

Agile project approach in an international environment

My name is Steffen Andersen, and I work in Arla Foods IT, which is located in Viby. The department is split into different organisational units, and my role is in the Project Management Office (PMO) where we run all IT projects at Arla.

My responsibility in Arla Foods is launching an exciting international IT programme called "Lift Sales & Promotion" (LSP) that will bring us into the future when it comes to managing commercial processes. By utilising the most modern technologies and sharpest analytic tools, we aim to enhance efficiency and thereby significantly improve Arla's bottom line figures.

The project we offer you

We have recently started using an agile approach when managing our projects. This allows us to be smooth and efficient and do it "short and fat" instead of "long and thin". Agile project management is a fairly new discipline within Arla and our toolbox to agile projects needs to be updated.

What we are looking for is a recommended setup for the use of tools. This implies a thorough understanding of agile methodology, and how we in Arla use this concept. Based on this you should provide Arla with recommendations to a toolbox going forward.

Student qualifications

We prefer students with a commercial background and knowledge within the project management field.

As a person you need to be open-minded and like to work in a fast moving environment. We expect a certain understanding of our project model and our toolbox.

How can you apply?

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