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Top Skills

Active Directory
ITIL
Disaster Recovery

Languages

English

Certifications

Resource Management and Supervisory Skills

CCNA Certified

Effective Communication

MasterCard Clearing and ChargeBack Process

Clear and Candid Business Communication Skills

Atif Zamir

FinTech | ADC | Digital Banking Professional Pakistan

Summary

With the diversified experience of over 14 years, having exceptional knowledge in banking and payment systems. Hands on experience on multiple banking applications and other value added services. Over 5 years of IT Operations experience including 24*7 client support, Team management and service delivery. Sound knowledge of:

- · Core Banking Application.
- ISO 8583 & EMV Co Standards.
- · Payment Systems.
- Value Added applications / services.
- ATM / POS Switches.
- VISA, MasterCard settlement processes.
- VISA, MasterCard & UPI Certifications processes, PVT, NIV & NITs.
- Pakistan's 1st Mobile POS solution. Deployment / Client Support / Vendor Coordination / Certification.
- Card Management Systems.
- QR issuance and Acquiring projects. Tokenization & and HCE Implementation.

Experience

United Bank Limited AVP

January 2022 - Present (3 months)

Bank Alfalah Limited

Manager/AVP

November 2018 - January 2022 (3 years 3 months)

Karachi, Pakistan

- 1) Product Development & Project Management.
- 2) BRD creation and Technical Documentation. Scope finalization.
- 3) mVisa & Masterpass specifications. coordination with payment schemes.

- 4) Vendor engagements in multiple projects.
- 5) Channel monitoring and First level support.
- 6) Work as business analyst, where bank offers realtime integration solutions.
- 7) mVisa issuance and acquiring project. end to end coordination with VISA regional teams. Scope and solutions finalisation.
- 8) Virtual Debit Card Portfolio.
- 9) Upcoming product development. Virtual Prepaid Card development and complete portfolio.
- 10) Working as Business Technology Expert in BAFL Digital Banking Group

HBL - Habib Bank Limited

Manager IT

June 2016 - October 2018 (2 years 5 months)

Head Office

- 1) Business Analysis
- 2) Project Management
- 3) Requirement Gathering and Vendor Coordination.
- 4) Project Cut-Over and Delivery.
- 5) Debit / Credit Card Personalization systems.
- 6) White plastic and EMV certification (VISA, UPI, MasterCard & Paypak)
- 6) Chip n PIN & Contactless Cards.

Monet - Mobile Money Network

Assistant Manager - Quality Assurance & Service Delivery September 2014 - May 2016 (1 year 9 months)

Karachi

- Mobile POS Technology, UAT, Integration.
- Transaction flow and end to end testing.
- ADVT (Acquirer device validation tool kit).
- Perform QA of Different Mobile apps (Android, Windows etc.)
- Coordination with vendors.
- Technical / Procedural documentation.
- Database and MIS management.
- 1st / 2nd level Client support.
- Patch deployment and application implementation.
- End to End transaction monitoring, System monitoring using LINUX and Windows operating systems.
- HSM Key management for MPOS Devices.
- Client side training Sessions, Demonstrations, Presentations.
- Documentation (System / Procedural).

- Patch deployment, Application installation at Linux / Windows based servers.
- PCI DSS 3.1 Certification Project.
- Branch-less Banking Services.

Euronet Pakistan (Private) Limited 3 years 5 months

Application Consultant April 2014 - September 2014 (6 months) Karachi

- Setup testing environment for business users and perform SITs, UATs as per requirement.
- Coordination with business users during UATs and work accordingly as per their feedback.
- Provide 2nd level support to EN technical support team for any new or ongoing production issue.
- Close coordination with internal development team for any existing and upcoming project
- Align with the company's project managers during project executing.
- Involve during certification with third party payment schemes (I.e. VISA, MASTERCARD). ADVT, MTIP.

