

# **BUSINESS & PLANNING** **ANALYST**



**HANDS-ON,**

**STRUCTURED AND METICULOUS**

## **YOUR STYLE**

You are a people person and a problem solver with a hands-on attitude. You understand the big picture but you also have a strong attention to detail. Are your books always in parallel with your laptop on your desk? That's how structured a business analyst is! Do you love working in collaborative teams where you take up an advisory role? Your curiosity and project management affinity make you a perfect fit!

## **WHAT DOES A BUSINESS AND PLANNING ANALYST DO?**

You are the connection between business needs and IT capabilities. Within the business unit, you come up with fresh ideas, determine the scope of work and actively contribute to the project's ideation, scoping and development phases. If somebody has doubts about business requirements, you're the go-to gal/guy! While you have both feet on the ground and take on a pragmatic approach to managing projects, you also adopt innovative ways of solving challenges and improving the existing ways of working. Routine won't ever be part of your vocabulary anymore!

## **WHY DO YOU FIT?**

You address business needs with an agile attitude. When taking up a new assignment, you're keen on rolling up your sleeves! You first want to understand the ins and outs of the business you're working in before you dive into it head-first.

## **WHAT CAN HELP YOU GET THERE?**

- Besides building up relevant experience, you can strengthen your profile with project management certifications such as Agile, ITIL or Scrum.
- Build an in-depth knowledge of analysis standards and best practices: Requirements engineering, Acceptance criteria, Test strategies and so on.