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# **Professional Summary**

Dynamic Senior Digital Product Manager with over 8 years of experience in finance, e-commerce, and analytics. A strategic leader adept at formulating and implementing digital solutions to drive customer engagement and satisfaction. Certified Scrum Master with a proven track record in Agile innovation, strategic foresight, and data-driven decision-making. Excels in leading cross-functional teams and delivering high-quality digital products efficiently.

## **Business and Organizational Skills**

- Software Development Life Cycle (SDLC)
- Agile Methodology
- Risk & Cost Management
- Communication
- Servant Leadership
- Program Management
- Product Management
- Driving Product Roadmap
- Budget Planning
- Risk Management
- Project Planning
- Business Analysis and Requirements Gathering
- Data Analysis and Interpretation
- Market Research and Analysis
- Stakeholder Management and Communication
- Omnichannel Strategy
- SEO Strategy

#### **Technical Skills**

- **Project Management Tools**: JIRA, Asana, Wrike, Trello, Confluence, MS Project, Smartsheet, Rally
- Agile/Scrum: Certified Scrum Master, Agile methodology, SAFE (Scaled Agile Framework)

- **Design Tools**: Adobe Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign)
- Collaboration Tools: Google Suite (Docs, Sheets, Slides, Forms), Slack, Microsoft Teams
- **Programming Languages**: SQL/HQL, Python
- **Data and Analytics**: Advanced analytics, data visualization, machine learning algorithms, statistical analysis, Tableau
- **UX/UI Principles**: Familiarity with basic UX/UI principles
- **DAM Systems**: Knowledge of working in and organizing DAM systems

## **Professional Experience**

### **Senior Digital Product Owner Manager**

**American Express** – San Francisco, CA

*April* 2022 – *January* 2024

- Led design and development of major projects, ensuring high-quality outputs and alignment with brand standards.
- Partnered with business teams to create mockups and define business requirements.
- Managed product roadmaps, backlogs, and release plans.
- Conducted user research and gathered feedback to drive product improvements.
- Utilized data analytics to enhance financial service efficiency and customer satisfaction.
- Fostered cross-functional collaboration and Agile methodologies to successfully deploy projects across all business areas.

## **E-Commerce/Omnichannel Product Manager**

Neiman Marcus Group – San Francisco, CA

June 2019 – March 2022

- Directed marketing programs across multiple channels, integrating efforts with department heads.
- Optimized marketing campaigns using data analytics to enhance profitability and margins.
- Developed market strategies and managed social media marketing initiatives.
- Implemented customer loyalty programs, resulting in a 15% increase in retention.
- Led a diverse team to successfully deploy projects, ensuring seamless collaboration.

#### **Digital Product Manager**

StylSPOTS – San Francisco, CA

March 2016 – April 2019

- Managed strategic online initiatives and marketing campaigns from concept to implementation.
- Worked closely with stakeholders to develop market strategies and roadmaps.
- Supported customer operations and facilitated consumer trends research.

• Developed and managed social marketing strategies and established brand tone.

# **Project Manager World Trade Center** – Ankara, Turkey *January* 2009 – *February* 2016

- Oversaw daily operations and managed a store generating \$4 million in annual revenue.
- Identified new business opportunities and marketed products to international B2B clients.
- Managed product lifecycle from strategic planning to global sourcing.
- Conducted market research and utilized data to optimize product performance.

#### **Education & Certifications**

- MSc in Business Analytics Arizona State University, Phoenix, AZ
- Tech Project Management Certificate UC Berkeley, San Francisco, CA
- Scrum Master Certification 2026
- BA in Fashion & Knitwear Design Academy of Art University, San Francisco, CA
- **BS in Chemical Engineering** Hacettepe University, Ankara, Turkey