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PROJECT CONTROLS & PMO | DIGITAL SYSTEMS | OSLO

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PROFILE

Oslo-based Project Controls and PMO specialist with 10+ years across energy, circular economy, biogas, infrastructure and industrial projects, including nearly four years of Norwegian delivery experience. Runs planning, scheduling, cost control, forecasting, risk and reporting across the full lifecycle, while building the digital and AI-assisted systems around delivery. Works best where planning meets people: makes the controls checkable, trains the teams who use them and keeps decisions with accountable humans.

+30%	+50%	GBP 10M	50+
FORECAST ACCURACY	RESOURCE UTILISATION	SKIVE MODIFICATION	PEOPLE TRAINED

NORWEGIAN EXPERIENCE - MAIN FOCUS

Project Controls Specialist & Digital Systems Coordinator

Antec Biogas AS, Oslo | Jan 2026 - Jun 2026

Contract, full-time | Brownfield and greenfield biogas assets

- Ran lifecycle controls for two 150,000 t/yr biogas assets across engineering, construction and production ramp-up.
- Introduced critical-path analysis and scenario modelling so schedule deviations surfaced before supplier commitments.
- Coordinated ERP, EAM and CRM integration with plant data for project and executive decision-making.

Project Planner (Interim Project Controls Manager)

Quantafuel AS, Oslo | Apr 2024 - Jan 2026

Permanent, full-time | Circular economy and chemical recycling | Nordic portfolio

- Improved forecasting accuracy by 30% through analytical planning, scenario modelling and portfolio investment analysis.
- Improved cross-functional resource utilisation by 50% across a 30+ project pipeline, with 12+ projects actively scheduled as priorities shifted.
- Led planning for a GBP 10M production-line modification in Skive; the resource model later became the portfolio planning backbone.
- Led the Omega PIMS to Omega365 migration and trained 50+ users, reducing dependence on external consultants.

Digital Business, Startup Operations & Planning Roles

Handelshoyskolen BI, BI Startup Hub, Evyon and Vulkaza - Norway | Oct 2022 - Jan 2024

Part-time Norwegian experience alongside full-time Digital Business studies

- Helped establish BI's Digital Business Lab and created practical training material using the Microsoft Power Platform.
- Built a Notion-based operating system for BI Startup Hub and supported student founders with enterprise tooling.
- Supported operational planning, reporting and workflow analysis in Norwegian cleantech and startup environments.

SELECTED PROJECTS & PRODUCTS

Weaveplane	Designed and developed a working product in two weeks: one canonical project-method layer that connected tools can read without maintaining separate copies that drift.
iamsaras.me	Designed and built a live portfolio that presents one career story through four independent design languages, with evidence-led navigation, accessible themes and recruiter-ready downloads.
Nordic delivery systems	Delivered planning and controls across two 150,000 t/yr biogas assets, a GBP 10M Skive modification, portfolio planning, Omega365 migration and ERP/EAM/CRM integration.
Applied methods	Built and used Smia, VEV and LOOM to select design methods, coordinate bounded AI-assisted work and test improvements, supported by context and graph engineering.

Additional projects: Esbjerg new plant and Malmo R&D; BI Digital Business Lab and Startup Hub operating system; Power Platform training; 132kV substation bay, data-centre new build, hospital-wing modification, railway electrification and solar FID consultancy.

EARLIER EXPERIENCE - INDIA (BRIEF)

Rationale Energy - Founder & PMO / Business Operations Lead | 2016-2022: Led 20+ energy and infrastructure EPC projects; grew annual revenue by an average of 128% year-on-year for three consecutive years; reduced procurement lead time by 25% and portfolio risk exposure by 30%.

Power Electronics Corporation - Tendering & Technical Coordination | 2012-2016: Produced 50+ compliant technical-commercial proposals and coordinated awarded work through procurement, installation, commissioning and handover while studying full-time.

EDUCATION

Bachelor's in Digital Business Handelshoyskolen BI, Oslo 2022 - 2025	B.Tech in Mechanical Engineering U.P. Technical University, India 2012 - 2016
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CAPABILITIES

Project controls	CPM, EVM, scenario analysis, resource heatmaps, risk, forecasting, reporting
Planning systems	Primavera P6 and OPC, MS Project, Omega365, Meisterplan, Float, Anaplan
Analytics	Power BI and Copilot, Power Apps, Power Automate, Tableau, Looker, advanced Excel
Delivery systems	ERP/EAM/CRM integration, SharePoint, M-Files, ProArc, Notion, ClickUp, Jira
AI and automation	Agent orchestration, context and graph engineering, AI-assisted PMO and design workflows

CERTIFICATIONS & LANGUAGES

Certifications: Microsoft Power BI Data Analyst (PL-300), Google Project Management, Omega365 Academy modules, Oracle Primavera Cloud Schedule & Portfolio Management. PMI PMP and PMOCP in progress, 2026.

Languages: English C1 | Norwegian A2-B1, actively improving | Hindi native.