

**Long Wave Inc. Position Description**

**Position Title:** Product Owner

**Department/Location:** Oklahoma City, OK 73104

**Supervisor:**

**Status:**  Regular/Full-Time (Exempt)

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**Primary Function:**

As a Product Owner within the LW-SimTEC Business Unit, you will play a crucial role in our SAFe (Scaled Agile Framework) environment, working directly with Integrated Product Team (IPT) leads to ensure the successful delivery of high-quality software and systems solutions. You will be responsible for defining product vision, managing the product backlog, and collaborating with cross-functional teams to deliver value to our customers.

**Essential Responsibilities:**

* Define and communicate the product vision and strategy in alignment with business goals and customer needs.
* Create, prioritize, and maintain the product backlog, ensuring it is aligned with the overall product roadmap and business objectives.
* Work closely with IPT leads, stakeholders, and development teams to gather requirements, define user stories, and ensure clear communication of product goals.
* Champion SAFe practices and principles, facilitating PI (Program Increment) planning, sprint planning, and other Agile ceremonies.
* Act as the voice of the customer, ensuring that the product meets customer needs and delivers exceptional value.
* Continuously monitor and analyze product performance, gathering feedback and making data-driven decisions to improve the product.
* Identify and mitigate risks associated with product development and delivery.

**Job Requirements:**

* Bachelor's degree in Computer Science, Engineering, Business, or a related field.
* Proven experience as a Product Owner in a SAFe Agile environment, with a strong understanding of Agile methodologies and practices.
* Familiarity with software development processes, systems engineering, and relevant tools (e.g., JIRA, Confluence).
* Excellent communication and interpersonal skills, with the ability to collaborate effectively with cross-functional teams and stakeholders.
* Strong analytical and problem-solving skills, with a focus on delivering innovative solutions.
* SAFe Product Owner/Product Manager (POPM) certification is a plus.

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