Dariia Medvedieva Technical Project Manager | Al & Automation Delivery | ex-QA Lead

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Technical Project Manager with 10+ years of experience delivering complex cross-functional initiatives across enterprise engineering organizations. Skilled in project planning, execution, stakeholder communication, risk management, and driving predictable delivery under tight timelines. Strong technical foundation in QA Automation for large-scale systems (Google, Macy's, AEO), now expanding into workflow automation and early Al-driven process optimization. Focused on modern PM practices, data-informed decision making, and leading technical programs that enhance engineering efficiency and cross-team alignment.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Technical Project Management | Personal Projects

02/2024 - Present | Alpharetta, GA

- Strengthened core PM skills by completing 3 Google Project Management courses (planning, scheduling, stakeholder communication).
- Structured early Al-automation MVPs by creating lightweight scopes, timelines, and deliverable definitions.
- Increased professional visibility by building a dedicated PM portfolio website (dariiabear.com).
- Improved project organization by applying PM methods (scoping, risk reviews, task breakdown) to internal initiatives.

Macy's (Contract via Grid Dynamics), Technical Project Lead

09/2022 - 02/2024 | Johns Creek, GA

- Boosted release readiness by 30% by coordinating delivery across QA, Dev, BA, Design, and DevOps.
- Cut manual regression by 50% by managing automation roadmap, scope, timelines, and risks.
- Increased coverage by 35% by aligning teams on requirements, acceptance criteria, and priorities.
- Improved delivery predictability by running early risk reviews and strengthening quality gates.

Grid Dynamics, Technical Project Lead

10/2014 - 09/2022 | Kharkiv, Ukraine

- Led cross-team alignment for Google Search migration, driving E2E strategy, timelines, and releases.
- Improved delivery reliability by 30% by partnering with DevOps to stabilize CI/CD pipelines.
- Increased automation efficiency by coordinating distributed teams and reaching 90% automation.
- Enhanced visibility and communication by standardizing QA workflows and reporting cadences.

EDUCATION

M.S. & B.S. in Computer Science, National Technical University "KhPI" Graduated with Honors

09/2008 - 06/2014 | Kharkiv, Ukraine

SKILLS

Project Planning, Scheduling, Risk Management, Scope Management, Stakeholder Communication, Cross-functional Leadership, Requirements Gathering, Roadmapping, Release Coordination, Agile & Scrum, Process Optimization, CI/CD Awareness, Data-driven Decision Making, Responsible AI Principles, Technical Documentation, Jira / Confluence / Asana

CERTIFICATES

Google Project Management Professional Certificate (3/7 completed)

- Foundations of Project Management
- Project Initiation: Starting a Successful Project
- Project Planning: Putting It All Together