



driving your projects  
to success

# a simple vision

Trading is a dynamic industry.

With increasing markets complexity and growing regulatory demands, organizations need efficient, integrated and quick to market solutions to support their business.

Fast, successful and reliable implementation of these solutions is key for the financial institutions so that they can focus on their business and maximize their return on investment.

That's where we can help you.

At Blue Star we have a simple vision :

**driving your projects to success.**

We can assist your organization by addressing all your projects needs. We select the most talented professionals, endowed with both domain and technical knowledge and equip them with bullet proof methods to successfully contribute to your projects.

So if you need a seamless project, **talk to us.**



# reach for the stars

## leveraging our experience

When we created **Blue Star** we came from different industries and had different backgrounds but we shared a common passion:

### **to deliver projects.**

Energized by this passion we united our knowledge and experiences around project management and finance.

We naturally chose to set the focus on one of the most dynamic domain in finance, treasury and capital markets.

## delivering high performance

Our expertise on financial products and technology combined with our commitment to excellence makes us quite unique in the industry.

We deliver :

- end to end implementation services for your financial IT project
- high performance project management, business analysis and test methodology
- talented and trained experts to support and ensure outstanding quality throughout all the project phases

We believe that this combination will propel your project to success.

# seamless delivery

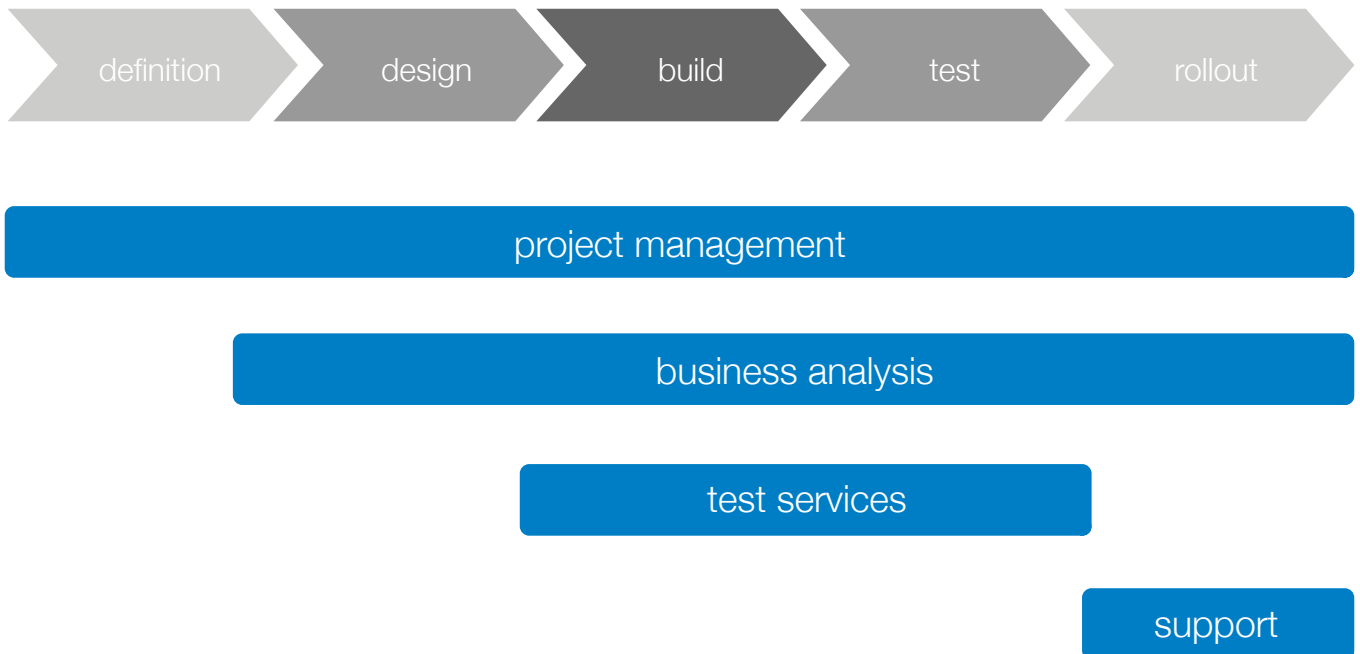
Our service offerings cover the entire lifecycle of financial IT projects for a seamless and successful delivery be it a greenfield implementation, an integration or an upgrade.