Technical Support Analyst August 2012 - March 2014 (1 year 8 months) Karachi

Responsibilities

- Provides training / guidelines to customer support analysts / newly hired staff.
- MIS presentation to the higher management on a weekly and monthly basis.
- Provide first level technical support to the customers (Member Banks).
- Manage End of Day Operation for the ATM controller while using IBM AS-400 / OS-400.
- Execution of different queries on Controller for transaction extraction purpose.
- Manage and handle ongoing production issues.
- VISA transaction settlement processing (Outgoing / Incoming Transactions).
- Perform incident management in case of any incident reported by client or customer.
- 24*7 Technical and Operational Support

- Perform investigation on daily log files to provide initial information and resolution details to customer.
- Reports to the Manager of Operations and Customer Support
- Incident Management and Tracking / Change Management
- Participate in different ongoing and upcoming projects
- User acceptance testing for new changes and modification.

Customer Support Analyst

May 2011 - July 2012 (1 year 3 months)

Karachi

Responsibilities

- EOD processing for all clients
- Provide first level Customer / Technical support to the customers (Member Banks).
- .Execution of different queries on ITM 4.1 for transaction extraction purpose.
- VISA /MasterCard transaction settlement processing (Outgoing / Incoming Transactions).
- Perform incident management in case of any incident reported by client or customer.
- 24*7 Technical and Operational Support
- Perform investigation on daily log files to provide initial information and resolution details to customer.
- Reports to the Manager of Operations and Customer Support
- Execution of daily and monthly backups and coordination with IBM datacenter team for tap library upload.

Royal Bank of Scotland System Operation Admin March 2010 - January 2011 (11 months) Karachi

Job Resposibilities

- Core Banking application Score running on AS/400.
- Daily Start of day / End of day processing's.
- Securing back up of data files and program libraries.
- To update local applications on daily basis on remote servers in Taiwan,
 Singapore.
- Daily / Monthly & Quarterly data reconciliations and reporting to business Unit Heads.
- Maintain logs / MIS of critical application, passwords custody / usage under compliance policy.
- Incident Reporting.

- Mid-ranged documentation for local applications.
- Handling local applications: Credit Card MIS (CCMIS), Lending PC (LPC)
- PL/SQL management. Deployment of SQL queries in case of application errors.

Barclays

Business Analyst

May 2008 - March 2010 (1 year 11 months)

Karachi

- Marking of holidays within the application
- Provide technical and functional support to business users.
- Assign different issue raised by users to offshore support team and follow them up till the resolution.
- Perform UATs for the FIX provided by offshore support in UAT environment and after successful UAT initiate a request to production support team for FIX deployment.
- Get all the necessary approvals from relevant business owners and share it with production support.
- Creation of new advices and reports with in the application and creation of new UDFs (User Define Fileds) as per user requests.
- Creation of new users and new user profiles in the application and assign it to respective users.
- · Creations of new users and user profiles in the application
- Creation of new filed in the applications along with the new forms requested by users.
- Management of workflows (Automatic email escalations) in the application.
- Resolution of different issues reported by business users on timely basis.
- Creations of new categories and subcategories in the application
- Provide testing environment to business uses where they tests new functionalities of application.
- Creation of reports after getting the data from the production server and apply different types of SQL gueries to refine the output
- Provide the production data dumps to business users on timely basis for MIS purpose
- Perform client side scripting from front end and cater the requests of business users.

ABN AMRO Bank N.V. Information Security Administrator

April 2007 - May 2008 (1 year 2 months)

Karachi

Job Responsibilites

- By using Active Directory, User creations on ABNAMRO domain.
- Assign appropriate rights to the users according to their privileges.
- Design an implement the security strategies with in the ABNAMRO Domain.
- Keep the security checks regarding any vulnerability in the Network.
- Creation of users in different banking applications and assign appropriate rules to the users.
- Manages the user's profile movement and deletion of the user in case of employee's departure.
- Provide front line support the users all over Pakistan.
- Provide e-mailing facility through Lotus Notes.

Hamdard University
IT Administrator
December 2005 - March 2007 (1 year 4 months)
Karachi

Responsibilities

Experience in administration of overall process of software Installation,
Configuration of Windows 2000 server and client. Management of Hospital
Management System, Patient Billing System. Pharmacy System
Management of 24*7 IT operations including resource management.
Clinet coordination.

liaquat national hospital System Support Engineer August 2005 - December 2005 (5 months) Karachi

I was working in LNH as system support engineer and supporting Desktops of the organization

Education

Muhammad Ali Jinnah University MS, Computer Science (2005 - 2008)