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Professional Scrum Master/
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Objective

Engaged Scrum Master with skills in Agile planning and leadership. Seeking to improve cost, delivery time and quality metrics. Having 13+ years of overall experience, of which 5+ years as Scrum Master with proven track record of delivering high quality software, on time and within budget. Very keen on breaking barriers to deliver customer values and always takes time to understand individual motives to collective solutions. Passionate about being unique.

Summary

Managing the delivery in facilitating the following scrum ceremonies (Sprint planning, Daily Stand- up, Backlog grooming, Intermediate Demo, Sprint Review and Sprint retrospective).

Ensure the scrum teams are adhering to the DOR and DOD criteria.

Ensure the team is updating efforts & story status in JIRA /Rally on a day to day basis.

Ensure PO is tracking and creating stories to address customer feedback.

Constantly keeps track of burn down chart and informing the PO if there are any risks involved in the current sprint.

Share the sprint completion report to management with the following details (Velocity and capacity chart, Sprint Burndown and Release Burn-Up charts.

Facilitate Look ahead meeting and getting the upcoming 3 sprints backlog items ready with the help of PO.

Interacts with the team to identify blockers/ impediments and help them to unblock the same. Update the obstacles in the Obstacle management tool.

Qualification

2006 M.C.A. from Osmania University

2003 B.SC – C.S. from S.V. University

Experience

Organization: Wipro Technologies, Mumbai.

Duration: Sep 2020 – Dec 2020

Client: National Stock Exchange (NSE), Mumbai Role: Scrum Master (Kanban & Scrum Frameworks)

Environment: JIRA, Confluence.

Responsibilities:

• Effectively guided Scrum and Kanban teams.

- Creating working agreements, establishing and maintaining Work In Progress (WIP) limits.
- Took ownership to drive through resolutions of issues or blockers, coordinate directly with other development/product teams on inter-dependencies or through Scrum-of-Scrums ceremony.
- Facilitated continuous improvement initiatives and process reviews in Kanban.
- Optimized workflow efficiency, lead the ceremonies and ensured smooth delivery.
- Exhibit confidence and an extensive knowledge of emerging industry practices when solving business problems.

Organization: Tata Consultancy Services, Hyderabad.

Duration: Aug 2018 – Aug 2020 **Client:** Lincoln Financial Group

Role: Scrum Master (Kanban & Scrum Frameworks)

Environment: JIRA, Confluence.

Responsibilities:

- Effectively guided Scrum and Kanban teams.
- Coached Kanban teams in developing team processes, determining Definition of Ready and Definition of Done.
- Creating working agreements, establishing and maintaining Work In Progress (WIP) limits.
- Create & Maintain live dashboards in Jira and Creating reports in Confluence by linking Jira and Confluence.
- Planning for the release to be delivered to the release train to be deployed in production and Tracking the progress through Jira.
- Communicating with the different stake holders, Third party vendors, systems for any blockers or issues.
- Building a trusting and safe environment where problems can be raised without fear of blame and retribution.

Organization: JP Morgan Chase, Mumbai

Duration: May 2016 – July 2018 **Client:** Merchant Services, CCB.

Role: Scrum Master.

Environment: JIRA, Confluence.

Responsibilities:

- Serve as a product expert and champion user cantered design, to help ensure that our solutions are based on best practices.
- Establishes and maintains relevant connection to the market through interactions with users, business stakeholders, management and collaboration with market-facing Product Managers.
- Work with the engineering teams to define the release planning.
- Educate internal partners on our development cycle and the role of product management within it.

Organization: Sysol Tech Pvt Ltd. Duration: July 2015 - Apr 2016. Client: Wal-Mart, USA. Role: Scrum Master

Environment: JIRA, Confluence.

Responsibilities:

- Organizing and planning the different ceremonies like Daily stand up meeting, Iteration planning meeting, estimations, elaborations, Retrospectives.
- Proactively support the uplift of agile practices and foster a culture of continual service improvement.

