Charlie Wood

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Technical communicator with high competency, breaking down documentation and projects into their fundamental details. Well-versed in version control (Git), latest trends, methodologies and tools.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Technical Writer, Diffblue - Sept/2017 - Feb/2018 - Oxford, UK.

- Sole documentation lead implementing documentation systems for customer and developer documentation for internal and external use.
- Deploying and maintaining documentation systems through continuous integration system
 Travis using Gitbook and Doxygen.
- → Collaborating intensively with subject matter experts (developers).

Technical Writer, Red Hat - Nov/2016 - Aug/2017 - Brno, Czech Republic.

- → Producing documentation collaboratively using Git for source control.
- → Leading the conversion process from DocBook to AsciiDoc.
- → Setting up and testing a wide range of Linux environments using virtual machines.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Contract Agile Coach, Bike24 - Feb/2022 - June/2022 - Remote.

→ Supporting 2 teams extensively and wider organisation especially QA, architecture.

Contract Agile Coach, Avast - Sept/2021 - Dec/2021 – Remote.

- Coaching 8 teams and further organisations in tweaking agile processes to unblock value streams and continuous improvement.
- → Empowering strong results for flagship CCleaner product.

Contract Scrum Master, Skoda Auto - Sept/2020 - Jun/2021 – Prague, Czech Republic.

→ Responsible for a new international project.

Contract Scrum Master, FlowUp - Feb/2020 - July/2020 – Brno, Czech Republic.

- → Healing stakeholder relationship with the development team.
- → Running Agile process across Sales and Marketing

Contract Scrum Master, Erste Group IT - *August/2019 - Jan/2020 – Vienna, Austria.*

- → Scrum Master for 3 squads in the banking sector, making banking more personal.
- → Taking teams who are very early in their Agile processes and implementing standup and retrospectives to maximise productivity and predictability.

Scrum Master, Dixons Carphone - May/2018 - July/2019 - Brno, Czech Republic.

→ Delivering on time and on budget flagship/prizewinning Storemode product for IOS as the sole Scrum Master. Ensuring the first-time mass rollout of Storemode to 6000 devices across the business in just 5 months.

EDUCATION

ICAgile Agile Coaching - September/2019.

SAFe Scrum Master & Certified SAFe 4 Practitioner, Scaled Agile, Inc - Jan/2019.

Professional Scrum Master, Scrum.org - August/2018.

Trainee Software Engineer, PDA, CodeClan - April/2017 - July/2017 - Edinburgh, UK.

Building projects using Agile, working both independently and as part of a team, to produce professional software applications.

MA (Hons) Russian 2:1, University of St Andrews, 2015.

LANGUAGES

English: Native, Czech: B2, Russian: B2, German: B1