

Agile Project Manager (Trading)

Department: Technology Development
Reporting to: Head of Business Change - UK and Europe

Since launching in 1989, CMC Markets has become one of the world's leading online CFD and financial spread betting providers, with nearly 66.8 million trades executed annually across Europe, Asia Pacific and North America.

CMC Markets' success is founded on its ability to deliver a wide range of trading products to customers, from single equities to indices, currencies and commodities. This means our clients don't need to go to a forex broker, futures broker or a commodities broker to trade these different instruments, they can trade them all through one trading platform. CMC Markets has pioneered the development of online trading in markets around the world to become a world leading spread betting and CFD provider.

ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Work alongside the Head of Business Change - UK and Europe, Team Leaders and Quantitative Analysts to plan and deliver changes to the pricing and risk IT systems in line with the company strategy
- Manage the delivery pipeline for the Trading teams and ensure a clear prioritisation of the planned activities across the teams
- Understand and manage cross-team dependencies
- Manage the release cycle to ensure a timely delivery of new features in line with the agreed project timelines
- Work with the Team Leaders on a day-to-day basis to ensure a smooth running of the teams and ensure clarity for each team member of their tasks and priorities
- Resource planning and forecasting
- Produce clear and regular reporting for Senior Management and key stakeholders
- Strive to continually improve the teams' performance and organisation
- Excellent oral and written communications skills and experience interacting with both business and IT individuals at all levels including the executive level
- Maintain personal/professional development to meet the changing demands of the role, including all relevant regulatory and legislative training
- When dealing with all customers, clients or colleagues ensure that we provide a clear, fair and consistent high quality service that presents a professional and positive image of CMC Markets
- Take all reasonable steps to ensure appropriate confidentiality
- Undertake such other duties, training and/or hours of work as may be reasonably required and which are consistent with the general level of responsibility of this role

KEY SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE

- Able to work effectively with minimal supervision, taking ownership of tasks large and small
- Strong problem solving skills and attention to details
- Flexible and adaptable approach to change
- Good understanding of project management methodologies
- Self-starting and proactive attitude
- Experience in working as an Agile Project Manager, Scrum Master, IT Project Manager or IT Delivery Manager
- (Highly desirable) Real time front-office systems experience
- (Desirable) An analytical mind set with strong numeracy and analysis skills
- Experience of using story/bug tracking tools (e.g. Jira)

CMC Markets is an equal opportunities employer and positively encourages applications from suitably qualified and eligible candidates regardless of gender, sexual orientation, marital or civil partner status, gender reassignment, race, colour, nationality, ethnic or national origin, religion or belief, disability or age.

KEY OBJECTIVES/KPIS

- TBC upon commencement of employment

COMPETENCIES

- Communication
- Team work
- Customer focus
- Resilience and adaptability
- Problem solving

The Company reserves the right to review, alter and amend job descriptions from time to time in line with business requirements.

Job Holder Name: _____

Manager Name: _____

Job Holder Signature: _____

Manager Signature: _____

Date: _____

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