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CSM, A-CSM, CSP-SM

## Sr Technical Project Manager & Scrum Master

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## Career Objective

- In quest of a challenging career opportunity to work with a progressive organization as a **Scrum Master/Agile Coach/Technical Project Manager** that provides an ambiance for learning, an opportunity to work to my potential, and to involve as a part of a team that dynamically works towards the growth of the Organization.

## Professional Attributes

- Sr Technical Project Manager & Certified Scrum Professional** with overall 9 years 5 months of experience in IT and a strong understanding of all phases of Web Development, Mobile Applications & Data Engineering with a concentration on Project & People management, Coding, Design, and Implementation of various web applications.
- Working as a **Sr Technical Project Manager & Scrum Master** for Mobile Application projects for the last 16 months in **GE Digital** (Domain - Grid Engineering).
- Worked as a **Project Manager, Scrum Master (Agile Team Facilitator), and Developer** for multiple projects in companies such as **Tech Mahindra, Verizon, FactSet & GE Digital**.
- A skilled and result-driven team member having extensive experience with all the stages of SDLC, Waterfall, and Agile methodology including planning, development, testing, and release management.
- Skilled problem identifier and troubleshooter demonstrating business values to assess situational challenges.
- Open, and a clear communicator at all levels, demonstrating the ability to cultivate and foster a productive working relationship with all contacts within line of work. Able to inspire & coach multi-functional teams ensuring consistent performance & success.
- Proficient in requirement gathering, estimating timelines, and managing stakeholder expectations.
- Possess excellent interpersonal, communication, and organizational skills with proven abilities in team management, client relationship management, and resource management.
- A good servant leader protecting the team from impediments, facilitating the team so that team can work without any distractions, ensuring the sprint goal is met successfully with 100% customer satisfaction.
- Worked as a Developer in my projects on a need basis. Worked as a Business Analyst for a year at Verizon.
- Performed Scrum Master Role in the **SAFE (Scaled Agile Framework)** model in Verizon for a year.
- Active organizer in team-building activities, employee resource group & diversity council activities.
- Led Lean/Kaizen events in GE and Verizon successfully and helped teams in mitigating the Escaping Defects and Tech Debts.
- An active organizer and participant of the Agile COE (Center of Excellence) community in GE Digital.

## Core Competencies

- Primary Skills** : Sr Technical Project Manager, Agile Coach & Scrum Master.
- Secondary Skills** : React JS, HTML5, CSS3, Angular JS 1.8, Node JS, J2EE, Core Java, UNIX, Big Data/Hadoop, PL/SQL, Apache NIFI.
- Databases** : Oracle pl/sql, Maria SQL.
- Dev Ops/Agile Tools** : Git-Hub Repository, JFrog Artifactory, Stash, JIRA, Confluence.
- CI/CD** : Jenkins, Docker.
- Cloud** : Basic knowledge on AWS.
- Domain** : Pharmaceutical, Telecommunications, Finance & GRID Engineering.
- Web/App Servers** : IIS Server, Apache Tomcat, Oracle Web-Logic, Nginx.
- Tools/Applications** : Putty, SOAP UI, Toad, WINSXP, MySQL Workbench, BMC Tools, Verizon Network Management, NPI, Workbench 360, Mobile Applications.

## Education

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- **Master of Computer Applications (MCA)** from Aurora's Management and Research Institute (Affiliated to Osmania University), 2011 with an aggregate of 79% distinction.
- **Master of Business Administration (MBA)** from Punjab Technical University (Distance Education Mode), 2010 with an aggregate of 72% distinction.
- Graduation in **B.Sc (M.P.Chem)** from Andhra University, 2007 with an aggregate of 72.04% distinction.
- **10+2** through Board of Intermediate Education, Andhra Pradesh with an aggregate of 82.90% with distinction.
- **10th** through Board of Secondary School of Education, Andhra Pradesh with an aggregate of 80% with distinction.

## Certifications

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- **Certified Scrum Master (CSM)** from Scrum Alliance Organization (Dec 2017).
- **Advanced Certified Scrum Master (A-CSM)** from Scrum Alliance Organization (Dec 2018).
- **Certified Scrum Professional – Scrum Master (CSP-SM)** from Scrum Alliance Organization (May 2020).
- **Business Essentials Leadership Training & Certification (BELS)** from Crotonville-GE (Sep 2020).

## Career Glimpse & Project Summary

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<b>Sr Technical Project Manager</b> <b>GE Digital</b> - Hyderabad, Telangana	11/2019 to Till Date
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sr Technical Project Manager &amp; Scrum Master – Mobile Applications for GRID Level Engineering.</li></ul>	
<b>Project Manager &amp; Scrum Master</b> <b>FactSet</b> - Hyderabad, Telangana	07/2019 to 10/2019
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Project Manager &amp; Scrum Master – Call Street, Core Finance and Fundamentals.</li></ul>	
<b>Module Lead &amp; Scrum Master (Analyst - Sys Dev &amp; MTS-2 Sys Eng)</b> <b>Verizon</b> - Hyderabad, Telangana	04/2014 to 09/2019
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Software Developer &amp; Scrum Master - Verizon Network Management (Wire-line) [2014-2015].</li><li>• Scrum Master &amp; Lead - Network Support Systems Interface (Wireless) [2015-2017].</li><li>• Scrum Master &amp; Lead - Network Performance Intelligence (NPI) (Wire line &amp; Wireless) [2017-2019].</li></ul>	
<b>Software Engineer</b> <b>Tech Mahindra</b> - Hyderabad, Telangana	11/2011 to 04/2014
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Software Developer - Incident and Problem Management Remedy Analysis.</li><li>• Software Developer - Operational Activities Automation (Internal Project)</li><li>• Software Developer - INET Application.</li><li>• Documentation Specialist - GSK (Client) Modules.</li></ul>	