Servant Leader Skills

- Agile Leadership
- Interpersonal Skills
- Agile Planning
- Communication
- Forecasting
- Collaboration
- Shielding Team Members
- Conflict Resolution
- Servant Leader
- Empathy
- Technical Skills
- Adaptability
- Meeting Facilitation
- Detail Oriented
- Agile Coaching
- Customer Service
- Enforcing Rules
- Decision Making

Technical Skills

Domain Expertise: BFSI, Insurance, Finance, Retail, Ecommerce

Operating Systems: Linux, Windows

Methodologies/Tools: Agile, Waterfall.

Agile Management Tools: Jira, Confluence

Agile Techniques: User Stories, Automated & Continuous Testing, Acceptance Test Driven Development, Test Driven Development, Continuous Integration.

BI Tools: Informatica, Cognos, Big Data.

Agile Frameworks/Approaches: Scrum,

Cloud Technologies: Amazon Webservices (AWS)

J2EE Technologies & Framework: Servlets, JSP's, JMS, JNDI, Struts, spring, Hibernate.

Monitoring Tools: Nagios, Control M, SiteScope Agent.

Web Hosting Services: WebLogic, Apache, Tomcat

Email Client: IBM Lotus 9, Outlook 2016.

Code Review: SonarQube

Test Management : Xray

Auto Deployment: Kubernetes.

Certifications

- Certified SAFe Agilist [®] | SCALED AGILE [®] | 2021
- PSM 1(Professional Scrum Master) from Scrum.org
- PSPO1(Professional Scrum Product Owner) from Scrum.org
- **ISM** (International Scrum Master) from International Scrum Assembly.
- ITIL V3 Foundation from AXELOS

- Planning for the release to be delivered to the release train to be deployed in production and Tracking the progress through Jira.
- Create & Maintain live dashboards in Jira and Creating reports in Confluence by linking Jira and Confluence.
- Consult with and advise product owners when defining product release content and timeline, applying product development principles, innovative thinking and a focus around the customer or user experience.

Organization: Sysol Tech Pvt Ltd Duration: Aug 2012 – June 2015 Client: Hindustan Unilever IQ Pad

Role: Team Lead

Environment: WebLogic, Apache, Tomcat, VMWare, Linux, Informatica, Control M,

ServiceNow.

Responsibilities:

- Server Performance Tuning Thread Dump Analysis, Core Dump Analysis.
- Deployment and troubleshooting of JAR, WAR, and EAR files in domain and clustered environments.
- Creating security roles, group policy, user authentication, auditing and authorization.

Organization: Suzlon Energy Ltd. Duration: July 2011 – July 2012 Client: PHH Mortgage, USA

Role: Administrator.

Environment: WebLogic, Apache, Tomcat, VMWare, Linux, Informatica, Control M,

ServiceNow.

Responsibilities:

- Deployment and troubleshooting of JAR, WAR, and EAR files in domain and clustered environments.
- Server Performance Tuning Thread Dump Analysis, Core Dump Analysis
- Creating security roles, group policy, user authentication, auditing and authorization.

Organization: Suzlon Energy Ltd. **Duration**: Nov 2010 – June 2011.

Client: Wal-Mart, USA **Role**: Administrator.

Environment: WebLogic, Apache, Tomcat, VMWare, Linux, Informatica, Control M,

ServiceNow.

Responsibilities:

- Troubleshooting, Load Balancing, Clustering, Deploying Applications, Performance Tuning and maintenance.
- Deployment and troubleshooting of JAR, WAR, and EAR files in domain and clustered environments.
- Server Performance Tuning Thread Dump Analysis, Core Dump Analysis
- Work with vendors and developers for application related issues.

Organization: Suzlon Energy Ltd.

Duration: Mar 2008 – Oct 2010

Client: LF Insurance Group, Sweden.

Role: Java Developer.

Environment: Java/J2EE, Restful Web Service, Servlets, SOAP Web services, Spring Integration, Web logic 10.3.6, JDK 1.7.0_22, Eclipse IDE, DB2, Jersey Frameworks.

Responsibilities:

- Involved in frontend layer development using Spring WEBFLOW and MVC.
- Involved in handling validations in front end layer provided by spring annotations in configuring JMS for the application.
- Experience using Web Logic MQ Series for message Queues.