



JOB DESCRIPTION

Title of position	Product Manager
Contract type	Permanent / Fixed Term Contract
Department	Data and Technology
Reporting to	PMO, Data Office, Asia Pacific
Job description date	October 2021
Position opening start	October 2021

Position Summary

Natixis is the corporate and investment banking (CIB) as well as asset and wealth management (AWM) arm of Group BPCE, second largest financial institution in France. In APAC Data CoE, we build enterprise tech products to contribute to business growth and improve operational efficiency regionally as well as globally for Natixis CIB. Partnering with Business Lines and Support Functions, we dive into each domain and strive to deeply understand the pain-points and thereafter deliver bespoke data solutions with measurable business benefits.

As a Product Manager, you will work closely with a fully decentralized international team (spread across APAC) of Architects, Data Scientists, UX Engineers and Fintech partners but also with business products owners and end users. You will bring in industry best-practices around product management of highly data driven software apps with strong focus on user experience and scalable architecture. Most importantly, you will be the functional expert of all the apps you'll manage, and the main liaison between Business and Data & Technology on that topic.

Main responsibilities and duties of the role

- **Understand the business needs and translate to a detailed technical requirement specification** for Developers
- **Address bottlenecks, provide user input, anticipate, and make trade-offs and balance the business needs versus technical constraints**
- Be customer obsessed and if needed, propose tactical pivots of the product to PO, sponsors, based on considerations around user experience, maintainability, future extension of the app, etc.
- Lean yet effective Project Management
 - Plan key milestones, acquire buy in from all stakeholders for the implementation plan
 - Partner with multiple teams and geographies with varying sets of priorities to ensure timely delivery of your solution
 - Stakeholder management between sponsors, product owners, project team, tech team, and most importantly end users
 - Define and support project governance
 - Prepare presentation decks, document new / amended processes, document discussion notes and decisions from project meetings



Job Qualifications (education, years of experience and other soft skills)

- 5+ years of experience in Investment Banking or Asset Management, 2+ years of experience in Digital Project Management
- Get-things-done mindset
- **Strong leadership skills to manage app development as well as expectations of users, sponsors**
- Hands-on with at least one project management tool like JIRA
- Team player, happy to extend help to team members to reach key milestones together
- Experience working with Fintech partners and other data / technology vendors would be a plus
- Knowledge in CIB financial products would be a significant advantage