Stack

Cloud and Infra

- AWS
- Linux
- DBA
- GCP

Programming

- Python
- Shell
- JavaScript/ Node.js
- Java

CI/CD

- Jenkins
- TeamCity
- Terraform
- Packer

Observability

- Datadog
- JupyterLab
- R
- Vector, Loki, Grafana

Softer Skills

- GitHub
- Slack
- Jira
- Confluence

Technological Leader

- Mentorship
- Collaboration
- Kanban
- Canva

Gil Blinov

Multi-desciplined DevOps Evangelist

DevOps professional with extensive experience in cloud infrastructure, CI/CD pipelines, programming languages, and database administration. Strong leadership skills and a proven track record of collaborating with diverse teams and mentoring junior colleagues. Passionate about sustainable work practices and driving innovation.

Fundbox

Senior DevOps Engineer

Feb 2022 - Apr 2023

- Maintained and evolved Fundbox's DevOps culture-driven operations as part of a team in a production environment
- Ensured observability and visibility of various environments, facilitating efficient incident resolution and overall system stability
- Participated in a rotating on-call schedule, providing R&D support and monitoring production systems
- Achievements:
 - Resolved a long-standing issue by contributing to an opensource library utilized by Fundbox, improving application observability and reliability
 - Pioneered the next generation of the ChatOps paradigm, designed on an AWS Step Functions backend for enhanced collaboration and streamlined workflows

Compugen

Senior DevOps Engineer

Jan 2020 - Jan 2022

- Spearheaded migration of High-Performance Computing infrastructure to AWS as a one-man show, ensuring a seamless transition and minimal downtime
- Oversaw both technical operations and budgetary concerns, optimizing resource allocation and controlling costs
- Served as the technical lead in modernizing legacy processes and transforming them into a scalable and efficient SaaS model
- Achievements:
 - Directed a team of contract DevOps engineers in the successful implementation of a robust data pipeline, improving data processing and analysis capabilities
 - Facilitated the transition of less tech-savvy personnel to AWS, providing training and support, ultimately enabling the decommissioning of the HPC infrastructure

DoiT International

Cloud Business Manager

Feb 2019 - Oct 2019

- Worked in a business team focused on sales and customer success in both pre-sales and post-sales roles
- Identified, engaged, and onboarded new clients for DoiT international, specializing in Google Cloud Platform (GCP) and AWS

Personetics

DevOps Technical Leader

Jan 2018 - Feb 2019

- As a technical lead, deployed new stacks using unfamiliar technologies and practices, promoting innovation and improving efficiency
- Managed, maintained, and enhanced the commit-build-package infrastructure (tools and servers) on AWS
- Designed and implemented the next evolution of the in-house developer experience platform, emphasizing "X as code" and "self-service"
- Achievements:
 - Developed a pipeline-as-code infrastructure to support various iterations of the core product
 - Delivered core knowledge and expertise to all company teams, including R&D and Product, regarding operations
 - Designed and executed Proof of Concepts (PoCs) for new tools, methodologies, and automated processes, many of which were transitioned to production

Personetics

DevOps Engineer

Apr 2017 - Jan 2019

- Utilized in-depth product knowledge gained as a project manager at Personetics to improve the existing CI pipeline and developer experience
- Improved the existing practices based on technical expertise regarding Personetics and its deployment on various client stacks
- Served as the de-facto DBA for Personetics' in-house databases

Older positions can be found on https://www.linkedin.com/in/gilblinov/

Why I do what I do

I'm motivated by making the world a better place for my children through the work of the companies I work for. My passion for improving processes drives me to continually learn and grow, so I can make a significant impact in empowering development teams to be free to work their magic.

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