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43 years old

IT Project Manager - IT Project Portfolio Manager

Career Path

Team Leader IT Project Office - from May 2011 - Kudelski Group

Missions :

- In Corporate IT Department of Kudelski Group, I'm in charge of "IT Project Office", leading IT projects for all Kudelski group's departments :
 - 30 to 40 ongoing projects for every departments of the Kudelski Group, with stakeholders on the five continents.
 - Management of a team of 7 Project Managers : 4 in Lausanne (Switzerland), 2 in Paris (France) , 1 in San Francisco (US, CA).
 - I personally manage few projects.
- Before projects start, I am a major actor of the IT Project Portfolio Management:
 - Collecting new project requests, Requirements analysis.
 - Project benefits analysis.
 - Building a complete Business Case : Benefits / Project Approach / Scope / Costs / Delays / Quality / Risks/ Communication.
- On ongoing projects, I am accountable of projects managed by project managers.
 - Validation and commitment of all project's stakeholder on an initial Business Case.
 - Control that projects are managed accordingly to their Business Case.
 - Change Management on Business Case in case of new decisions.
 - Project management : Planning, Budget Control, Resource management, Quality Management, Communication, Risks Management .
 - Part of the Quality management for IT Operations for every new Service in operation.
- I am responsible of the implementation and enhancement of Quality processes for Project Management, Projects Portfolio Management and other operational processes of IT Corporate.
 - Prince 2[®]
 - ITIL V3[®]
 - SCRUM

Projects :

- Applications Projects : ERP, CRM, BPM, SOA, CMS, Supply Chain.
- Communication Tools: Email, Telephony, Audio Conferencing , Video Conferencing, Instant Messaging, Unified Communication.
- Workstation: Email, Workstation management, Office 2010 and Windows 7 Migrations,
- Support for Research and Development Teams : Development Platforms, Dedicated applications, Software Engineering Framework.
- Infrastructure projects: High Availability Data Center, Dedicated Networks, Data centers for subsidiaries.
- Subsidiaries integrations, Application integration, Site moves.
- Implementation of IT Processes (ITIL, Prince2) in Corporate IT Department.

Project Manager - 2007 to May 2011 - Kudelski Group

Missions :

- In IT Corporate Department of Kudelski group, Project Manager of various IT projects.
- Project Management on 5 or 6 simultaneous projects.
- Before projects start, I am involved on Project Portfolio Management:
 - Collecting new project request, Requirement analysis.
 - Benefits analysis.
 - Building a complete Business Case : Benefits / Project Approach / Scope /Costs/ Delays / Quality / Risks/ Communication.
- Project management
 - Validation and commitment of all project's stakeholder on an initial Business Case.
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Projects :

- Office 2012 upgrade on 1500 workstations. Change management and User adoption
- New Windows 7 platform definition, deployment. Change management and User adoption.
- New infrastructure (network, servers, applications) for SmardCard production.
- Implementation of Configuration Management (ITIL Methodology) in IT Corporate.
- Merge of Software Configuration Management tools, in collaboration with development teams.

Software Engineering Tools Expert - 2002 to 2007 - Kudelski Group

- Expert in software engineering tools. Support to development teams.
- Conception, development and support of a software engineering framework.
- Methodological support to development teams.

Administration of Development Tools - 2000 to 2002 - Canal+ Technologies

- Expert in software engineering tools. Support to development teams.
- Methodological support to development teams in Software Configuration management and Change Management.

Software Engineer - 1997 to 2000 - Consultant at Alcatel for Coframi

- Software Engineer in development and integration on Satellite Telecoms Systems.
- Languages C, C++, SQL, Network Algorithms , Telephony.

Software Engineer - 1995 to 1997 - Consultant at Thomson Communication (now Thales) for Coframi

- Software Engineer in development and integration on Military Telecommunication System PR4G-RITA.
- Languages C, Shell script, Unix System Solaris, Real Time Embedded Development.

Software Engineer - 1992 to 1995 - Consultant at Sagem (now Safran) for Coframi

- Software Engineer in development and integration on Mission Preparation Systems SLPM and SLPRM for Mirage 2000 military plane.
- Languages Fortran, C, Unix System HPUX.

Software Engineer - 1991 to 1992 - Consultant at Thomson RGS (now Thales) for Coframi

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Training, Certifications

1988-1991 École Nationale Supérieure d'Électronique, Informatique et de Radiocommunications de Bordeaux

Prince 2 Practitioner (Certified).

ITIL Support and Restore (Certified).

ITIL Release and Control.

French: native language.

English: Professional working proficiency.

Other

Climbing, Photography, 3D Conception and 3D Printing.