



Case Study



Company Profile

Established in 2003, this global IT service provider with a strong Danish foundation provides a wide range of customized IT services, product engineering solutions and consulting to clients worldwide. By specializing in these three service offerings, they allow their clients to focus on their core competencies, innovation and value creation. Their services are executed by resources based in our global development centers in India and Ukraine. The services are based on their Global Delivery Model, which is managed by Global Delivery Managers based close to their clients.

The industry of IT and ITES has been a huge contributor in global economy and has been able to develop profitable organizations all over the world. The profitability and growth rate of this industry has been huge but was affected too due to the recent recession. Since this industry demands high competitiveness it is important that the talent is retained and appropriate transferring of knowledge is ensured for the success of the projects and organizations at large. A booming IT company recently needed a solution to improve the competency of its professionals to meet the project goals and realize their business objectives.

Business Need

This organization has access to approximately 300 highly qualified IT professionals based in their facilities in Ukraine, India and Denmark. In close cooperation with the clients, the company focuses on mainly 3 areas: IT services, Product Engineering Solutions and Consultancy. The organization had implemented Microsoft Enterprise Project Management Solution for program and project management. This technology is complex and has many features which can help organizations reduce cost and use time effectively. They needed to use the tool to its maximum potential and thus required, consulting, guidance and training. The organization also needed to increase the competency of their project team on the Best Practices of Project Management to meet the global standards in performance and quality management. AstroWix, being a specialist in Project Management Competency Development helped them achieve their goals through assessment of the usage of the tool as well as training their professionals on Microsoft Enterprise Project Management and the PMP FasTrac programs.

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Solution

By imparting hands on training on Microsoft EPM® 2007, AstroWix ensured that the project management team at this organization was able to work effectively on the tool for efficient reporting and monitoring of the projects. The PMP® FasTrac Program designed by AstroWix, included all the new concepts, features and tools that helped the professionals prepare for their PMP® certification exam and employ proven project management practices to meet the project results. PMP FasTrac is a comprehensive program which guides professionals through the nine knowledge areas in project management based on PMBOK Guide Fourth Edition from PMI USA. AstroWix also provided post training support through E-Trac, online simulation exam, preparing the participants for the PMP Certification Exam.

Benefits

The Microsoft EPM Solution tool helped the organization easily manage their projects for better business result and helped making faster and informed business decisions. It guided through the complete project lifecycle providing a concrete experience in initiating, planning and execution, monitoring and closure of projects. It provided insight into how projects and resources align with business objectives and improve performance. It ensured visibility, insight and control of projects and resources within the departments and across the organization. PMP FasTrac empowered the professionals with the right skills to take on project challenges. This program trains the professionals on project management framework including scope management, time, cost and quality management and more importantly risk management.

For More than a Decade, AstroWix has been delivering excellence in Project Management to more than 250 fortune 500 companies and government organizations. We provide expert project management services to help organizations and their people perform to maximum potential.