

Head of Digital Workplace Operations

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Czech Republic

Summary

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This is a Senior Director level role with the purpose of leading the global Digital Workplace Operations, this pivotal role will architect, deploy and orchestrate a user centric synergized Global Service Desk, End-User Support, and Internal Meetings & Events services. Own the end-to-end user experience journey, ensuring the local site IT operations for technology infrastructure and delivery platforms exceed user expectations. Lead the development of innovative personalized IT support solutions that elevate end user experience. You will engage with key stakeholders and executives to align IT service operations with organization objectives and partner with P&O, REFS, and business units to enhance overall workplace experience.

About the Role

Your key responsibilities:

- Direct local and regional onsite end-user services and global service desk services, ensuring top-tier end-user support and infrastructure services in a global 24x7 operations setting.
- Head the Internal Meetings and Events organization, managing all global events, including pivotal townhalls, and supervising many internal meetings and events to bolster business productivity.
- Oversee the global end-user experience, ensuring new solutions are pertinent and enhance user interaction, actively engage in deployment planning and release sequencing, and ensure thorough communication and training.
- Champion the integration of cutting-edge solutions and technologies to revolutionize service delivery and operational efficiency.
- Maintain clear communication with local business stakeholders about roadmaps and plans, and work closely with global DD&IT teams to accurately capture and define new requirements.
- Manage the delivery of high-quality services by overseeing local and regional suppliers, ensuring they meet business needs and holding them accountable for performance.
- Handle 24x7 escalations across services, sites, regions, and countries, ensuring prompt resolution, and drive local customer boards and roadshows to enhance business relationships and stakeholder engagement.
- Act as a change champion, leading decision-making processes and promoting a culture of continuous improvement and adaptability.
- Partner with technology service teams to foster community practices, promoting career and personal growth for regional team members.
- Demonstrated experience in balancing immediate and long-term objectives in Vendor management,

budgeting, cost optimization and return on investment analyses.

Commitment to Diversity & Inclusion: :

We are committed to building an outstanding, inclusive work environment and diverse teams representative of the patients and communities we serve.

What you'll bring to the role:

- Strong customer and stakeholder orientation and 15+ years of managing global teams and large-scale operations in user experience and end user support
- Strong knowledge of End User infrastructure, IT Support and IT operations
- Excellent leadership and management skills with proven ability to inspire and develop high performing teams.
- Good understanding of ITIL, Six Sigma or other service-improvement methodologies.
- Strong Planning and Execution skills. Excellent communication and interpersonal skills.

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You'll receive:

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Division

Operations

Business Unit

CTS

Location

Czech Republic

Site

Prague

Company / Legal Entity

CZ02 (FCRS = CZ002) Novartis s.r.o

Job Type

Full time

Employment Type

Regular

Shift Work

No

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