Ritesh Sharma

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Profile Summary

Technology leader with two decades of Banking & Financial Services experience in IT solutions design and digital transformation for global banks.

Core Competencies

Digital Transformation	Product Strategy	Banking Technology
IT Strategy	Program & Portfolio Management	Solution Architecture
Team Leadership	Software Delivery Management	Change Management

Professional Experience

Company	Designation	Location	Time Period
AU Small Finance Bank	Vice President	India	Sep 2021 – Present
i-exceed Technology Solutions	Senior Project Manager	UAE	Jun 2020 – Sep 2021
FASYL Technology Group	Head of Technology	South Africa	Mar 2019 – May 2020
Threesixnine Technologies	Co-Founder	India	Oct 2017 – Sep 2021
Oracle Financial Services Software Ltd.	Senior Principal Consultant	EMEA	Sep 2007 – Mar 2019
Mastek Limited	Configuration In-charge	India	Jul 2007 – Sep 2007
Covansys India	Associate Projects	India	Oct 2006 – Jul 2007
i-flex Solutions Ltd.	Associate Consultant	India	Aug 2004 – Oct 2006
Wipro	FM Engineer	India	Nov-2003 – Aug 2004

Career Highlights

- Currently building a market leading MSME Digital banking solution with complex Cash management, Digital Onboarding, Digital Lending and Open Banking capabilities.
- Led digital transformation of Retail and Wholesale Banking businesses for banks across geographies.
- Designed and launched best in class 100% digital corporate onboarding solution in Middle east.
- Developed and fostered execution of product roadmaps for digital banks.
- Experience in creating, leading, and mentoring organic and self-sustaining technology teams.
- Assessed, reviewed, and deployed IT infrastructure designs and cross platform technology solutions.
- Managed IT portfolios worth USD 40 M and above, with a proven track record of improving operational efficiency of IT systems by over 70%.
- Devised a delivery review framework for kick-starting programs with the right basics that leads to in-time delivery, reduced or no rework for sustainable and stable product.

Notable Assignments

Engineering Lead – Merchant Solution, AU Small Finance Bank	**Solution Architect – Settlement,** North African Bank
Solution Architect – Digital Banking, Anglo-Gulf Trade Bank	**Program and Delivery Head**, Nedbank Ltd
Delivery Lead - FLEXCUBE, South African Reserve Bank	**Delivery Management** Southern Africa at Oracle
Support Lead, Barclays Bank Offshore Support	**Delivery Lead**, South African Post Office

Certifications

ASM	TOGAF	PMP	COBIT
Prince 2	MSP	ITIL4 – Managing Professional	

Academics

Degree	Year	Institute, University/ Board
PGP – Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning	2022	The University of Texas at Austin
Diploma in Systems Management	2004	National Institute of Information Technology
Bachelor of Commerce	2002	University of Mumbai