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# Summary

At Novartis, innovation is at the heart of everything we do — and AI is a key enabler in how we reimagine medicine. As an Associate Director Solution Delivery – AI Products, you'll lead the development and delivery of advanced AI solutions that transform commercial operations in the U.S. market.

You will sit at the intersection of technology, data science, and business — owning the product lifecycle from discovery to deployment, while fostering a culture of experimentation, innovation, and continuous delivery. Working within the DD&T Commercial organization, you'll turn novel ideas into production-ready products that deliver real-world impact.

# About the Role

#### **Key Responsibilities**

#### Product Strategy & Innovation

- Shape and own the product roadmap for AI solutions that power next-gen commercial capabilities including intelligent targeting, omnichannel orchestration, and HCP engagement optimization.
- Drive innovation by scouting new AI technologies, validating ideas through MVPs and pilots, and scaling high-value solutions.
- Translate commercial objectives into actionable technical requirements and solution architectures.

#### **Technical Delivery & Solution Ownership**

- Lead cross-functional teams (data science, data engineering, MLOps, digital product) to build, deploy, and operate production-grade AI solutions.
- Oversee technical delivery from data ingestion and model development to deployment, monitoring, and retraining.
- Ensure models are performant, scalable, secure, and seamlessly integrated into platforms such as CRM and content engines.

#### Stakeholder Management & Business Alignment

- Partner with commercial stakeholders (field teams, marketing, analytics) to define needs, align priorities, and drive adoption.
- Act as a translator between business and technical teams clearly communicating trade-offs, timelines, and value.
- Provide thought leadership and influence stakeholders at multiple levels, from working teams to senior leadership.

#### **Compliance & Responsible AI**

- Ensure solutions align with Novartis standards and external regulations
- Embed ethical AI principles into product design including fairness, transparency, and accountability.

#### **Core Technical Focus Areas**

- AI/ML Development: Supervised learning, NLP, recommender systems, experimentation frameworks.
- **Data Infrastructure**: Scalable pipelines, real-time data ingestion, structured/unstructured healthcare data.
- **MLOps**: Model deployment, versioning, monitoring, and retraining workflows (MLflow, Airflow, SageMaker, etc.).
- Integration: REST/gRPC APIs, integration with CRM (e.g., Veeva), content platforms, and campaign engines.
- Cloud Platforms: AWS, Azure, or GCP environments for AI/ML workloads and data operations.

#### What You'll Bring

- 5+ years of product management experience, with 2+ years in AI/ML or data-centric product delivery.
- Strong technical foundation and experience working closely with engineering and data science teams.
- Demonstrated ability to deliver AI products from concept to production, including service ownership.
- Strong stakeholder management skills, with the ability to influence across technical and business domains.
- Experience in healthcare, life sciences, or other regulated environments is a plus.

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