

## JOHN JOSEPH K

## **Project Manager**

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# **Profile Summary**

A PMP certified IT Project Manager leveraging expertise in current technological trend, people management and leadership skills to deliver successful programs/projects. B.Tech (*IT*) & MBA (*Operations & Systems*) graduate with overall **10+ years'** experience in **Project Management**, Product Management, **Program Management**, Account Management, **Client Servicing**, Business Analysis, **Web/Mobile applications**, Digital Marketing, Digital Content Management, Cybersecurity, **Agile & Waterfall** SDLC methodologies.

- PMP<sup>®</sup> and PSM<sup>™</sup> I certified project manager
- Expertise in managing Web and Mobile Applications (*Android/iOS*) projects, Cybersecurity projects as well as Digital Marketing projects (*Videos, SEO, and other campaign activities*)
  - Acquainted in managing web application projects on Microsoft SharePoint, Sitecore, Drupal and .Net Framework
- Experience working with different industry verticals like Life sciences, Pharma, Cloud Computing, Digital Marketing, Insurance, IT etc.
- Proficient in playing the role of a Project manager as well as a Scrum master
- Know-how of tools/platforms like Jira, VersionOne & Trello (*Project/Task Management*)
- Experience in product planning and execution throughout the Product Lifecycle, including gathering & prioritizing product and customer requirements, defining the product vision, working closely with engineering, business & management to ensure revenue and customer satisfaction goals are met
- Primary functions include analyzing solution, feasibility analysis, budgeting, vendor management, requirement analysis using critical thinking and information-gathering skills, process analysis & re-design, account management, project management, delivery management, client servicing etc.

## **Key Skills**

- Project Management
- Scrum
- Client Servicing
- Operations Management
- Documentation
- BRD/FSD
- Product Management
- Strategic Planning
- Resource Management
- Stakeholder Management

- Account Management
- Program Management
- Leadership
- Project Planning
- Team Management
- Reporting
- Cybersecurity
- Vendor Management
- UI/UX
- Service Delivery

- Business Analysis
- Web Applications/Technology
- Microsoft Office
- Agile Methodologies
- Waterfall Methodologies
- Content Management Systems
- Critical Thinking and Problem Solving
- Communication & Presentation Skills
- Process Improvement
- Requirement Analysis

# **Professional Experience**

## **ALLSTATE INDIA, Bangalore**

January 2023 – Present

Senior Lead Consultant - PMO

Serving as a **Project Manager** in managing Cybersecurity projects for Allstate family of companies.

- Managing the information security initiatives/projects helping to enhance the security policies, standards, guidelines, and procedures for the organization
- Responsibilities includes: Project Charter Development, Feasibility analysis & Requirements gathering, Project Governance, Stakeholder management, Risk Management, Project Monitoring & Controlling etc.
- Managing project artifacts in SharePoint as well as tracking project via VersionOne platform
- Providing timely updates & status reports on projects health to information security leadership

- Active contribution towards improvement of Information Security PMO within the organization by providing expertise and guidance on Project Management best practices
- <u>Projects managed</u>: Transparent Data Encryption (TDE) implementation and Hard-coded password remediation projects for National General, *an Allstate family of company*.

#### **INDEGENE**, Bangalore

August 2017 – December 2022

Project Lead

Worked as a **Project Manager/Client Services Manager** in managing web applications, digital content creation, design & development projects for some of the top pharma companies like Pfizer, Mylan/Viatris, Allergan, Mundipharma etc.

- Working closely with clients/stakeholders to understand their needs & provide solutions
- Managing the day-to-day operational aspects of the project & client account including P&L ownership
- Build strong, lasting relationships and strategic partnerships through exceptional client service
- Accountable for managing the roll out of Indegene's Virtual Engagement Manager product in Pfizer engagement
- Worked as a Scrum master, removing impediments for team/project and facilitating team to deliver projects as per the Agile framework
- Managed the end-to-end project execution of web application design & development projects in Sitecore, SharePoint, Drupal and .Net Framework for different clients/brands
- Delivering projects within the triple constraints (*scope*, *cost*, *and time*) by developing and executing the project as per the project management plan
- Analyzing, gathering, documenting requirements (BRD, FSD etc.) and building business process flowcharts
- Facilitated internal & external meetings effectively, reviewing & approving the final deliverables before releasing to client stakeholders
- Working closely with pre-sales team during RFPs as well as creating project artifacts like Charter, SoW etc.
- Process improvement by developing best practices & tools for project execution and management
- Monitoring & managing vendors and third-party suppliers within the project(s)
- <u>Few projects managed</u>: Multiple HCP and Patient branded websites for Viatris/Mylan, Multiple HCP print portals for Pfizer, A homegrown workflow management portal rollout for Pfizer, Branded websites for Allergan.

