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Profile

Thom has over 12 years of consultancy and project management experience in the financial services industry. He has been working in projects on behalf of investment services institutions, asset managers, retail and wholesale banks, an exchange, a broker and a custodian. Amongst others, Thom has been as project manager and / or test coordinator responsible for the implementation of investment management systems (front and back office), the upgrade of a treasury back office and the set up of new disaster recovery environments.

Thom is an enthusiastic consultant, result focused with a good eye for inter human relationships. As project and people manager, Thom has gained experience in the management and coaching of a team of experts and consultants. He is used to working in multidisciplinary and international environments. He is specialized in the implementation of new ways of working, often triggered by the implementation of new software systems. Thom's focus is on making sure that the organisation is capable of managing the new situation and benefiting to the maximum extends of the new delivered products. His span of control includes business process and organization structure, application set up as well as the IT.

Thom has a university degree in economics, specialised in Banking and Financial Markets.

Employers

TDelleman Consulting - Almere
December 2007 – current position
Senior consultant Financial Institutions

DCE Consultants - Schiphol Februari 2004 – December 2007 Senior Consultant Financial Institutions

Business Management Group (acquired by Getronics Consulting), - June 1997 - January 2004 Role: Consultant (business analyst and project manager)

Arbeidsvoorziening, August 1993 – May 1997

Role: Management support

Military service, February 1992 - May 1993

Rank: sergeant

Management & Consultancy experience

Market/Organisation

Business aspects

Private Bank - Wealth manager

Role

Project manager, test coordinator

Project

Implementation of a wealth management system (WMS)

Portfolio management for private and institutional clients, including order generation, compliance. Instrument coverage: equities, funds, fixed income, listed derivatives, alternatives, structured products. Static data, market data, client data, benchmarks. The system role out is to 7 different branches. The implementation also leads to changes in processes across Portfolio and Relationship management, Risk Management, Back Office and Mid Office departments. Integration with

the back office and order management system.

Technical aspects

3 tier web based architecture; integration; back up & restore; disaster recovery; technical infrastructure; system performance; security. The system integration is about developing batch and real time interfaces (via

Biz talk),

Period

2009, 2010 (current position)

Activities

Managing the implementation with a project team of business and technical experts and with good involvement of the consultants of the system vendors (back off system and WMS). The project goes through the stages: analysis, configuration and development, system testing, User Acceptance Testing, Go Live. Heavy involvement of future business users, as well as the heavy involvement of IT experts and application managers has been the cornerstone for success. Besides being able to manage the project and taking care of vendor management, Thom has supported the organisation through his business knowledge and communication skills. This has contributed for example to faster decision making with respect to investment management and procedural issues.

Results

The WMS and adjoining procedures have been implemented successfully and smoothly according to the business and IT quality requirements, taking 10% more time and budget then anticipated.

Market/Organisation

Private Bank – Wealth manager

Role Project Project manager, Business consultant, Procurement officer Selection of a wealth management system (WMS) and order

management system (OMS)

Business aspects

Portfolio management for private and institutional clients, order

management and routing, connectivity to electronic trading network (fix), compliance, client relationship management, risk measurement,

performance measurement (GIPS compliant), client reporting (paper and internet). Instrument coverage: equities, funds, fixed income, listed derivatives, alternatives, structured products. Static data, market data,

client data, benchmarks.

Technical aspects

Web services, service oriented architecture, message bus (Biz talk), 3 tier architecture, system installation; client installation; database;

integration; back up & restore; disaster recovery; technical infrastructure;

security

Period **Activities** 2008 (12 months)

Managing the selection for a solution that covers portfolio management, order management, CRM, performance and risk measurement and

Results

reporting. The selection went through the following stages: defining requirements, develop long list of systems, develop RFP, processing RFP's and short listing, use cases, technical Proof of Concept, references, vendor visits, contract negotiations. Business wise Thom supported the organisation through workshops and sharing his business knowledge. Thom participated in the procurement team for the contract negotiations. Thom delivered and maintained the business case. A WMS was selected with full commitment of the business, technical experts and the steering committee. The selection process learned that the WMS did not cover the CRM requirements sufficiently. The selection of an OMS was postponed due to budget constraints.

Market/Organisation

Role

Institutional asset manager

Project manager

Project

Implementation of a portfolio- and order management and compliance

system (a PMS).

Business aspects portfolio management (models, benchmarks, rebalancing), managing

> funds and mandates; order management; pre and post trade compliance; electronic trading network (fix); static data; market data; client data; instrument coverage: equity, fixed income and traded and OTC

derivatives.

Technical aspects system installation; client installation; database; integration; back up &

restore; disaster recovery; technical infrastructure; security

2007 (10 months)

Period Activities Project management, test coordination; vendor management.

Results Portfolio management, order management and compliance were successfully improved with the implementation of the new system and new procedures. Due to the fact that future users and maintenance staff were heavily involved in the project, they were committed and business

continuity was guaranteed.