Project managers, stream leaders, business analysts, functional consultants, test managers... our consultant will support your project from initial planning and business case development to rollout to production.

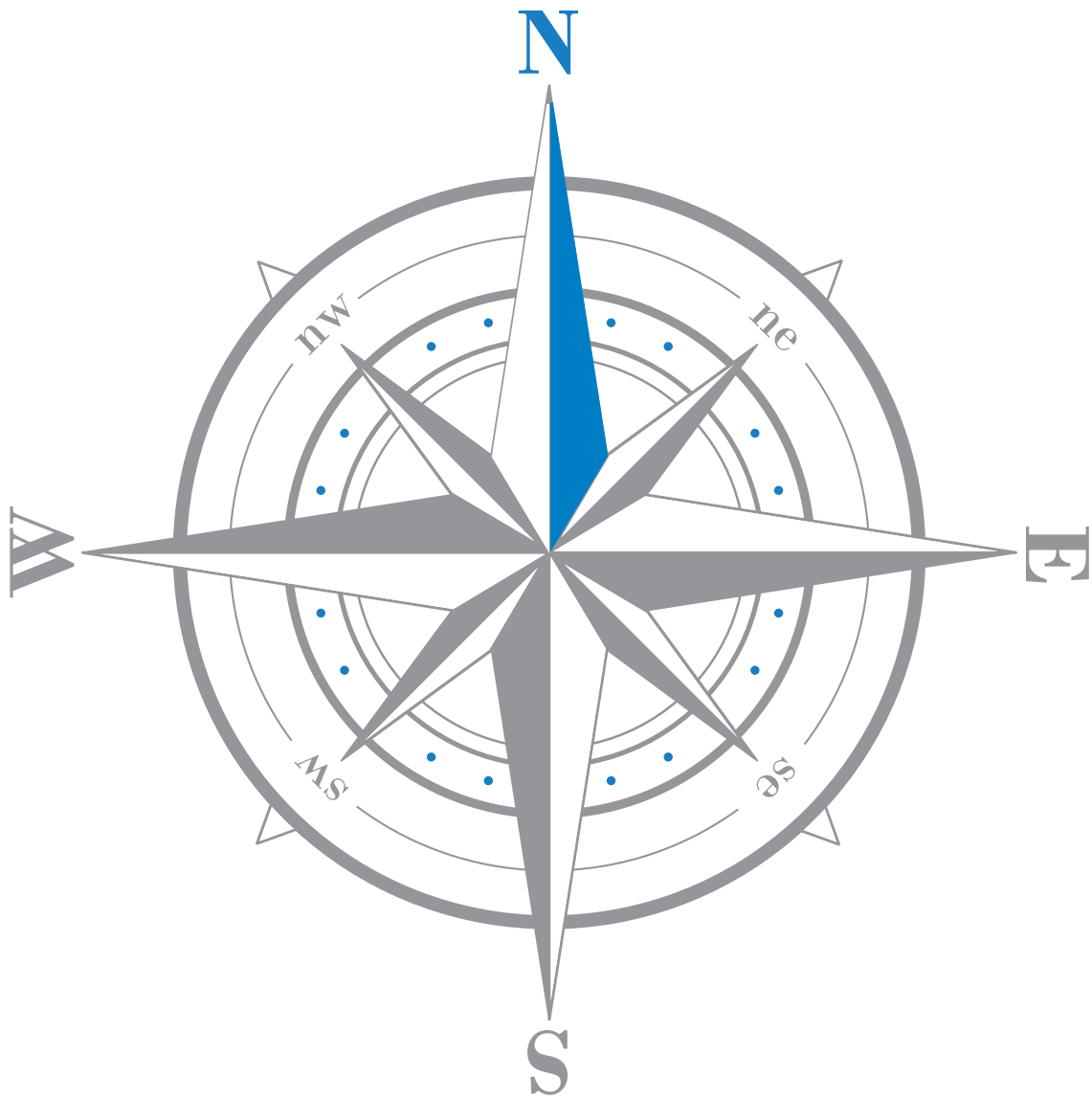
To ensure the quality of our services, experienced project directors regularly monitor and control our consultants' activities throughout their assignment at your side.

