

# AYANNA KENNEDY

**PROJECT MANAGER**  
Atlanta Housing Authority



## CREDENTIALS

**Center for Agile Leadership®**  
*Certified Agile Leader*  
**Scrum Alliance**  
*Certified ScrumMaster*  
*Certified Product Owner*  
**B.S. in Accounting**

## DETAILS

FAMILY



TREY



FLASH

HOBBIES



READING

HOMETOWN



ATLANTA, GEORGIA

## ABOUT AYANNA

Ayanna currently serves as Project Manager at Atlanta Housing Authority. In this role, she is responsible for managing technology related projects from initiation through completion. This includes working with team members in a Scrum framework to define tasks, coordinate testing, and schedule product delivery. Ayanna began her career at AHA nearly 13 years ago as an Accounting Manager. As an Accounting Manager, she was responsible for managing accounting operations, which included Accounts Payable, Payroll, Fixed Assets and Cash Management. Working in accounting allowed Ayanna to see the organization from a 1,000-foot view, as all transactions eventually run through accounting. As a result, this nurtured Ayanna's ability to see the big picture, allowing her to represent Finance on multiple teams, including implementation of participant debit cards and the emergency foreclosure team.

Ultimately, Ayanna was afforded the opportunity to move from nearly 20 years in accounting and serve as a Business Lead. In this role, she served as the Finance Lead for the successful implementation of the new Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system, Yardi. This project allowed Ayanna to enhance her problem-solving and leadership skills. Also, through developing processes, managing cross functional teams, and level setting customer expectations, she has become an agent for change. Prior to the Atlanta Housing Authority, Ayanna held accounting roles with Allied Automotive Group, Panasonic, Allied Signal, and Johnson & Johnson. These roles ranged from Fixed Assets Accountant to Senior Accountant supporting, a Canadian division.

## WHAT OTHERS HAVE TO SAY

*"Hard worker, dependable, and very intelligent!"*

*"Great liaison for business and IT. Knowledgeable of both!"*

*"Always a friendly smile. Great attitude, go-getter!"*

**PERSONAL SLOGAN:** "GOD BLESSES ME TO BE A BLESSING TO OTHERS."