Market/Organisation

Role Project Institutional asset manager

Project manager / Business consultant / Procurement officer Selection of a portfolio and order management and compliance system

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derivatives.

Technical aspects system installation; client installation; database; integration; back up &

restore; disaster recovery; technical infrastructure; security

2006 (4 months)

Thom was project manager and facilitator of the selection process. He made sure that all disciplines were involved and were taking their responsibilities and in a later stage he was managing the decision making process. The selection process covered: define requirements list,

develop an RFI, manage the RFI selection process (short list), system demonstrations, use cases, reference en vendor visits and contract

negotiations. The capturing of requirements was done through workshops and interviews. The business case was calculated and delivered by Thom. Thom participated in the procurement team to

Period Activities

negotiate the contract and service levels (SLA).

Results A PMS (Capstone of Fidessa Latentzero) was s

A PMS (Capstone of Fidessa Latentzero) was successfully selected by a team of experts and by the decision board. It was a broadly supported decision. Once in production the users were very satisfied with the selected PMS and it has shown that the system fulfils the requirements

successfully.

Market/Organisation Institutional asset manager

Role Project manager

Project Upgrade of the asset administration back office system (Pacer of SS&C)

and performance measurement system (Sylvan of SS&C) in combination

with user trainings.

Business aspects Confirmation, settlement, reconciliation, funds and NAV calculations,

corporate actions, cleansing static data, market data. Performance

measurement, GIPS compliancy.

Technical aspects The technical upgrades required new hardware and new database

versions. New test and production environments were delivered. Go live

transition plan and Contingency plan delivered

Period 2006 – 2007 (10 months)

Activities Project management, vendor management, test coordination
Results Due to successful upgrades, operational risk improved as the

Due to successful upgrades, operational risk improved as the systems were again supported by the vendor. Due to trainings, staff made better use of the system. The transaction handling process was improved,

resulting in a higher STP ratio.

Market/Organisation Institutional asset manager

Role Project manager

Project Strategic analysis outsourcing asset management back office processes

(BPO) and the asset management front office (ASP) to a investment

management service institute.

Business aspects The analysis covered the following functions: portfolio and order

management, compliance, asset and financial administration, performance measurement, fund accounting and reporting.

Technical aspects Offered Service levels (SLA), business continuity and operational risks,

security

Period 2006 (4 months)

Activities The role of Thom was the facilitation and management of the

investigation, in close cooperation with the IT and business specialists, project team and steering committee. The investigation was performed by means of facilitating workshops, demo's, definition of a requirements list and an RFI, on site visits and work sessions with the possible in sourcing provider. A business case was build based on three different scenarios: 1) to improve current systems and process (do not outsource); 2) partly renewal of applications (no outsourcing; 3) outsourcing (BPO and ASP). Major decision criteria were offered

functionalities (quality), IT, risks, financial business case and expected project duration and risks.

Results The project team has presented a report of advice in close cooperation

with the IT and business specialists and steering committee. This reported was the basis for the decision to improve back office processes

and systems and to renew the front office system and processes.

Market/Organisation Investment operations insourcing

Role Project manager, vendor manager, test coordinator

Project Implementation of a new investment management system (Dimension of

SimCorp) and processes.

Business aspects Confirmation and settlement process, fund accounting and NAV's, cost

and fee structures; covered instruments: fixed income, deposits & loans, equities, funds, derivatives (OTC and listed, amongst others IRS, CCS,

Futures, FRA).

Technical aspects System installation; client installation; database; system integration; back

up & restore; disaster recovery; technical infrastructure; security,

reporting

Period 2005 – 2006 (12 months)

Activities Goal of the project was the configuration of the new application, the set

up of the new organisation and working procedures, the development of the new reports and the building of a new IT infrastructure. Thom has been managing the project through all project phases, from analysis and set up to test, migration and after care. He worked with a team of functional and technical specialists. In total 19.000 hours were invested in the project, while about 45 resources were involved (full and part time). The project was managed according to Prince II project

management principles.

Results The new application was successfully taken in production. The financial

institute was well capable in using ánd maintaining the system, both from a functional and technical perspective. In total 40 users were working with the system. 250 portfolios and 80 funds were set up. Numerous incoming and outgoing interfaces and reports were built. About 20 processes have been described. The reports should have been

delivered with a higher quality.

Market/Organisation Investment operations insourcing

Project Selection of an investment management system

Role Project manager / Procurement officer

Business aspects Confirmation and settlement process, fund accounting and NAV's, cost

and fee structures; covered instruments: fixed income, loans, equities, funds, derivatives (OTC and listed, amongst others IRS, CCS, Futures,

FRA).

Technical aspects System installation; client installation; database; system integration; back

up & restore; disaster recovery; technical infrastructure; security,

reporting

Period 2004 – 2005 (4 months)

Activities Thom was hired to manage the completion of the selection process. He

reviewed the selection process that was performed thus far and

organised additional workshops and tests. He participated in the contract

negotiations and organised the legal acceptance of the contract.

Development and delivery of the business case.

