

Personal Recommendations

IT Project Manager / Process and Controls at University of Rochester

1 visible recommendation for this position:

“Carol is a very detailed individual who is extremely flexible and has been a pleasure to work with. She will be an asset to any company who will utilize her skills to their full potential.” June 11, 2009

Raymond Pearles, *Technical Recruiter*, *Kelly IT Resources*
was a consultant or contractor to Carol at University of Rochester

IT Program / Project Manager (Contract Position) at Sun Microsystems

3 visible recommendations for this position:

“Carol was the Program Manager for my Project Work. Under very challenging circumstances, a positive attitude was maintained while delivering total customer satisfaction. Quietly reassuring and supportive when it counted, everything came together smoothly without exception. Never at a loss, she engaged and mobilized critical matrixed resources ensuring common understanding of the priority and impact of resource tasks. Following up on every assignment, there was total understanding of what was expected and when it was due. I would recommend Carol without condition or reservation.”
August 19, 2009

Richard A. (Tony) Eckel, *Consultant*, *Frontier Communications*
worked directly with Carol at Sun Microsystems

“We hired Carol as a Senior Project Manager at a major communications company to help clean up a backlog of over 27,000 hours with new added problems arriving every day. She was able to hit the ground running and over the next 6 months substantially reduce the backlog. She was able to help us grow our footprint in the organization to over 8 consultants doing various parts of the engagement. She also worked with the upper level executives in the organization and was responsible for organizing and running their status meetings. Carol is a professional with many qualities that are critical for someone in her position.” June 16, 2009

Top qualities: Expert, High Integrity, Creative

Phil Scher

hired Carol as a IT Consultant in 2007

“Carol worked on several projects while at Sun Managed Operations. She is detail oriented and did what it took to complete the tasks. Carol collaborated with several different groups to get goals completed. It was my pleasure to work with her and would welcome working with her again in the future.” March 31, 2008

Stephen Ruiz , *DBA Team Lead , Sun Microsystems, Inc.*
worked with Carol at Sun Microsystems

IT Project Manager & Senior Business Systems Analyst at Eastman Kodak

6 visible recommendations for this position:

“Carol Larsen is a very detail-oriented project manager. When I was assigned to be her mentor to Kodak's IT project mgt methodology, she had a plan laid out at the first meeting. She set up weekly meetings where she and I would meet, discuss her/her'team's progress. Also it was her time to ask any question of me she wanted. I would definitely work with Carol again - in any situation.” February 9, 2009

Nancy Wilfeard , *Project Manager , Eastman Kodak*
worked directly with Carol at Eastman Kodak

“I worked with Carol Larsen on a sales application project while at Eastman Kodak. My responsibility, as an IT systems/business analyst, was to update/correct the application code. Carol's role was as the Business Integrator, serving as a liaison between the business unit and the IT team. As the project lead, Carol brought in the appropriate resources and facilitated the reviews and discussions. She made my job easier by eliminating any barriers, creating and following up on action items and communicating the status of the project. The success of the project was due to the team effort, which Carol managed. It is a privilege to work with her, both on a professional and personal level.” January 5, 2009

Elizabeth Garrisi , *Systems/Business Analyst , Eastman Kodak*
worked with Carol at Eastman Kodak

“I have worked with Carol Larsen on several IT projects and Carol was very hard working, produced solid project management deliverables, and was great about driving timely results. In one case she fully engaged the business management to make key decisions needed to determine infrastructure requirements. Carol puts her total self into her work and always is willing to put forth extra effort when the need arises.” July 24, 2008

Jim Briggs , *Manager, External Access , Eastman Kodak Company*
managed Carol indirectly at Eastman Kodak

“I worked with Carol on several occasions where I was assigned to provide IT services for her as she managed a software rollout project. I enjoyed the working with her as she seemed always prepared for her projects, communicating with anticipation her objectives. Because of the detail of her work, any issues were made easy to resolve.” May 21, 2008

Bradley Trail , *IT Support Specialist , Eastman Kodak Company*
worked with Carol at Eastman Kodak

“Carol is a highly experienced and results-focused program / project manager. She is thorough, detail oriented, and able to comprehend some complex technical requirements and successfully deal with issues surrounding those requirements. She has the skills to get the job done.” May 15, 2008

Victor Wasilov , *Manager Technology Integration, Americas Region , Eastman Kodak* managed Carol indirectly at Eastman Kodak

“I came to know Carol during her last major project, which she managed & successfully delivered. It was a complex variable sales compensation project impacting 250+ sales employees across 3 regions resulting in a single global solution. Received recognition reward from IT Management for her ability to coordinate the project worldwide (North America, Latin America and Europe) She is persistent in pursuing to solve project problems and ensure they are resolved on time.” January 26, 2007

Jong Wie , *IT Business Unit Manager , Eastman Kodak Co* worked directly with Carol at Eastman Kodak Co.

IT Project Manager at Eastman Kodak

I visible recommendation for this position:

“Carol's technical competence, business orientation, and consultation skills enabled me to update my computer efficiently. Carol also provided excellent technical support as I learned the new system.” May 10, 2008

Ann Leonard , *HR Director, VP Entertainment Imaging , Eastman Kodak* managed Carol indirectly at Eastman Kodak

Senior IT Business Systems Analyst at Eastman Kodak

I visible recommendation for this position:

“I worked with Carol at Kodak where she was a Business Systems Analyst and Team Leader for a group of IT developers supporting a manufacturing operation. My role as a Business Analyst was that of coordinating the manufacturing systems and the development work associated with them. Carol and I worked very closely together. She is an excellent analyst, able to understand the business needs and translate them into systems specifications. As team leader, she then directed her group of developers in converting those specifications into effective systems solutions to the manufacturing needs. I highly recommend her work. Her organized and systematic approach always ensures success and it is a pleasure to work with her!” June 17, 2009

Roger Howe , *Business Systems Analyst / IT Project Manager , Eastman Kodak* worked with Carol at Eastman Kodak