Project management	Business analysis	Test management
<p>Our <b>methodology</b> combines techniques and tools from standard methods like PMP® or Prince2 with findings gained out of 15 years of experience in project management.</p> <p>Our project managers are trained to lead projects efficiently:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Planning and monitoring</li><li>• Scope management</li><li>• Risk and issues management</li><li>• Budget follow-up</li></ul>	<p>Our business analysts are experienced finance professionals with IT knowledge.</p> <p>We ensure their training and provide them with toolkits to conduct:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Business cases development</li><li>• Requirements gathering</li><li>• Gap analysis</li><li>• User Acceptance Test</li><li>• Change management</li><li>• Learning needs analysis</li></ul>	<p>Validation is critical to all projects and is successfully achieved through effective preparation and monitoring.</p> <p>Our test managers are trained to :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Define the test strategy</li><li>• Build the tests scenarios and test plans</li><li>• Monitor the test execution</li></ul>

# end to end coverage



methodology and



# knowledge to provide guidance

We aim at delivering a consistent, top-quality service. Our training programs are designed to ensure our people all share common knowledge and methods for the benefit of our customers.

Trading and risk management are evolving fast and keeping constantly up-to-date is crucial. Through regular trainings we ensure that our consultants master the key concepts of financial markets industry:

- financial products specificities and lifecycle
- risk management
- regulatory requirements

Understanding key solutions such as Murex™: we ensure that our people have a detailed knowledge of the solutions functional architecture and coverage and of their mapping with the business processes.

We also set a particular focus on the key capabilities: trading, risk management and processing, across major assets classes and with the end user perspective.

With PMP® as a theoretical baseline and our project experience as a practical hands-on we have developed a unique methodology that provides our consultants with the methods and tools they need, such as:

- tasks and resources planning, monitoring and milestone tracking tools
- risks and issue management, scope and deliverables control
- workshops, requirement gathering and gap analysis methods and templates
- testing strategies, test plan and test scenarios development best practices

Because consultancy and services are all about people we strive to find the right persons with outstanding soft skills and successful experience across all industries.

## our people, an asset for your

Our staffs have graduated from the most [prestigious universities](#) and have significant project experience within companies that are market leaders in their respective domain, such as:



We strongly value soft skills and out of the box thinking capabilities as a key success factor and select people with excellent analytic skills along with good communication skills and team working mindset.

Here are some of their [success stories](#):

- Valuation of the investment portfolio and implementation of a Treasury tool for the world's leading construction and concession Group.
- Design and roll-out of global derivative accounting solution for Asian entities of a European leading bank group
- Management of a € 8M program involving more than 9,000 mandays of work and complex integration with more than 10 legacy systems
- Rigorous detailed requirement gathering and tender management for vendor selection enabled a project to take off after being delayed for 4 years
- Quality assurance and test methodology development for an IT department and leading of several mid to large-sized test projects

project



## knowledge

An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest.

We have developed customized training programs and knowledge capitalisation tools to build a pool of knowledge for our people.

## method

In today's world time is of the essence , you can not afford to reinvent the wheel for each new project.

Our methodology based on 15 years of experience of delivering key projects across various industries is our warranty.

## people

Successful project are delivered by successful people.

Prestigious universities and outstanding achievements within market leader companies are our criteria.

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# success, together

Implementing solutions for demanding users is a challenge.

Project owners have to satisfy user's need to ensure smooth transition and get the most out of their trading and risk management platforms while being under pressure to deliver quickly, with fewer resources. Forward-thinking institutions know that investing in experience and method will help them to secure the success of their projects.

