

# Malik Khodjaev | Technical Project Manager

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## SUMMARY

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**Technical Project Manager** with over 10 years in IT and 5 years leading cross-functional development teams. Proven record of delivering **international enterprise-scale digital products** (Azure/AWS/on-prem) by combining strong software-engineering expertise with backlog ownership, value-driven prioritisation, stakeholder engagement and risk management. I drive platform and infrastructure-related initiatives across multiple teams by managing dependencies, risks and bottlenecks, and improving delivery and collaboration practices. Recent **MSc in International Business & Data Analytics (2025)** with a dissertation on **AI-driven project management**.

**Domains:** E-commerce, healthtech, legaltech, pharma, consulting, learning management systems, AI/ML & automation.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**Technical Project Manager | HeadChannel | London (Remote)**

April 2024 - September 2024

**HeadChannel** is an award-winning **London** software house building enterprise-grade solutions for global leaders, including the **NHS, FIFA, and Nestlé Purina**

- Led multi-team delivery for a complex internal legal platform, owning the end-to-end implementation cycle. It includes roadmap preparation, backlog ownership, stakeholder management, user story creation, and release planning for one of the **largest law firms in the MENA region**.
- Achieved a 97% client satisfaction score (NPS) across 7 projects.
- Increased project delivery capacity by 50% by building four international teams with streamlined cross-border workflows
- Implemented user-centred discovery workshops and an AI-powered analytics system that cut discovery costs by 40%
- Oversaw full lifecycle for £2M project portfolio, ensuring zero budget overruns by implementing rigorous P&L forecasting

**Technical Project Manager | Itransition Group | London, United Kingdom (Remote)**

August 2022 – March 2024

**Itransition** is a Gartner-recognised software engineering leader trusted by Fortune 500s like PayPal, PepsiCo, and The Economist

- Managed end-to-end delivery for a **24-person international product team on the world's leading pharma analytics platform**, coordinating complex multi-team execution and **dependencies across 9 global workstreams. Close cooperation with DevOps and SRE teams as well.**
- Owned the product vision and backlog, and user story creation. Reduced technical debt by 35% and boosted early bug detection by 30% by optimising the full SDLC process
- Increased team velocity by 19% across the department by establishing and scaling a standardised Scrum framework and Kanban method
- Scaled delivery capacity by 40% in 6 months for building an internal HR product by building and onboarding three new project teams from scratch
- Saved an estimated £150k in hiring costs by designing a new resource allocation system that enabled project resumption
- Mentored a junior PM to independently manage a £250k project, achieving a 95% client satisfaction score

## Technical Project Manager | Weltlink LLC | Tashkent, Uzbekistan (On-site)

August 2020 - July 2022

**Weltlink** is a digital agency building custom UI/UX and high-immersion mobile/web applications for the CIS and US markets

- Promoted from Developer to Technical Project Manager in 4 months by demonstrating exceptional delivery and leadership skills
- Fully owned and managed 15 projects from initiation to closure, achieving a 4x increase in project profitability through efficient execution. **It includes the delivery of a complex e-commerce solution for Bi1 (Auchan group)**
- Built from scratch and scaled the delivery team from 1 to 14 members, introducing Agile practices and structured performance reviews.
- Increased on-time delivery rate by 30% by coaching developers and clients on Agile principles for project predictability
- Supported pre-sales activities, resource planning, and client communication for international projects

## Front-end Engineer | Freelance | Remote

March 2018 - August 2020

- Delivered custom WordPress solutions and dashboards (Vue.js/REST APIs), increasing client site traffic by 60% through technical SEO and performance optimisation

## Full Stack Engineer | Intersok LLC | Tashkent, Uzbekistan (Hybrid)

February 2014 - March 2018

- Engineered a custom platform supporting 50+ marketing campaigns, boosting lead conversion by 40%. Maintained 99.9% infrastructure uptime

## SKILLS

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- **Agile & delivery:** dependency management, release orchestration, Scrum, Kanban, Waterfall, stakeholder management, risk management, budgeting & forecasting, resource planning, PMO development, cross-functional team leadership, coaching & mentoring, contingency planning, status reporting.
- **Data & automation:** Power BI, Power Automate, Make.com, n8n, API integrations, AI-driven project delivery and process automation.
- **Project & collaboration tools:** Jira, Confluence, Trello, Asana, Miro, Microsoft 365, Figma, Git, Postman, Lovable, Claude, ChatGPT, Microsoft Copilot.
- **Technical:** JavaScript, SQL, Lua, REST API design & testing (Swagger/OpenAPI), WordPress, JQL; strong understanding of cloud platforms (Azure/AWS) and integration patterns.
- **Languages:** English, Russian, Uzbek

## CERTIFICATIONS

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- Agile Project Management (Google)
- Practical Application of Gen AI for Project Managers (PMI)

## EDUCATION

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### MSc International Business with Data Analytics | Ulster University, UK

Graduated October 2025

- Key Achievement: Authored a dissertation on AI in IT Project Management, identifying strategies to boost delivery efficiency by 30%.
- Capstone: Developed a digital transformation strategy using Power BI, forecasting a 20% efficiency increase for an FTSE 100 company.

### Bachelor's in English language and literature for ESL learners

Graduated June 2020