



Mark Sebire

Project Professional

Highly motivated British project professional with over 20 years in project management both in IT and business projects. Familiar with Atlassian project tools such as Trello, Jira and Slack and with Prince 2 and Agile methodologies. Able to lead and understand what motivates others. Has good communication skills and tenacity - I never give up. I have recently been Product Owner for a Bear IT study program where we developed a Garden App from concept to completion which allows the users to get weather and location-related tips and care instructions for their plants.

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Education

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Coding and Finnish Language

Udemy Courses - Jira/Project Management/Scrum/Agile Fundamentals including Scrum and Kanban
BearIT

2015

MA in English Philology

Oulu University

2004

Prof. Membership of the BCI (MBCI)

Business Continuity Institute London

2000

Certificate in Marketing Practice

Chartered Institute of Marketing London

2000

BTEC in Management Studies

Edexcel Foundation London

Expertise

Designing and Prioritising Product Backlog

Setting and Communicating Vision

Making Decisions and Trade-Offs

Collaborating with Stakeholders

Accepting and Validating Deliverables

Trello, Jira, MS Project, Slack

Facilitates between business and IT function

Language

English (Native)

German (A2)

Finnish (A2)

French (A2)

Experience

○ 2004 -

Offshore Continuity Solutions Limited/Sebire TMI (owner) and through Light Entrepreneurship Scheme

Management Consultant

Specialised in project management in the area of risk, managing the implementation of Business Continuity Management programmes to financial services and government clients. Assessing business processes for risks, writing of business continuity plans and IT disaster recovery plans and plan review and testing. Developed bespoke BCM and ITDR plan templates suitable for small, medium and large businesses. Also, managed the migration of a financial services client to the Cloud. Attained professional membership of the Business Continuity Institute in 2004.

○ 2000 - 2003

Kleinwort Benson Private Bank

Business Continuity Manager

Responsible for the implementation of the BCM programme of risk-based IT and process related projects for a major offshore bank, including project-related training, contract and project funding negotiations. Supported business units and senior managers. Developed and tested Business Continuity Plans and IT Continuity Plans. Was responsible for teams in multiple jurisdictions including managing IT resilience projects, such as implementation of a storage area network solution (SAN). Responsible for liaison between the business and IT. Developed and maintained the risk management database.

○ 1998 - 2000

States of Guernsey Civil Service

Junior Executive (Government Graduate Fast-Track Scheme)

Implemented IT and process related projects on this scheme for university graduates to obtain management experience in government departments. Wrote reports, minutes and speeches for politicians to deliver in Parliament, as well as being in charge of PR for a major government health initiative.