

# Kardo Sharifi

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# WORK EXPERIENCE

01/08/2023 - CURRENT Chisinau, Moldova

#### CO-FOUNDER & CEO MOONSHOT INTERNATIONAL

- Helping startups and SMEs build meaningful tech products and increase their chance to fin the right productmarket-fit
- Consulting companies as a fractional CTO/Product Manager
- Team Leadership: Built and led a high-performing team
- Market Expansion: Identified and pursued new market opportunities, partnerships, and business development initiatives to drive growth
- Strategic Planning: Developed and implemented long-term strategies to achieve company goals and enhance shareholder value
- Financial Management: Oversaw financial performance, budgeting, and resource allocation to ensure fiscal health and profitability
- Compliance and Governance: Ensured adherence to legal, regulatory, and ethical standards to maintain the company's integrity and reputation.
- Operational Oversight: Directed daily operations to ensure efficiency, quality, and continuous improvement across all departments.
- Building an in-house product (startup)

15/02/2020 - 30/07/2023

# **HEAD OF PROGRAMS DREAMUPS**

- Helped to grew the organization from 2 to 10 full-time employees
- Increased the number of active projects from 2 to 12 with 2k + participants
- Helped 100+ startups with product discovery and product-market fit
- Managed a team of project managers
- Represented the organization at international events
- Connected startup founders with investors
- Implemented two tech platforms as product manager

01/06/2020 - 30/06/2022 Chsinau, Moldova

#### **RESIDENT STARTUP MENTOR UPCELERATOR**

- Mentored 20+ early-stage startups from 10 different countries
- Helped founders with the customer development process
- Consulted startups on product development
- · Assisted startups with pitch decks and pitching

02/07/2019 - 15/07/2020 Chisinau, Moldova

#### **ACCOUNT MANAGER UNIFUN**

- Follow up the work on project launches in mobile network operators
- Participate in the implementation of new sales strategies
- Coordinating projects implementation into Mobile Operator's
- Searching for new business opportunities to launch additional Unifun products in the assigned Operators
- Searching for potential partners and clients through web and social media
- Participation in the presentation of sales documentation: commercial proposals, revenue forecasts, contracts, etc.

01/07/2017 - 12/10/2017 Chisinau, Moldova

#### **COMMUNICATION COORDINATOR** THE PEOPLE BEHIND THE HEADLINES

- Writing articles
- Creating media plan

- Social media content
- Coordinating the cmmunication team
- Monitoring the project progress

01/08/2019 - 31/08/2020 Chisinau, Moldova

#### NATIONAL DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES AIESEC

- Creating HR strategy and developing the performance of the members
- Creating a Functional Induction Model for 6 departments
- Creating and managing Agendas with trainers
- Delivering sessions on Team Experience & Management, Self Assessment, Public Speaking, Organizational Development.

01/02/2018 - 30/01/2019 Chisinau, Moldova

#### **COORDINATOR OF LOCAL TRAINERS TEAM AIESEC**

- Organizing & Delivering trainings
- Task Management
- Organizing team buildings
- Managing a team of trainers
- Creating educational programs
- Recruiting members

# EDUCATION AND TRAINING

01/09/2016 - 06/2019 Chisinau, Moldova

**BACHELOR DEGREE** State University of Moldova

Website https://usm.md/?lang=en

01/07/2022 - 30/09/2022 Berkeley, United States

**CERTIFIED PRODUCT MANAGER** Haas School of Business, University of California Berkeley

 $\textbf{Website} \ \underline{\text{https://execedcertificates.berkeley.edu/f366174f-5d77-416e-be37-e5a24eb2850f\#gs.e6axqh} \\$ 

25/09/2023 - 30/10/2023 San Mateo, United States

**ENTREPRENEURSHIP PROGRAM (STARTUP FOUNDER)** Draper University

Website <a href="https://draperuniversity.com/">https://draperuniversity.com/</a>

## LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): **ROMANIAN** 

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production Spoken interaction		
ENGLISH	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
RUSSIAN	C1	C1	C1	C1	B1
KURDISH	B2	A1	B2	B2	A1

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user

#### DIGITAL SKILLS

Product Management. | Microsoft Office | Presentation and Sales Pitching