Results The selection process was completed successfully and the application

was purchased. The actual implementation of the new system showed a

good match with the required business and IT items.

Market/Organisation **Broker**

Role Business consultant

Project An investigation into the integration of the Back office and Controlling &

Compliance departments

Confirmation and settlement process, cost and fee structures; financial **Business** aspects

accounting, order routing and compliance

Technical aspects

Period 20004 (2 months)

Activities Performing interviews, organising workshops and doing desk research,

delivery of an integration advise report.

Results The analysis resulted into a report that advised on a new organisation

and process set up. The management has implemented the changes

accordingly.

Not applicable

Market/Organisation

Clearing and Custodian bank

Project Investigation into the reorganisation of the custody and clearing

divisions.

Role Project manager assistant Custody and clearing

Business aspects Not applicable. Technical aspects Period 2004 (4 months)

Activities Thom assisted in the analysis into the reorganisation of the two

divisions. In cooperation with the different department managers, the

new organisation structure, procedures and IT were analysed. Accordingly Thom delivered a high level integration plan.

Results The activities resulted into a high level integration plan that was

presented to the works council and different specific integration plans for

the following departments: Operations, Accounting, Account

Management, IT and Risk Management. The plans were the basis for

the management team to integrate the two divisions.

Market/Organisation

Wholesale bank, financial markets division

Assistant Project manager Role

Project Set up of a new disaster recovery environment, delivery of a new

storage solution

Business aspects Not applicable

Delivery of complete new infrastructures and hardware for the Technical aspects

> applications at the disaster recovery site (operating system, database, application), external connections and interfacing; networks, servers,

back up & restore, fail over, central storage facility, mirroring

Period 2003 - 2004 (8 months)

Activities Thom was responsible for managing the activities around the

> infrastructural and applicative preparations. This included the build of new servers and the realization of a central storage facility. Crucial element in the activities was the coordination of activities across the

many departments involved (business and IT).

Results The new storage facility was in place and servers were ready to be

moved to the new disaster recovery location.

Market/Organisation Retail bank, treasury department

Role Test coordinator, transition coordinator

Project Implementation of a new back office treasury application (Flexcube by

Iflex)

Business aspects Instruments: Derivatives (IRS, CCS), Securities, Deposit & Loans, Foreign

Exchange and Money Market products; transaction processing and reconciliation, standard settlement instructions, processing of Swift

messages, financial accounting (postings)

Technical aspects Not applicable.

Period 2002 – 2003 (7 months)

Activities Thom organised the testing: test plan, organise test resources, test

environments, use cases, test administration. Managing of the process to solve issues and take them back into testing. Thom planned and

coordinated the migration activities.

Results The application was successfully taken into production.

Market/Organisation Exchange

Role Transition coordinator

Project Migration to a new trade platform for the Dutch cash market

Business aspects Order processing of cash market instruments

Technical aspects Not applicable Period 2002 (6 months)

Activities Thom was responsible for the organisation and communication of the

migration path with all internal and external (international) parties (exchange members). He organised this in cooperation with and as manager of a team of 8 account managers. Thom gave several

presentations.

Results The migration towards the new trade platform was completed

successfully.

Market/Organisation Investment bank

Role Project manager, vendor manager

Project Functional and technical upgrade of the back office treasury application

(Opics by Misys)

Business aspects Product definition and set up for treasury and fixed income products, set

up of the posting entries and account structure, reporting.

Technical aspects System integration, security set up and user roles and rights, disaster

recovery environment

Period 2001 (10 months)

Activities Thom managed the project initiation and execution together with a team

of business and technical experts, both from the financial institution and

the vendor.

Results The treasury application was successfully taken into production.

Market/Organisation

Role

Project

Business aspects

Technical aspects Period Activities

Results

Retail and wholesale bank

Information analyst, team leader

A large number of implementation projects for offices abroad (amongst

others in Milan, London, Monaco and the Dutch Antilles).

Reporting on behalf of financial authorities and management reports

(Balance sheets, P&L, transactions, ratio's).

Report delivery: functional design, technical design, testing, delivery 1999 - 2000 (24 months)

The main activities were the implementation of a reporting application and report delivery and leading a team for the development of management reports and reports for authorities. Thom often played an important role in bridging cultures between the project team and the branch. Besides this, Thom gave several trainings and presentations. Implementation of a reporting tool, trained users and reports (amongst

others Central Banking and credit risk reports).

Age

42 years of age.

Education and training

Education

- Securities Settlement, Clearing and Global Custody, IIF, London
- Inside Market data training. Incisive training, London
- Banking and Financial markets, University of Amsterdam
- Financial Markets and Banks, CGEY
- Prince II Practitioner
- Managing Successful Programs Intermediate
- Streamlining working processes, DCE Consultants
- Strategic Management, Krijnen Organisatie Adviseurs
- Business Engineering, Getronics Consulting

Training

- People management, Getronics Consulting
- Coaching techniques, Kessels & Smit
- Efficient Communication, Krauthammer I