Daniel Edwards

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SUMMARY

Senior Project Manager and former U.S. Army Chief Warrant Officer with 20+ years delivering complex programs across renewable energy, IT infrastructure, and defense. Combines PMBOK-based project lifecycle expertise with high-volume solar delivery experience (80+ concurrent projects, ~300 installs annually). Led IT lifecycle operations for 100,000+ devices and supported $66M+ multinational defense initiatives. Recognized for disciplined execution, executive-ready reporting, and building scalable workflows, SOPs, and cross-functional alignment.

CORE COMPETENCIES

Project Management (PMBOK, Waterfall, Phase-Gate) • Scope/Schedule/Budget • Risk & Issue Management • RAID Logs • Change Control • Vendor/Contractor Oversight • Stakeholder Engagement • Executive Reporting • Utility Interconnection (AHJ, NTP, PTO) • IT Infrastructure & Lifecycle • Quality Assurance • BCP/DR • Training & SOP Development • MS Project Online • Salesforce • Jira • Power BI • SharePoint • MS Office Suite

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Project Manager — Greenstar Power, Round Rock, TX ¦ Jun 2024 – Jun 2025

Managed 80+ concurrent residential solar projects (~300 annual installs). Built Gantt schedules in MS Project Online and Power BI dashboards improving milestone visibility. Standardized permitting across Texas AHJs and registered the company with multiple municipalities/utilities. Coordinated with six financing partners to accelerate NTPs and funding. Authored PM training program (SOPs, templates, checklists).

Project Program Coordinator — SunPower Corporation, Austin, TX ¦ May 2022 – May 2024

Coordinated operations for an 11-person team managing 125+ active projects daily (683 installs). Used Salesforce workflows to reduce delinquency to below 4 percent. Maintained RAID logs and escalations to protect schedules and budgets. Improved communication and documentation consistency.

IT Infrastructure Lifecycle Manager — Technology Integration Group, San Antonio, TX ¦ Sep 2019 – Apr 2020

Directed lifecycle operations for 14 institutions and 100,000+ devices. Oversaw deployment of 20,000+ devices across five accounts. Built checklists and quality controls reducing rework. Coordinated rollout waves with clients and vendors to minimize disruption.

Senior Project Manager — Parkwood Group LLC, Houston, TX ¦ Jul 2017 – Sep 2019

Delivered IT project management consulting for enterprise clients. Led charters, schedules, budgets, and C-level reporting. Built KPIs and dashboards for delivery performance. Authored BCP/DR programs reducing redundancy and costs by 28 percent. Managed vendor relationships and EPC-style governance.

Principal / Manager — Ascent Technical Solutions, Houston, TX ¦ Oct 2013 – Jul 2017

Delivered smart-home and small commercial technology projects end-to-end. Standardized procedures and documentation to improve quality and customer experience.

Network Engineering Lead — Eagle Systems & Services (NATO Training Mission), Afghanistan ¦ Sep 2012 – Jul 2013

Led network deployments for Afghan National Army/Police. Coordinated with U.S./allied stakeholders. Briefed diplomatic and military leaders on technical impacts.

Network Management Systems Developer / Trainer — SAIC, El Paso, TX ¦ May 2010 – Jan 2012

Developed and delivered training for U.S. Army network management systems. Supported requirements gathering and updates to course content.

Chief Warrant Officer II — United States Army ¦ Feb 1989 – Sep 2009

Directed installation, maintenance, and repair of complex communications and navigation systems. Led training, quality control, and readiness operations worldwide.

EDUCATION & CERTIFICATIONS

B.S. Management Information Systems — University of Houston–Clear Lake

Project Management Professional (PMP) — In Progress (target completion: 2025)

CompTIA A+ • MOS 730 (Excel & Access) • OSHA Safety Officer (40 hr)