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Profile

Parallel thinker, consultant and catalyst with the ability to synthesize knowledge and global developments in creativity, technology, personal development and business systems for organizations and individuals seeking change.

Highlights of Qualifications/Skills

- Project management
- Team building
- IT/business system architecture
- Facilitation
- Myers-Briggs Type Indicator (MBTI) Qualified
- Operational effectiveness
- Managerial coaching

Professional Experience

Uncornered Market (www.uncorneredmarket.com) - 10/2006 - present

Partner and Founder

- Concepted, designed and built the brand, identity and web presence for site serving text, video, and audio multi-media projects on travel, personal growth and cross-cultural issues

INDEPENDENT CONSULTANT (Czech Republic) - management consultant for the following clients:

Vodafone Czech Republic (formerly Oskar Mobil) - Prague, Czech Republic, 4/2004 - 11/2006

Finance Program Manager

- Contributed to strategic cost reduction analysis and business continuity planning exercises
- Managed Sarbanes-Oxley compliance program for mobile telecommunications company; responsible for schedule, budget, communications, and methodology/process development
- Coordinated and facilitated documentation, testing, and remediation of internal controls, financial/operational processes, IT General Controls, and Entity Level executive controls
- Facilitated integration between Finance and IT /Technology departments, including links between in-scope systems and significant financial processes and accounts
- Provided coaching and day-to-day management to Finance Internal Control team
- Implemented SOX enterprise risk management software platform (Risk Navigator)

HVB Bank, a.s. - Prague, Czech Republic - 2/2004 - 4/2004

- Provided project management and planning consulting to Director-level team in order to re-orient implementation of newly-integrated customer loyalty and credit card programs

Systinet, s.r.o. - Prague, Czech Republic, 2/2002 - 9/2003

Director - Professional Services, IT, and Customer Service

- Developed pre-sales support, customer service, IT, and professional services processes for a multi-national software development start-up company; managed staff and project teams
- Developed proposals and managed projects/accounts for all consulting projects
- Coordinated all aspects of website presence for major product launches

INDEPENDENT CONSULTANT (USA) - External management/IT consultant for the following clients:

Franklin Templeton Investments - Dublin, CA, 4/2001 - 10/2001

Senior Architecture Analyst

- Identified process and technology standards for a global investment management company
- Coached managers in preparation of presentations to executive-level review board
- Streamlined technology project review and product evaluation processes

Sun Microsystems - Santa Clara, CA, 2/2001 - 4/2001

Senior Project Manager/Analyst

- Gathered requirements and developed a process and system architecture strategy to support sales and marketing teams in Sun/Netscape/iPlanet corporate alliance

Southwestern Bell Communications (SBC) - San Francisco, CA, 1/1998 - 8/1999

Project Manager/Analyst

- Estimated savings = \$2 million/month; reduction in cycle time of 80%
- Designed productivity enhancement processes and systems to perform call detail collection, billing adjustments, and accounting reconciliation between multiple billing systems
- Managed budgets, schedules, and teams of designers, developers, and client resources

Katiesoft - San Francisco, CA, 5/1999 - 8/1999

Operations/Business Development Director

- Managed day-to-day operations of a startup software company

- Created business development presentations and made pitches to potential partners

EMPLOYMENT (USA) - Full-time management/IT consulting positions:

SurfSoft - Java Products and Services Division - Mountain View, CA, 9/1999 - 1/2001

Director, Strategy and Consulting

- Managed operations for a software development and design consulting company
- Developed sales and delivery processes; performed business development, strategic planning, project accounting, and marketing collateral development

Netergy Networks (8x8) - Project Manager

- Performed account management and project management (schedule, scope, budget, risk, and issue management) for development of commercial VoIP (Voice Over IP) system

Leemak Training Systems, Inc. - Milpitas, CA, 5/1995 - 12/1997

Rockshox - Project Manager

- Estimated savings = \$200K
- Analyzed and created MRP process and Year 2000 systems compliance strategies
- Facilitated executive team prioritization of process improvement initiatives

Akashic Memories Corporation - Project Manager

- Reduced factory work-in-process (WIP) by 30%; decreased cycle time by 20%
- Developed cycle time and WIP measurement systems for a multi-national disk manufacturer
- Implemented an exception-based management and reporting system

Seagate Technologies - Assistant Project Manager

- Increased factory yields by 10%; increased factory throughput by 10%
- Implemented goals and objectives management system for engineering teams/projects
- Coached director-level team to define a new organizational structure and vision

Space Systems Loral, RF Electronics - Senior Consultant

- Reduced overall cycle time by 10%; increased first-pass yield by 20%
- Coached and managed process improvement teams for a satellite engineering and manufacturing company

Read-Rite Corporation - Consultant/Team Leader

- Reduced indirect material cost; increased yield in prototype development
- Trained logistics, finance/accounting, and engineering teams in statistical process control (SPC) and a 7-step problem-solving process

Texas Instruments, Asset Management Team - Consultant/Team Leader

- Reduced cycle time by 100%; reduced overhead \$3 million after the first year
- Re-engineered equipment calibration, distribution, and factory maintenance processes
- Implemented a self-directed work team operating structure

American Management Systems, Inc. - Arlington, VA, 8/1993 - 4/1995

Analyst/Product Manager

- Authored a text on the application of activity-based costing (ABC) and performance measurement principles through the use of an automated tool

U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs - Consultant/Team Leader

- Reduced customer request resolution cycle time by 50%
- Managed a team of analysts to redesign a \$1.5 billion/year payment accounting process

Education

Cornell University - Ithaca, New York, USA

B.A. - Economics, cum laude, May 1993

Honors: McMullen Dean's Scholar, Dean's List

Language and International Travel

- Languages: English (native); Czech, French, Spanish (Beginner)
- Traveled to India, Turkey, Thailand, Hong Kong, Australia and 25+ countries throughout Europe, Southeast Asia, and Central Asia

References are available upon request.