ABHRA SINHA

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EDUCATION:

- University of Illinois at Chicago, IL (GPA: 3.39/4.00) Master's in Electrical and Computer Engineering August 2016 - May 2018
- SRM University, India (GPA: 3.56/4.00) Bachelors in Instrumentation & Control Engineering Aug 2012 - May 2016

TECHNICAL SKILLS:

- Programming Languages: Java(Basic), C++, Python, Embedded C, MATLAB, (Basic) HTML & CSS, Shell Scripting, Batch Scripting
- Python Libraries: Boto, Numpy, Troposphere, Scipy, Cvxopt
- Cloud Platforms: AWS, Azure, Digital Ocean
- Amazon Web Services: EC2, S3, Route 53, CloudFront, IAM, VPC, RDS, Cloud Watch, ELB, Auto Scaling, CloudFormation, EFS, EBS, Lambda, Certificate Manager, CLI, Elastic Beanstalk
- Microsoft Azure: Site Recovery, Virtual Machines
- Continuous Integration/Testing: Jenkins, Maven
- Continuous Delivery/Deployment: AWS CodeDeploy, CodePipeline
- Configuration Management: Ansible, Puppet, Terraform, Vagrant
- Containers: Docker, AWS ECS & ECR
- Databases: MySQL (Basic), DynamoDB (NoSQL)
- Version Control: Git, GitHub, AWS CodeCommit
- Monitoring: Nagios Core, AWS CloudWatch
- Microsoft Azure: Site Recovery, Virtual Machines
- Web Servers: Tomcat, Apache 2.4
- Virtualization: VMware ESXi 6.0, vSphere 5.5, oVirt, VirtualBox
- Operating Systems: Linux (CentOS7, Ubuntu 16.04, Amazon Linux), Windows: Server (2012 R2), Desktop (7,8,10)
- Project Management: JIRA, Redmine
- App Development: Android Studio
- Team Collaboration: Confluence, Pidgin, TeamViewer
- Networking: SSH, TCP/IP, NFS, DHCP, SFTP, NTP, DNS
- Misc.: Office 365, Exchange, Wireshark, Eclipse IDE, LAMP, Putty, Cygwin, WinSCP, Anaconda Spyder, Sublime, WordPress

CERTIFICATIONS:

- AWS Certified Solutions Architect (Associate) [Feb'18 Feb'20]
- AWS Certified Developer (Associate) [Mar '18 Mar'20]
- Devops on AWS: Infrastructure on Cloud [Udemy]
- Master Jenkins CI for DevOps and Developers [Udemy]
- Project in DevOps: Real world processes [Udemy]
- Devops: Infrastructure Automation with Terraform [Udemy]

WORK EXPERIENCE:

- System Administrator Graduate Assistant (August '17 Current) **Research Resources Center, UIC**
 - Providing systems & technical support to 150+ users in a research environment primarily for hardware, software and network issues.
 - Infrastructure support and maintenance of existing RRC applications in production environment
 - Project/Issue tracking using JIRA, REDMINE

- Customer support experience: Tracking and resolving issues through RT Ticketing system
- Office 365 and Exchange online administration and migration
- Configure-Troubleshoot-Support Desktops and Servers, Network Printers, VPN, Active Directory group objects and permissions
- Installation/Administration of Windows Server ('12R2, 16), Linux (Ubuntu, CentOS7), Windows (7,8.1,10)
- Working knowledge of VM Deployment/Management using VMWare ESXi, vSphere5.5 & oVirt
- Successfully added 2 Dell Blade servers to VMWare cluster
- Responsible for Planning and Testing Infrastructure Disaster recovery using Azure Cloud and simulating failover conditions
- Creating manifests for VMs in production using Puppet
- Misc.: Apache, Wordpress, Nagios Core, Bastion server, Samba share, MySQL, DNS, File Server
- Website Developer Assistant (May '17 August '17) Department of Medicine, UIC
- Successfully redesigned DOM website and division websites using wordpress CMS on staging/production environment
- Using HTML/CSS for editing page elements
- Tracking issues through RT for webpage modifications requests

PROJECTS:

- RRC Infrastructure Disaster Recovery (April '18 Ongoing)
- Cost Analysis and Testing Disaster Recovery for virtual machines on RRC infrastructure using Azure Site Recovery service
- Deploying, configuring Azure Configuration Server on VMWare private cloud and backing up 5 production virtual machines
- Android Application for P2P File Transfer via Relay (April '18)
- Developing App in Android Studio for transferring files from Device A to Device C through Device B using Wi-Fi Direct connection and TCP protocol and socket programming
- A Server running server app, B Client and server code on different threads in same app, C - running client app
- Evaluating battery and throughput performance on all devices
- Project in Devops Udemy Course (Mar '18)
- Web based booking application with 3 environments mimicking development, staging and production stages
- Infrastructure Provisioning Vagrant, Configuration Management - Ansible, Version Control - Git, Central Repository - Github, Continuous Integration/Deployment – Jenkins
- Extra Containerization using Docker Docker Lab for wordpress
- abhrasinha.com Personal Website (Nov '17 Mar '18)
- Testing and deploying different architectures on AWS for hosting Wordpress website for High Availability & Scalability
- Amazon Linux, Apache 2.4, PHP 7.0 and MySQL Client on EC2instances in HA, Auto Scaling group, EFS mounted web directory, S3 - media, RDS (Multi A-Z) - MySQL Server 5.6
- Cron job running on staging for copying website directory to S3 bucket for backup every 2 days

- DevOps on AWS Udemy Course (Feb '18 Mar '18)
- Version control using Git and Github
- Building CloudFormation template using troposphere library and Boto 3 SDK for LAMP stack, Jenkins and sample webserver
- Created Ansible roles for php, codedeploy, apache, Jenkins, phpunit and playbooks for lamp stack
- Using AWS Codedeploy for deploying code and Codepipeline for setting up continuous delivery on staging
- Jenkins Master Node Udemy Course (Jan '18 Feb '18)
 - Installation of Jenkins in EC2, Maven build tool for Java
 - CI: Jenkins polls changes from Github after commit is made
 - CD: Automated Build pipeline delivers code to staging and deployment to production using Apache Tomcat webservers
 - Artifact repository in S3, Jenkins pipeline as code jenkinsfile
 - Plugins: Git, Checkstyle, Copy artifact, Deploy to container, SSH Slaves, pipeline

- Nagios Monitoring Server (Jan '18)
- Installation of Nagios core on EC2, monitoring of host machines using NRPE daemon running on Nagios master and hosts
- Monitoring: Disk usage, CPU load, processes, memory, SSH access