

MARIA MICHAELA VERGARA

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Results-oriented business systems analyst with four years experience in capital markets finance technology.

SKILLS SUMMARY

- Experience in project and development life cycle
- Strong Murex back-office development knowledge (processing templates, workflows, MXML, confirmations) and Murex environments knowledge (Autosys, processing scripts)
- Solid understanding of foreign exchange products and the trade life cycle
- Experience with Wall Street Systems (WSS), ORDs, reporting
- Sound knowledge of the ATM workflow
- Great quantitative and problem-solving skills
- Ability to deal with clients/business users in a fast-paced environment
- Well-developed written communication, especially in creating business and functional requirements
- Operating systems and languages: UNIX, Bash, SQL, XML

EXPERIENCE

BMO Capital Markets, Toronto, ON - Business Systems Analyst

November 2016 - Present

Murex -

- Designed, developed, and tested Murex post-trade workflows for new options products: digital barriers and dual currency deposits
- Designed, developed, and tested Murex post-trade workflows for Murex integration with an in-house affirmation/confirmation application for client trades
- Managed Murex test and production environments as required by different development initiatives
- Provided third-level support for any Murex related issues

ATM Project -

- Liaised with multiple business users from different teams across the bank to gather business requirements for a new project to introduce real-time rate conversion to BMO Canadian ATMs
- Created the high-level and detailed business functional requirements
- Influenced the overall design of the FX-ATM solution
- Became the resident expert of the project whom all teams across the bank went to for questions
- Authored the UAT test strategy, plan, and operational change management readiness blueprint

EDUCATION

University of Waterloo, Waterloo, ON - Bachelor of Mathematics: Major in Statistics, Minors in Computer Science and Combinatorics & Optimization, Co-op

Graduated June 2016

VOLUNTEER

FDM - Mentor

September 2020 - Present

- Mentored an FDM consultant undergoing academy training and who will soon be placed in a fin-tech related position by having weekly check-in calls; giving advice on interviewing, resumes, and the workplace; and providing guidance on any work-related or personal issues they might have