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Summary

Accomplished project manager and IT outsourcing / offshoring specialist seeks to utilize international experience in corporate development, and program- and project management for a global company.

I am passionate, creative and motivated for new challenges after 10 years in the IT industry in Scandinavia and China. I love to work building and developing teams, and I am especially enthusiastic in close dialog with my team members (internal and external), helping out on establishing direction, foresight and management.

After 2.5 years in Beijing I am now looking for new opportunities with a company where I can continue working in an international environment, at the same time as I am based somewhat closer to home in Europe. I am accustomed to working with teams based far away – and welcome traveling as a part of the job.

Positions

10/2008 –	Sole Proprietorship, Oslo, Norway	Consultant
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Independent consultant, helping out on project management, team management and agile project execution process, specializing in communication/collaboration with development teams based far away. Consulting on how to implement and institutionalize Jira, Confluence and other tools from Atlassian. 		
08/2007 – 09/2008	Ethos Technologies, Beijing, China	Project Director
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participated in the development of the company from 20 to 200 in 2 years I spent my last year in China as Project Director, with the special responsibility of building and developing the fast growing group of project managers. Established routines and guidelines on configuration and implementation of our main project management tools Jira and Confluence, and conducted seminars on project management for all employees to institutionalize these guidelines. Contributed to improvements in quality management, including work on a CMMI level 3 certification, establishing how agile development and SCRUM-philosophy could fit with "old school" CMMI-traditions. 		
03/2007 – 07/2007	Ethos Technologies, Beijing, China	Resource Manager
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Established routines and frameworks for company-wide time tracking, cost-distributions, and other official reporting to top management. Established routines and systems for resource management – to ensure the right people were put to the right projects. 		
01/2006 – 02/2007	Ethos Technologies, Beijing, China	Project Manager / Team Leader
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Project Management – worked with the Project Manager's "nine areas of responsibility" (PMI), including project requirements, milestones and project budgets, etc. Team Management – Built and trained offshore development teams. Key Account Management / Communication with the customers – Ensured the customers received the right level of involvement in the projects, and the right education in tools and processes run offshore. 		

01/2003 – 12/2005	N3sport, Oslo, Norway	Project Manager
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2005: System for registration and administration of athlete's whereabouts information, for Norwegian Anti-doping Agency and Swedish confederation of sports. Project Manager • 2003–05: Administration and communication portals for for Norwegian & Swedish sports federations, clubs, members, Project Manager, Key Account manager. Usability expert and functional specification • 2003: Various web-services and marketing services, World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA). Project Manager 		

01/1999 – 12/2002	N3sport, Oslo, Norway	Marketing Consultant
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2001–02: Contributed to various projects concerning e-commerce. Sales • 1999–01: Responsible for introducing "Sportsdata", a news agency-like service distributing sports results to the Norwegian newspaper- and media market. Sales and marketing (B2B) 		

Reference contact details of former employers will be provided upon request

Honors and Awards

- Most Respected Employee, Runner up, Ethos Technologies 2007
- Best Mentor / Teacher, Runner up, Ethos Technologies 2007
- Most Valuable Employee, Runner up, Ethos Technologies 2006
- Employee of the year, N3sport, 1999

Education

08/2000 – 06/2004	BI, Norwegian School of Management	Bachelor's degree
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bachelor's degree in marketing, emphasis on B2B and international marketing. • Thesis on market oriented product development. 		

08/1997 – 12/1998	Norwegian University of Life Sciences (UMB)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I did 1.5 years at the brilliant program for Finance and Resource Management- until I was "hijacked" by the dot.com-era – and started working full time at N3sport. 		

08/1996 – 12/1996	University of Oslo	Ex.Phil / Ex.Fac
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...when I am not working

Outside work, if you try walking in my shoes, you'll stumble in my footsteps – unless you find your hiking boots or backcountry skis and join me for a mountain peak. You could also put on your red shoes and dance the blues – while joining me for some late nights out clubbing.

However – if you are the type that could panic at the disco – that's ok – because I'm really not that glamorous – Indie rock'n'roll is what I need – at least a couple of underground concerts a month. ...and yes – I try to pick up concerts wherever I may roam, as I for the past few years have been spending most of my time abroad / traveling.

Amongst the Kooks you know – I would probably not qualify for a top 10 – but you would be more than welcome to hang out for a slow DVD-night – or more likely – to join me for a night at the nearest pop-quiz.

The music I listen to: <http://www.last.fm/user/erceno/>

Why you should hire me

I am fully aware of that I am looking for fairly serious positions, using this rather playful CV. ...and, yes – this is something I value: Being professional at work, with a "playful" undertone – if the situation allows it. To me, this is not contradictory – but an important factor of successful team work.

I believe my experience in how to grow teams and businesses would complement management teams in most international / global companies – so if you feel you have an interesting position to offer – and think that I would be good fit as a hard working, committed and determined new colleague – then we should talk!

Thank you for reading this far!

Erlend