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SKILLS

OpenStack
Kubernetes
Ansible
Git
Puppet
Juju
Linux
Networks
CEPH

EXPERIENCE

NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURES FOR RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY (GRNET) - Head of Systems Development

since August 2018
Team lead of cloud engineering team that designed, built and operates the first OpenStack public cloud for the academic and research community in Greece. Currently runs with 220+ compute hosts, offering almost 10K CPU cores, 44TB RAM and 1,5PB storage. The project also required the full deployment of the operations ecosystem, including health and perfromance monitoring, log aggregation and analysis, security audit and other.

STAVROS NIARCHOS FOUNDATION CULTURAL CENTER (SNFCC) - Chief Technology Officer

January 2016 - August 2018
Executive role in charge of the technology delpoyment and operation in the SNFCC premises, hosting National Library of Greece and the Greek National Opera. We provided full infrastructure and IT services to both organizations and also visitor, exceeding 2M per year.

NATIONAL DOCUMENTATION CENTRE (EKT) - Head of NOC / Senior Systems Engineer

April 2007 - December 2015
Initially senior systems engineer and then Head of Network Operations Center and in charge of design, deploy and operations of the core ICT infrastructure, ICT services and digital data services. Main responsibilities including devops, virtualization, cloud storage, web services, high availability and scalability, monitoring and capacity planning

IDEAL SYSTEMS S.A. - Systems Engineer (Unix)

May 2002 - February 2015

FORTHNET S.A. - Technical Support

July 1999 - April 2002

PROJECTS

GEANT 5th SIG-CISS Meeting
November 2019
The Special Interest Group on Cloudy Interoperable Software Stacks, SIG-CISS, brings together those