflow, ULR manipulation etc.# Identification of about 17 vulnerabilities and tracking them upto closureNov 2007—Aug 2008 (10 Months)QA Lead, Zeta Interactive, Hyderabad# Handled entire QA Life cycle for the project# Prepared Test plan and executed detailed Test Cases with reference to the functional specifications.# Performed Alpha phase testing, Beta phase testing, Regression Testing.# Managed Defect Lifecycle including Review diffect, Review, Prioritize, Triage, Retesting.# Discussed Requirements and QA schedules with the Stakeholders.Mar 2004 - Nov 2007 (3Yrs 10 Months)Sr Executive Systems - QA Exalt Systems / Mascon Global Limited, Hyderabad# Handled entire QA Life cycle for the project# Prepared Test plan and executed detailed Test Cases with reference to the functional specifications.# Performed Alpha phase testing, Beta phase testing, Regression Testing.# Managed Defect Lifecycle including Review diffect, Review, Prioritize, Triage, Retesting.# Discussed Requirements and QA schedules with the Stakeholders.Nov 2001 - Mar 2004 (2Yrs 4 Months)Associate SQA Engineer – Infonet Technologies, Hyderabad# Worked on WebBased-Management Information System. |
|  | EducationMSC (Information Technology)Karnataka State Open UniversityJuly 2000 - Jan 2002PGD - Management Information Systems and Computer ApplicationsOsmania UniversityAug 1998 - Jan 1999B.SC (MATHS, PHYSICS, CHEMISTRY)Osmania UniversityJun 1992 - May 1995 |