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Application Consultant | Enterprise Platform Implementation | Client Solutions & Delivery

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Senior strategy and portfolio professional at the intersection of strategy, PMO, and finance. Translates executive priorities into a governed R&D portfolio, maintains delivery accountability across complex programs, and ties both back to the P&L through rigorous budgeting and investment analysis. Brings equal depth in strategic advisory, program governance, and financial management, with the technical fluency to build platforms and analytics that make all three operate with precision.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Strategy Analyst & Portfolio Intelligence Owner | Landis+Gyr

Jan 2025 – Present

Global smart metering & grid intelligence leader serving 800+ utility customers across 30+ countries

- Sole owner of an \$86.6M R&D portfolio, governing demand intake, stage-gate reviews, and resource and capacity planning across 10 project managers.
- Produce executive-facing strategic analysis, business cases, and investment recommendations that drive R&D portfolio decisions. Built the benchmarking case to retire a \$500K/yr legacy system, presented to the COO and VP of R&D and approved for full replacement.
- Lead the recurring R&D budgeting and P&L reconciliation cycle, applying an enterprise rate model with burden rates and fiscal-calendar logic to keep plans aligned with actuals.
- Built the company's new project cost model, reconciling project costs to P&L through an automated Microsoft Fabric workflow.
- Led a from-scratch ServiceNow SPM implementation delivering \$250K in annual savings and 95% adoption across 1,000+ global users within five months of go-live.
- Engineered a direct SAP API integration channeling \$100M+ in annual cost actuals into project financials. Automated Apliqo budget reconciliation, collapsing a week of manual variance work into a real-time view.
- Built a Microsoft Fabric medallion lakehouse and Power BI ecosystem serving 800+ stakeholders. Replaced a two-day manual reporting cycle with near-real-time PySpark pipelines across 15+ ServiceNow source tables.
- Safeguard data integrity across the reporting ecosystem with automated SQL validation that flags errors instantly, alongside ongoing platform governance and continuous improvement.

Project Manager, Emerge Head End Platform (Smart Grid) | Landis+Gyr

Aug 2023 – Jan 2025

Emerge head-end platform: AMI & meter-to-cash modernization for utility customers

- Directed six concurrent AMI and meter-to-cash projects, coordinating 200+ contributors and \$7M+ in program funding.
- Cut schedule variance by 30% across six workstreams using Power BI KPI scorecards tracking project velocity, resource utilization, and grid reliability.
- Defined functional requirements and data-flow mapping with Product Engineering and IT Architecture across SCADA, MDM, Outage Management, and Analytics platforms.
- Authored audit-ready PMO governance artifacts (project charters, RAID logs, stakeholder registers, change requests) for regulated utility environments.

SKILLS

Implementation & Delivery: Full-Lifecycle Software Implementation, Needs Assessment, Solution Design & Configuration, Data Migration, System Integration, Workflow Automation, Go-Live Planning, Post-Implementation Optimization

Project Management: Multi-Workstream Program Delivery, Stage-Gate Lifecycle, RAID Management, Resource & Capacity Planning, UAT, Risk Management, Change Management, Stakeholder Engagement

Analysis & Documentation: Requirements Gathering, Gap Analysis, Functional Specifications, User Stories, Process Flows, Current-State Assessment, SOPs, Business Case Development

Client Engagement: Trusted-Advisor Relationships, ROI Analysis, Solution Demos, Executive Reporting, Cross-Functional Leadership, Training Design & Delivery

Data & Analytics: Power BI (DAX, Data Modeling, Dashboards), Microsoft Fabric, PySpark, SQL, Python, REST API, KPI Framework Design, Reporting Automation

Platforms: ServiceNow SPM (Demand, Resource, PPM, Flow Designer, Administration), SAP, Apliqo, Planview

Methodologies: Agile, Scrum, Waterfall, SDLC, ITSM, Six Sigma (Green Belt), Continuous Improvement

EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS

MBA, Concentration in Project Management, Louisiana State University

February 2024

Bachelor of Science, Fort Valley State University

May 2022

Certifications: Six Sigma Green Belt, AWS Cloud Foundations, ServiceNow CIS-SPM (In Progress)