Frank Thissen

ABOUT

Experienced product and people leader skilled in guiding complex technical projects from concept to market, ensuring timely releases, and integrating user feedback throughout the development process.

EXPERIENCE

TowGo Technologies — Co-Founder / Product

IAN 2024 - PRESENT

TowGo is a Roadside Assistance app that helps drivers get their vehicles back on the road.

- Develop 0-1 year product roadmap with 4 phases
- Interview 3 potential users to develop 15 user stories in order to establish a MVP with a backlog for further development
- Generate functional diagrams, process flow charts, and data tables for the software team
- Manage a team of 3 Full Stack developers through an Agile Scrum development process
- Generate 50 UI/UX wireframe screens with designer in Figma

Bastion Labworks — Director of Product

OCT 2023 - PRESENT

Bastion Labworks develops innovative products in the medical sector.

- Collaborate with medical experts to identify 7 key challenges, in year 1, in the Surgical Suite that would benefit from new products
- Develop and implement the product development lifecycle from zero to 1 year
- Conduct thorough reviews of prior art to identify potential IP opportunities and adjusted concepts to successfully execute one patent, and numerous Intellectual Property for novel medical devices
- Lead weekly meeting with the Board of Directors to align the technology roadmap with ownership's expectations

Reliabotics — Engineering Manager

MAY 2015 - OCT 2023

Reliabotics is a leading provider of robotics solutions helping clients deploy multi-million dollar solutions while mitigating personnel risk.

 Led an interdisciplinary team of 5 engineers through the entire product lifecycle of automated systems including Design, Build, and Support phases

EDUCATION

Stevens Institute of Technology

Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering - May 2018

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CERTIFICATIONS

PSM 1 - Professional Scrum Master Scrum.org

PSPO 1 - Professional Scrum Product Owner Scrum.org

AI Product Management Specialization

Duke University (Coursera)

Complete Agile Scrum
Master Certification
Training

Omni Academy (Udemy)

Deeply Practical Project Management

William Stewart (Udemy)

Agile Crash CourseMauricio Rubio (Udemy)

INTERESTS

Travel, Family, Fitness, Automotive