

# RIJAYATU RAZAK

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## SUMMARY

I am an Enthusiastic AWS Certified Solutions Architect capable of architecting secure, high-performing, resilient, and efficient infrastructure using the AWS Well-Architected Framework approach. I have excellent communication, analytical, problem-solving, and results-oriented skills. I am very adaptive and can learn new technologies quickly. Ability to think strategically, innovatively, and creatively using judgment and data. I have had experience working on self-projects, where I self-learned and designed a static website of my portfolio and then hosted it using AWS S3. I have also architected highly available, cost-effective, and secured solutions for scenario-based projects, and configured them on the AWS Console. I am passionate about continuously learning new technologies and solutions that solve real-life problems.

## EXPERIENCE

### **AWS Solutions Architect Trainee, Azubi Africa.** April 2022-Current

- ◆ Architecting and designing cloud solutions with AWS services such as EC2 instances, RDS, S3, Elastic Beanstalk, Lambda, CloudFront, Route 53, Gateways, Security Groups, and KMS.
- ◆ Collaborating in building architectures using virtualization of servers, storage, and networks.
- ◆ Collaborating in setting up a VPC environment and designing an effective backup strategy for resilient, highly available, and scalable web applications.
- ◆ Documenting the detailed and structured description of solutions' features, processes, and behavior.

### **AWS Cloud Practitioner, AWS Restart Azubi Africa.** January 2022-April 2022

- ◆ Used IAM to create and control Users' and Groups' access to AWS services and resources.
- ◆ Utilized the AWS CLI to query EC2 instances, start and stop EC2 instances and manage AWS services.
- ◆ Managed and monitored cloud platforms to ensure performance optimization, robust security, and highly available and scalable.
- ◆ Initiated a secured, global hosting of a website using AWS CloudFront, Route 53, and S3.
- ◆ Initiated a Domain Name System using Route 53, and EC2 instances.

### **Monitoring and Evaluation Officer. Tamale Metro Assembly Waste Management.** October 2018-October 2021.

- ◆ Responsible for organizing meetings, monitoring, and logging monthly and daily activities. This has yielded effective monitoring and coordination between my team and my organization.

- ◆ Team Leader for field monitoring, evaluation, and sales of household sanitation and water hygiene products.
- ◆ Face-to-face customer engagement with communities to create new customers and get feedback from existing loyal customers contributed to 95% Open Defecation Free (ODF) achievement in the Tamale Metropolis.
- ◆ Team member embarks on door-to-door sensitization, on water and sanitation practices in communities with poor sanitary conditions.

## SKILLS

- ◆ AWS Cloud Computing
- ◆ AWS Network configuration
- ◆ AWS Well-Architected Framework
- ◆ AWS Storage and databases
- ◆ AWS Infrastructure as code (Cloud Formation)
- ◆ Linux Basics
- ◆ GitHub
- ◆ Basic HTML and CSS

## EDUCATION

- ◆ University Of Ghana  
Bachelor of Science (Earth Science. Integration Water Resources Management)  
November 2009-May 2013.

## CERTIFICATES

- ◆ AWS Certified Solutions Architect  
20<sup>th</sup> August 2022  
[see credentials](#)
- ◆ AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner  
21<sup>st</sup> April 2022  
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