#### REGALIX, Bangalore

September 2014 – August 2017

Assistant Business Manager

Worked as a **Business Analyst/Project Manager** for clients such as VMware, Oracle, Pure Storage, Zuca etc. as well as managed critical Regalix products/initiatives.

- Managing day-to-day operational aspects of a project in terms of revenue, budget, scope etc.
- Effectively applying project methodology and enforcing project/process standards
- Gathering, documenting requirements, and building business process flow charts
- Creation of Functional Specifications and Review of Test Plan and Test cases
- Facilitate team and client meetings effectively
- Reviewing deliverables prepared by team before passing to client
- Creation and execution of project work plans and revisions to meet changing requirements
- Initiation and end to end management of one of the organization critical initiatives ZillionGigs, *a work outsourcing & vendor management platform*
- <u>Few projects managed</u>: VMware Knowledge Portal mobile applications, Oracle Marketing Cloud website maintenance, Zuca E-commerce website development & maintenance, Multiple Videos & Infographic projects for Pure Storage, SEO projects for VMware, Oracle.

#### **COMPETENSYS SOLUTIONS, Bangalore**

**April 2013 – May 2013** 

Scrum Master – Intern

Worked with CompetenSys Solutions, Bangalore as a **Scrum Master - Intern** in the year 2013 (2 months Internship)

- Roll out of Agile Practices using CompetenSys Scrum Organizer tool
- Hands on experience on Scrum practices, tools adopted for scrum implementations, working closely with development team to develop the scrum tool

## WIPRO TECHNOLOGIES, Bangalore

Project Engineer

Worked as a **Software Engineer** for General Electric client at Wipro Technologies. Hands on experience in SAP, Embedded systems, C, UNIX etc.

- Project worked on: GE Smart Energy Meter Project
- Understanding the client requirements for the Spanish meter being developed
- Handling the DLMS module which acts as the link between the output & input for the energy meter
- Develop the software for the energy meter in embedded C
- Testing the software & its compatibility with the energy meter using the DLMS software tool

## **ASTRUMS CONSULTING, Cochin**

September 2010 – January 2011

SAP Trainee

4 months of professional experience as an **SAP Trainee**. Hands on experience in ABAP programming as well as working with SAP modules like SD, PP etc.

## **Education**

Christ University Institute of Management, Bangalore | 2012 - 2014

MBA | Major: Operations & Systems | Marks: 66%

Govt. Engineering College, Palakkad, Kerala | 2006 - 2010

B.Tech | Major: Information Technology | Marks: 64%

Kerala Higher Secondary Education, Thrissur, Kerala | 2004 - 2006 XII | Marks: 90%

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CBSE, Thrissur, Kerala | 2004

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# **Accomplishments & Activities**

- Appreciation from Regalix, Indegene management on timely and effective project delivery
- Part of coordinating committee for 'SPORTS MEET' a monthly meet up of sports professionals in Bangalore (2012 2015)
- Part of Best Project award winning team at Wipro Technologies
- Prize winner in acting and orating competitions

## **Certifications & Courses**

- Project Management Professional (PMP®) certification provided by Project Management Institute
- Professional Scrum Master I (PSM<sup>™</sup>I) <u>certification</u> provided by Scrum.org
- Business Analysis Level 1 course organized by Valuebase at Christ University

# **Interests & Known Languages**

- Very enthusiastic and passionate about sports especially Football & Cricket
- Acting, Orating, Listening to Music, Organizing events
- Reading Sports news, articles etc.
- Languages Known:
  - o English, Hindi, Malayalam

## Reference

Reference will be provided, if required.