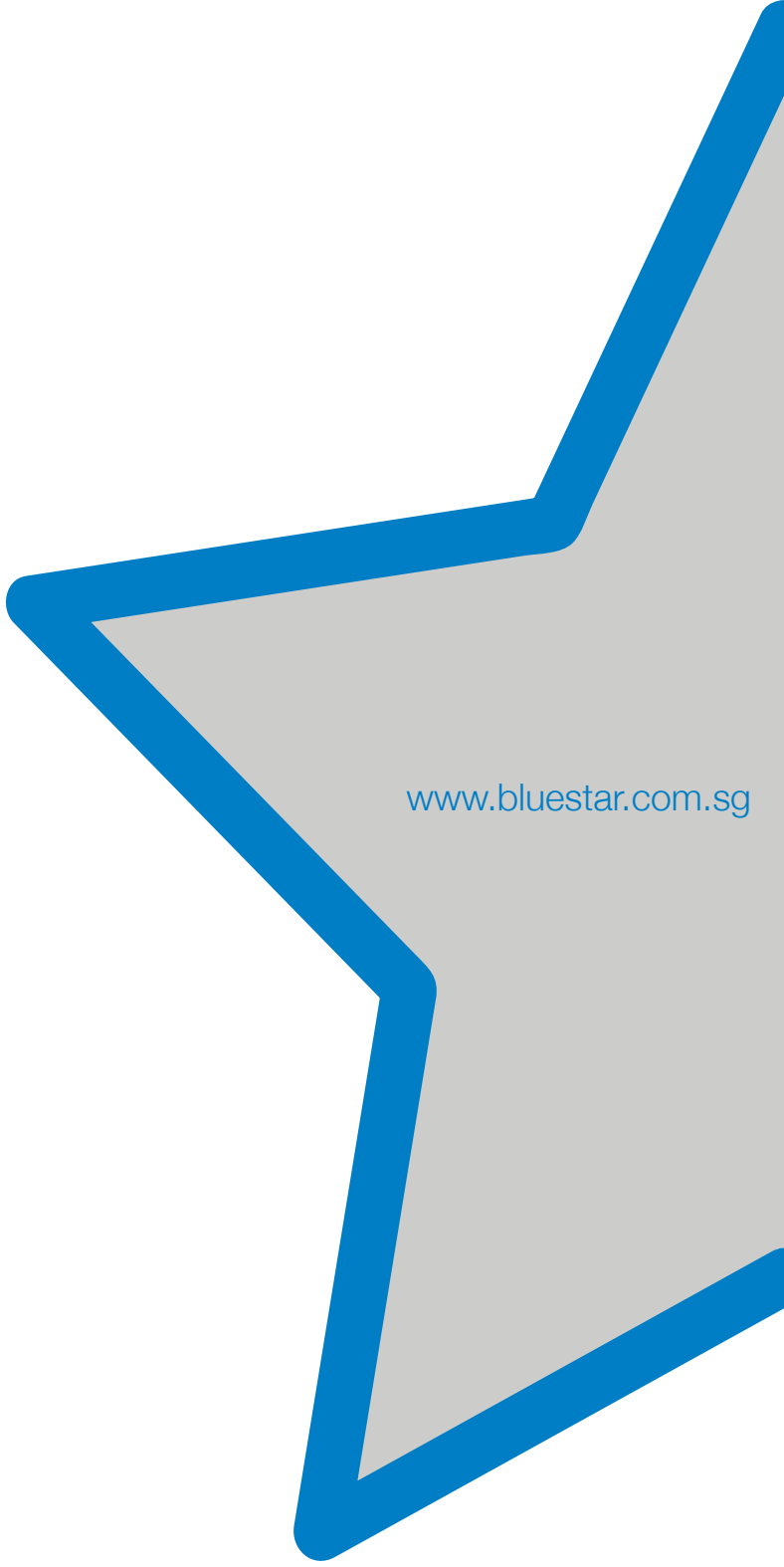
## **Experience and method like ours.**

By managing the day-to-day running of a project, blue star frees you to focus on more strategic and policy level issues, safe in the knowledge that your program is in the hands of highly qualified professionals.

Driven by a culture of excellence, we are committed to our customers' satisfaction.

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