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Director Of Service Operations European Patent Office August 2018 - Present • 8 months

The Hague Area, Netherlands

Managing the distribution of work, and be accountable for the performance, quality and results of the Directorate. Managing the overall planning and priotity setting. Managing staff performance, and workforce planning. Promoting communication. Supervising IT operations activities.





EUIPO

17 years 11 months

Deputy Director EUIPO

October 2016 – Present • 2 years 6 months Alicante/Alacant, Valencian Community, Spain

I lead the ICT Services area, which is responsible for the overall planning, deployment, operations of digital solutions and end-user services, under the authority of the Director for Digital Transformation.

Serving in a Management position, I provide leadership and guidance to assist the Department in accomplishing its corporate objectives:

• Advise on policy development and the identification of service priorities and collaborate with the Director to ensure coordinated delivery of service;

• Manage the human resources of the area, including drafting and updating job descriptions, allocating tasks and targets, dealing with recruitment, appraising staff performance and merit, identifying potential for career development;

• Ensure that the expected quantitative and qualitative outputs are delivered by leading the activity of the service and organising its efficient functioning, monitoring workloads;

· Ensure continued monitoring and maintenance of quality standards;

• Consider all those to whom services are provided to be "partners" and seek to see things from their point of view;

Contribute to the learning of colleagues and staff, showing willingness to learn from others;

• Interact constantly with staff from the area as well as with other departments to negotiate agreements, create partnerships, define working methods, etc.

Actively work towards the achievement of the goals of the EUIPO in accordance with the Office's Strategic Plan;

Head of Service

EUIPO

February 2013 - October 2016 • 3 years 9 months

I lead the Planning and Architecture Service, which is in charge, within the Business IT Department, of the overall IT planning, business analysis as well as defining and maintaining business, application and technical architecture and corresponding standards.

Serving in a Management position, I provide leadership and guidance to assist the department in accomplishing its corporate objectives.

Strategy is often political, prescriptive, long-term, rather stable and sometimes paradoxical. Execution, on the other hand, is dynamic, detailed, often difficult and dwells in the present. Mapping strategy into execution may be hindered by poor prioritisation, lack of detail planning, etc. In this, the Planning and Architecture Service helps by analysing priorities and translating high-level goals into detailed opportunities.

IT Coordinator for Cooperation Programmes

EUIPO, formerly OHIM

September 2010 - February 2013 • 2 years 6 months

Business change manager for the IT area, ensuring the appropriate level of commitment and readiness of the IT department in EU-wide cooperation projects.

IT advisor to cooperation programmes regarding Member State infrastructure and IT capacity in the area of industrial property.

Head of Development Support Sector

EUIPO, formerly OHIM October 2007 – September 2010 • 3 years

Set up and managed a team of application architects responsible for the definition of company-wide IT standards and their application in software development projects.

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IT Project/Programme Manager



EUIPO, formerly OHIM May 2001 – September 2007 • 6 years 5 months



Assistant in the field of IT

European Parliament July 2000 – May 2001 • 11 months



IT Consultant European Commission April 1998 – July 2000 • 2 years 4 months



IT consultant Intrasoft International March 1997 – April 1998 • 1 year 2 months

Education

Imperial College London Msc, Software Engineering 1992 – 1996



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Institut national polytechnique de Grenoble

Computer Software Engineering 1995 – 1995

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