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**Current Location:**  
Kansas City, MO

**EDUCATION:**

Western Governors University, Salt Lake City, UT  
B.S. Information Technology Management

Graduation: February 2017

Lewis and Clark Community College, Godfrey, IL  
A.S Computer Information Systems

Graduation: May 2013

**SKILLS:**

- Linux System Administration
- Troubleshooting
- Virtualization via VMware
- Python Scripting
- Bash Scripting
- Cisco UCS Management
- CCL Scripting

**Certifications:** VMware VM-DCA, Cisco ECF, Cisco DTA, Arris DAC, Arris Digital Headend Operations, Arris NC 1500

**WORK EXPERIENCE:**

**Cerner, Kansas City, MO**

Senior System Engineer (July 2018 – Present)

- Responsibilities from System Engineer role plus:
- Mentor new engineers
- Identify problems and make changes to reduce ticket volume
- Consulting to support interface code turnover review
- Improve stability of solution by identifying code changes to improve efficiency

**Cerner, Kansas City, MO**

System Engineer (October 2016 – June 2018)

- On call rotation
- X12 Interfaces
- HL7 Interfaces
- Tier 3 Support FSI (Foreign System Interface Team)
- Cerner Millennium Suite Troubleshooting
- Cerner Revenue Cycle Troubleshooting
- Troubleshoot complex interface issues
- Troubleshoot interface-oracle database issues
- Troubleshoot networking issues
- CCL Scripting (Like SQL)
- Break/Fix Interface programs/scripts
- Red Hat Linux, AIX, and HP UX troubleshooting relating to interfaces
- Red Hat and AIX light system administration

**Suddenlink Communications, Chesterfield, MO**

Advanced Services Engineer (November 2014 – October 2016)

- Digital Video Operations Tier 3 Support
- Rotating on Call Schedule
- Manage UCS Infrastructure (16 Chassis 4 Blades)

- Manage Storage Infrastructure on various systems (Nexsan and Concurrent)
- Configuring Cisco switches (Layer 2 and 3)
- Linux System Administrator (Centos, Oracle Enterprise Linux, FreeBSD, SUSE, Red Hat)
- Windows System Administrator (server 2003, 2008r2, 2012r2)
- VMware Virtual Environment Administrator (ESXI 5.1, upgraded to 5.5, 12 Hosts)
- Developing and deploying architecture designs and solutions to make services more efficient
- Scripting (Python mainly, some PowerShell and bash), such as health check and monitoring scripts
- Design and implement streaming video, cable, and on-demand video infrastructure.
- Implementing, Configuring, and Troubleshooting Video Encoders (Imagine and Harmonic in production, demoed the Ericsson Encoding platform for 6 month in the lab)
- Arris DAC, Radd, ARPD, OM, Apex, Cherrypicker, configuration, troubleshooting, and administration
- Cisco DNCS, DCM, RF Gateway configuration, troubleshooting, and administration
- VOD Back Office Administration (Seachange Axiom)
- VOD CMS Administration (Aspera Enterprise, Console, Orchestrator, P2P components)
- CDN Administration (Concurrent Tools, OC, Orgin, RTC, GS, Mediastore,)

### **Allied Business Systems, Glen Carbon, IL**

Field Engineer (May 2013-November 2014)

- Run and terminate cat5 cable
- Setup and Install point of sale stations
- Manage Windows Environments for various customers (Server 2008, 2012 with Windows 7 workstations.)
- Configure point of sale program
- Integrate PCI Compliance with windows and POS program.
- Troubleshoot point of sale issues
- Design and configure PCI Compliant secure networks
- Repair hardware issues
- Fix computer and network problems
- Basic network Penetration Testing

### **Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, Edwardsville, IL**

Technical Analyst (January 2014– August 2014)

- Answer IT department phones
- Troubleshoot user's problems
- Aid in solutions to the problems
- Put in support tickets(remedy)
- Manage user accounts
- Fix student and staff software issues, mainly virus and malware problems.

### **Swing City Music, Collinsville, IL**

Live sound and Install Tech/ Website Information Architect (March 2011– April 2014)

- Design website structure
- Create website structure (HTML5, PHP, and CSS)
- Solve website problems
- Install sound systems for clients
- Troubleshoot customers problems
- Fix computer and network problems
- Run live sound at events

### **Genco ATC, Hershey's Distribution warehouse, Edwardsville IL**

Information Technology Intern (May 2012- October 2012)

- Maintain mobile computers and printers on forklifts
- Maintain all RF guns
- Troubleshoot and fix computer issues in office
- Order all supplies for the I/T department
- Monitor Main Server
- Monitor Video Surveillance Server

