

Gary White

Solutions architect

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Databases technologies

Messaging Technologies

Networking Technologies

*Enterprise Architecture
frameworks*

Business systems

Oracle & .Net/Java/Python

Client/Server

PERSONAL SUMMARY

A multi-skilled solutions architect with good all-round ability to juggle multiple projects and meet deadlines whilst at the same time comprehending complex and interdependent business processes. Very capable with an ability to identify and then deal with a client's needs by translating them into appropriate technical solutions. Experienced in providing motivation, guidance and an up-to-date consultancy service to both colleagues and clients.

Now looking for a new and challenging architect position, one which will make best use of my existing skills and experience and also further my development.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Technology Company – Coventry
SOLUTIONS ARCHITECT June 2006 - Present

Responsible for defining, documenting and architecting functional scope. Also involved in technical analysis, problem solving and identifying, analysing, testing and managing customer and applications data flow issues throughout a software system.

Duties:

- Analyse software & configuration requirements & articulate specifications.
- Query data using SQL/Plus from multiple relational databases & data warehouses.
- Create test case strategies, and when necessary, help to create test strategies.
- Producing technical feasibility studies.
- Providing security consultancy & best practice for securing Microsoft platforms.
- Conducting product overview presentations.
- Deploying complex systems on client site.
- Providing the shape of technological solutions across Mainframe & Unix.
- Solution development and technical consultancy across a broad technology spectrum.

KEY SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES

- Awareness of networking protocols, their limits and requirements.
- Experience of Windows Server Systems administration.
- Knowledge and experience with Weblogic, WebSphere, Webservices, etc.
- Providing leadership/ direction to other members of staff.
- Strong analytical and problem solving skills.
- Having a proven track record of Solutions Architecture.
- Understanding of key Mainframe environments and Linux flavours.
- Storage, EMC, HP, HDS, Fujitsu, Netapp, etc.
- Process oriented and experienced in project, quality, issue and risk management methodologies.

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

BA (Hons) – Computer Science
Aston University – 2003 - 2005

A Levels: Maths (A) English (B) Technology (B) Science (C)
Coventry Central College – 2001 - 2003

REFERENCES – Available on request.

PROFESSIONAL

*Microsoft Project and Bizzi
Project Management*

PERSONAL SKILLS

Solutions driven

Creativity & Innovation

Decision making

PERSONAL DETAILS

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