PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

University of Minnesota Office of Information Technology, Minneapolis, MN

Aug 2016 - Present

Application Development Manager, PeopleSoft Solutions

- Led a team of developers responsible for coding, testing, configuration, and troubleshooting of hardware and software from multiple vendors and platforms
- Mentored and coached team members in areas of training and future job opportunities
- Provided leadership for small to medium sized projects and initiatives
- Worked closely with the senior IT management team on strategic planning
- Aligned staff work plans and goals with the established overall strategies for the department and provide oversight to ensure goals are met by managing projects and workflow
- Ensured development life cycle process and methodologies are implemented effectively for successful service delivery
- Liaised with cross-functional team leads (Service Owners) to ensure the right resources are available to support the strategy for IT services
- Recruited and hired high potential people
- Ensured service issues are addressed with the appropriate sense of urgency

Avionte Software, Eagan, MN

Mar 2015 – Aug 2016

Assistant Manager of Implementation

- Managed a team of 8 project managers, working on a combined 30+ simultaneous projects at any given time
- Supervised 74 successful implementation (97% success rate), and \$200,000+ in monthly recurring revenue
- Built an exceptionally strong and close-knit Project Management team, performing at the peak of their efficiency
- Mentored team with hands-on approach, decreasing onboarding and ramp-up time of new hires by 25%
- Worked with Executive Team to implement policy changes reducing average project time from 120 days to 100 days
- Served as the internal escalation point for critical issues
- Improved efficiency by implementing industry standard best practice processes, better documentation, and training
- Member of four-person task force that led a company-wide initiative to implement a new internal ticket tracking system across all departments

Avionte Software, Eagan, MN

Jan 2011 – Feb 2015

Senior Project Manager

- Successfully executed 30 software ERP implementations, contributing 1100+ additional users and \$130,000+ in monthly recurring revenue
- Managed all project tasks including schedules, budgets, and resources (local and international), to ensure that quality solutions are delivered within time and cost constraints
- Owned the customer relationship functioned as primary point of contact during implementation, and maintained position as trusted advisor to clients
- Consulted with clients on software and industry best practices, processes and workflow
- Analyzed data conversion needs from multiple databases, working in SQL Server 2008, MS Access, and MS Excel
- Gathered requirements and defined business logic for third-party vendor integrations and data feeds

Avionte Software, Eagan, MN

Sep 2009 – Dec 2010

Business/Software Analyst

 Managed project lifecycle including requirements definition, business analysis, configuration, customization, implementation, testing and deployment

- Led initiative to develop new features for the core product, enabling the company to enter new vertical
- Collaborated with clients, developers and subject matter experts to establish the technical vision and analyze tradeoffs between features, functionality, usability and performance needs
- Delivered Business Requirements, Use Cases, GUI, Screen and Interface designs
- Learned MS SQL 2008, MS Report Viewer on the job, within the first 3 months

The Lloyd Group, New York, NY

Jun 2007 - Feb 2009

Business Development Manager

- Managed entire lifecycle of client proposals including problem identification, timelines, schedules, and budget
- Successfully transitioned clients from outdated IT network infrastructure to new managed outsourced IT model
- Traveled to client sites to analyze their current business process and help transition to new technology
- Collaborated internally between departments to improve and create processes for increased efficiency and implementation procedures
- Streamlined the workstation quoting, purchasing and delivery processes
- Developed Sales Playbook comprehensive sales tool to maximize efficiency of Account Managers' daily tasks

Columbia University, New York, NY

Oct 2007 - May 2008

Math Tutor

- Aided students in understanding basic and advanced Math concepts
- Tutored a child with a learning disability, leading to improved grades

Himal Media Inc., Kathmandu, Nepal

Mar 2002 - Jul 2008

Business Development Intern

- Proofread and edited articles for *Nepali Times*, a leading newsmagazine in Nepal (www.nepalitimes.com), and *Himal Khabarpatrika*, a prominent magazine covering South Asia (www.himal.com)
- Transcribed from microfilm, the prison diaries of BP Koirala, one of the premier political figures in Nepal

EDUCATION

Columbia University, New York, NY

May 2008

Fu Foundation School of Engineering & Applied Science, 3-2 Combined Plan Program Bachelor of Science, Engineering Management Systems

Arcadia University, Glenside, PA Bachelor of Science, Mathematics

May 2007

LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

Co-Organizer/Fundraising, Relief Fund for Nepal Earthquake, Minneapolis, MN

Apr 2015 – May 2015

- Surpassed our goal of \$10,000 in 14 days, over 138 donors
- Collaborated with local business to organize a fundraising dinner

Head Soccer Coach – U10 to U12 girls, Minnesota Youth Soccer Association, Minneapolis, MN

Jun 2010 – Sep 2010

- Volunteered to coach a team of 15 girls between ages 10 and 12 in a summer recreational league
- Organized weekly practices, focusing on individual skill development, team collaboration, and "love of the game"
- Finished the season with an overall winning record of 8-3-3

International Club, Arcadia University, Glenside, PA

Aug 2005 - May 2006

International Club Co-President

- Increased student organization membership by 100 %, from 40 to 100+ members
- Organized weekly meetings and events like coffeehouses, and cultural trips for 40+ members
- Won Educational Program of Year for "Celebrating Cultures", an annual event sponsored by International Club

HONORS AND AWARDS

Member of the Phi Beta Delta Honor Society (Columbia University) Dean's Honors List (Columbia University) Recipient of Arcadia University Distinguished Scholar Award Summer 2006 – Present Fall 2004 – Spring 2005, Fall 2007 Fall 2004 – Spring 2006

SKILLS

Software: SQL, Access, Outlook, Word, Excel, PowerPoint, OneNote, Zendesk, TimeTask, Harvest, GoToMeeting

Language: Fluent in Nepali, Hindi and English

Areas of Expertise: Project Planning, Crisis Management, Conflict Resolution, Resource Allocation, Interpersonal

Communication, Risk Management, Negotiation, Team Building