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WORK EXPERIENCE

Three Knots

Jan. 2024 – Present

DevOps Apprentice

Denver, CO

- Used Terraform, Ansible, Docker, and Github Actions to create IaC and workflows that programmatically build infrastructure for and deploy [portfolio website](#) to AWS.
 - Used IaC to create and manage network infrastructure, and automated disaster recovery.
- Engineered CI/CD on a separate project to develop a containerized and easily deployable website solution.
 - Planned out SDLC framework, stood up local dev and staging environments, documentation pages.
 - Worked asynchronously with a small team of DevOps Engineers and Developers.
 - Used Slack, Jira, Miro, GitHub, Docker, and VSCode for planning and collaborative work.
- Learning basic implementation of products such as Kubernetes, Golang, and Python.
- Personal projects coded in Svelte, with the use of Supabase, and backend from Sveltekit.
 - Experimented with the use of AI for assistance with complicated problems, but due to the release of Svelte 5 was unable to get reliably useful responses from it.
- Next goals after gaining some level of mastery over Kubernetes is to experiment with observability tools and then begin delving further into microservices architecture, with loosely coupled asynchronous messaging.

Walgreens

Jun. 2017 – Present

Pharmacy Manager | August, 2021 – Present

Taos, NM and Denver, CO

- Trained and developed staff to ensure compliance with all company, state, and federal regulations.
- Lead a large number of technicians and pharmacists through extensive changes to operational workflows.
- PCI user training - Ensured staff was aware of and followed all regulations and procedures.
- HIPAA - Trained team to provide compliance from top to bottom of workflow; handled reporting of violations.
- Fraud Management - Worked with company leadership to educate the team on potential points of failure and how to avoid social engineering.
- Developed business in the small town I was located in - Rebuilt brand perception after years of mismanagement, identified new verticals and collaborated with other professionals to prepare for changes to reimbursement, worked with community leaders to identify opportunities for growth and advertisement.

CERTIFICATIONS, SKILLS & INTERESTS

- **Certifications:** AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner - Jan. 2024
- **Skills :** Communication, critical thinking, problem solving, organization, resourcefulness, AWS, Docker, Javascript, YAML, JSON, Jira, Agile, Packer, Terraform.
- **Interests:** Gardening, Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu, Building/Making.

EDUCATION

University of New Mexico College of Pharmacy

May, 2017

PharmD, Doctorate of Pharmacy

Albuquerque, NM

- Internships in a variety of different hospitals and local pharmacies, as well as government organizations responsible for delivering pharmacy services to low income and underserved communities.
- NCPA, IACP, ACA, APHA memberships. Attended annual conventions for NCPA and APHA.