## Additional Information

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### About GE Digital:

GE Digital is a subsidiary of the American multinational conglomerate corporation **General Electric**. Headquartered in San Ramon, California, United States, the company provides software and advisory services around operational technology and infrastructure. GE Digital operates across a number of industries, including aviation, healthcare, manufacturing, mining, oil and gas, power generation and distribution, and transportation among others. I am working for a Mobile Applications Team that develops the Mobile App for GRID level Engineering Application & Maintenance.

## About FactSet:

FactSet is a financial data and software company headquartered in Norwalk, US. The company provides financial information and analytic software for investment professionals. FactSet offers access to data and analytics to analysts, portfolio managers, and investment bankers at global financial institutions. FactSet's business focuses mainly on technology and client service. I worked as a Scrum Master in FactSet.

## About Verizon:

Verizon India Pvt ltd... Has various IT applications across the Globe that deal with Telecommunications wire-line and wireless. I worked as a Developer for one year and currently working as a Scrum Master/Agile Team Facilitator/Lead for the last 4 years

## About GlaxoSmithKline (GSK) - TechM Client:

It is a pharmaceutical company that has various IT applications across the Globe that deal with R&D, Financial, Cross-Functional, and Reporting. Our TechM team develops and maintains around 60 Applications that are being operated by GSK. Applications are related to a total of four stages of the Drug Development life cycle that are Discovery, Pre-Clinical, Clinical, and Post Marketing modules. I developed and maintained some of the Applications that come under the clinical stage.

## Roles & Responsibilities

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- Manage teams of different sizes in developing projects using Agile methodologies & Scrum processes.
  - Successfully guide the development team through the transition from waterfall to agile development.
  - Monitor the development progress throughout each sprint to ensure the project was within scope and budget.
  - Facilitate Release Planning, Sprint Planning, Daily Scrums, Sprint Review, and Retrospective meetings.
  - Ensuring resource management, task management, analysis, create work breakdown structure – user stories, estimate stories, track status for different tasks ensuring on-time release.
  - Emphasis on deadlines, performance management, quality, knowledge transfer, and process improvement.
  - Discuss the Project Strategies with the Product Owner and help PO in Decision Making.
  - Maintain the Sprint Dashboard up to date and provide regular updates to the Users team.
  - Keep complete track of the JIRA (Product Backlog) and Confluence pages related to the project.
  - Responsibilities of code review and ensure the Deployments are smooth.
  - Post Deployment follow-up with Developers regarding any issues and updates.
  - Constant follow up with Product Owner/Manager & Stakeholders for the latest updates.
  - Preparing a weekly status report and submit to my Manager/Supervisor/VP.
  - Lead the SoS (Scrum of Scrum) meetings actively thrice a week.

## Professional Accomplishments

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- Received **Impact award** and **All-In-One award** multiple times in GE Digital.
  - Received the **POB (Pat on Back) Award** and **Application Services Excellence Award** from Verizon.
  - Received "**Salute to will - Excel**" award from Verizon for consecutive five years.
  - Received Verizon **Spot Light Awards** and **Town Hall Awards/Recognitions**.
  - Many individual positive responses in **VOC (voice of customers)**, OCS, and E-Mail appreciations.
  - Was a **SPOC (Single Point of Contact)** for many Migration/ Automation/Conversion projects.
  - PACE Inform Server migration from the UK virtual machine server to the US virtual machine server.
  - Workbench 360 Tech Refresh/Migration from Angular JS to React JS.

## Other Accomplishments

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- An active volunteer for SP@C (Satyam Professionals @ Charity) & Divya Disha(Verizon Initiative) which was a group-driven charity initiative and certified for the contribution.
  - Was a part of the winning team in TechM and Verizon Cricket tournaments.
  - Honored with Certificates, Medals & cups for inter-college sports, NCC Activities & academics.
  - Represented our College (Auroras Institution) Cricket Team in college-level tournaments and cultural activities.
  - Member of the student of our college in the Anti-Ragging Committee.

- Won Certificate of Excellence for paper presentation and spot thinking conducted by Aurora PG College.
- Won 1st prize in chess, caroms, and Foosball in college and corporate tournaments.
- Won state level and National level first prize in Baghavathgeetha Competitions during Childhood.
- Was an NCC Cadet for 13-Andhra Battalion during Under Graduation.

## Personal Details

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- **Gender** : Male.
- **Date of Birth** : 06-Jun-1984.
- **Marital Status** : Married.
- **Passport No** : J9827731.
- **Nationality** : Indian.
- **Languages Known** : English, Telugu, and Hindi.
- **Hobbies** : Toastmaster, Assistant Director in Telugu movies, Acting, Dancing, Lyric writing, Poetry, Story Writing, Net Surfing, Reading.

“I hereby declare that the above information's are true to the best of my knowledge.”

Place:

Date:

Yours sincerely,  
(V C Aswin Kumar)