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TECHNICAL SKILLS:

Operating Systems Windows: Linux distributions (CentOS, Ubuntu, RedHat, Debian) Programming Languages: Python, Java, .NET, C++, C#, SQL, JSON, HTML, CSS Automation and Build Tools: Ansible, Jenkins, Terraform, Puppet, Chef, ANT, Maven

Version Control Tools: GIT, GitHub, Bitbucket, GitLab, Azure Repos

Databases: Oracle, MongoDB, MySQL, CosmosDB, PostgreSQL, Firebase, Cassandra

Scripting: Python, Shell, PowerShell, Ruby, JavaScript, Jinja, Groovy, YAML

Methodologies: Agile, Scrum, Test-driven Approach

Tools: Docker, Kubernetes, Jira, Shell, Bash, Automation, NodeJS, jQuery, Django, Flask, XML, Nginx, Apache HTTP, TomCat

SDKs: ReactNative, Unity3D, Android Studio, Arduino

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY:

- > Experienced DevOps / Cloud Engineer with 6 years of hands-on experience specializing in Azure. Have relevant experience with Automation, Python Scripting, and Machine Learning.
- · Created and managed Azure ML workspaces to organize and streamline machine learning projects, experiments, and datasets
- Experience with building Azure DevOps CI/CD Workflows and Github Action Workflows to automate Creation and Configuration of Azure Resources using Bicep templates, Terraform scripts and Azure Resource Manager (ARM) in all environments for creating Resource Groups, Virtual Networks, Subnets, Virtual Machines, Blob Storage, Azure Active Directory, Azure AD Connect, Application Gateway and Azure Boards, Azure Test Plan resources
- Focused on triggers that automatically invoke build pipelines for Continuous Integration of source code changes and release pipelines for Continuous Deployment
- Developed and orchestrated end-to-end ML pipelines, automating data preprocessing, model training, evaluation, and deployment processes.
- Proficient in using **PowerShell**, and **Bash** for automation scripting, creating efficient and reliable scripts to automate various tasks and streamline workflows in both development and operational environments.
- Expertise in defining Azure Pipelines and GitHub Actions workflows for provisioning application resources, managing secrets and environment variables securely, and orchestrating complex deployment pipelines. Utilized Azure Key Vault, HashiCorp Vault, Terraform, Ansible, Docker, and Kubernetes for seamless infrastructure management and deployment automation
- · Skilled in creating and deploying artifacts for NuGet packages, Docker images, applications, Maven, and npm. Experienced in storing these artifacts using Azure Artifacts, GitHub Packages, and Docker Hub. Streamline Build Process to ensure robust version control and traceability across diverse development environments
- Experienced in building testing pipeline and integrating Static Code Analysis, Load Testing, Automated Testing and **Compatibility Testing**
- · Worked on monitoring and optimizing Azure Pipelines and GitHub Actions workflows for performance, resource utilization, and cost efficiency, utilizing built-in metrics and logging feature with Marketplace integrations
- Proficient in invoking HTTP trigger functions with HTTP request and build serverless APIs. Worked with Postman API testing tool to call HTTP triggers and performed load testing on the applications using Azure DevOps Services
- · Skilled in integrating Azure DevOps with Docker containers using Azure pipelines to orchestrate microservices builds and deployments to Azure Kubernetes Service (AKS)
- Streamlined data collection processes by integrating Python scripts with SQL database for efficient data storage and retrieval. Utilized pandas and NumPy for data cleaning and transformation, and employed Cron Jobs to automate regular scraping tasks, ensuring timely and accurate data updates

- Designed and implemented **web scrapers** using **Selenium** to extract and process large volumes of data from various **dynamic** and **static websites**. Ensured robustness by incorporating **error handling**, **retries**, **and logging mechanisms** to manage network issues and **site structure changes** effectively
- Proficient in leveraging reusable **Terraform templates/modules** for provisioning and managing Azure infrastructure as code (IaC) to establish **Dev, Test, UAT, and production** environments through **configuration** files. Utilized **Azure Storage** to store **Terraform state** files, ensuring comprehensive tracking of all environment changes
- Experienced with version control systems such as **GIT**, **Subversion**, **Azure Repos**. Utilized GitBash tool to clone the private and public repositories. Skilled in building project branches, merge and release them into various environments
- Experience in scripting languages like Python, Ruby, Perl, Shell, Bash and familiar with storage, Networking, PowerShell commands. Experienced in creating automated PowerShell Scripts for web-app deployment
- Experience in working with **Agile** methodologies and **Scrum** practices. Handled daily stand-up calls to measure the team performance and manage the work.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

Client: TransAmerica (Remote, USA) | Azure/ML DevOps Engineer RESPONSIBILITIES

Jan 2023 - Present

- Developed CI/CD Pipelines for Hosting internal applications on Azure DevOps while maintaining critical data on-premises, leveraging hybrid connectivity solutions such as Azure VPN and ExpressRoute to securely access on-premises data through Azure services.
- Assisted **ML team** in streamlining their **workloads** on Azure **Cloud**, optimizing computing resources and ensuring seamless integration with **Azure services**.
- Leveraged **Docker** to containerize **ML models** and **applications**, deployed and managed Kubernetes clusters (**AKS**) to orchestrate **containerized ML applications**, ensuring high availability and scalability.
- Implemented and managed Azure resources spanning multiple providers including Compute, Network, and Application Gateway, utilizing Terraform and Bicep Templates, also had experience with ARM templates. Established and sustained Dev, Test, UAT, and Prod environments through infrastructure as code methodologies, employing Terraform scripting and Bicep Templates.
- Assisted in creating and managing secure **Azure network architectures**, including virtual networks (VNets) and subnets, applying RBAC and network security groups (**NSGs**) to **control traffic and access**. Developed and implemented **pipelines** to **automate** the application of these **configurations** on **newly created infrastructure**
- Involved in implementing Azure Role-Based Access Control (**RBAC**) to manage and restrict **access to resources**, ensuring that users and applications had the minimum necessary permissions.
- Involved in writing **Ansible playbooks** to push out **new/confirm** configuration of the deployed **infrastructure**. Defined tasks to Ansible modules for roles and playbooks and **run** it on **DevOps Pipeline** for all the **hosts** to be updated.
- Developed and maintained custom Python, Bash, Shell, and PowerShell scripts to automate CI/CD pipelines, enabling seamless integration and deployment processes across Azure DevOps, enhancing build, test, and release efficiency. Using CRON Jobs to Schedule jobs on the master node.
- Utilized **Python** and **Shell** scripting to **automate** infrastructure **provisioning** and **configuration** with **Terraform** and **Ansible**, and orchestrated containerized applications using **Docker** and **Kubernetes**, ensuring consistent, scalable, and reliable **environments**. Apache
- Monitored and audited Azure environments for compliance with **security policies** and **RBAC** configurations, using tools like Azure Security Center and Azure Policy. Nginx
- Utilized **Docker** to **containerize applications**, enabling **portability** and **scalability** across different environments. Configured Docker images to encapsulate application code, dependencies, and configurations, and stored them in **Azure Container Registry**, facilitating **version control** and **artifact management**.
- Integrated Docker images into CI/CD pipelines in Azure DevOps, tagging artifacts for traceability and seamless deployment to Azure Kubernetes Service AKS, optimizing the software delivery lifecycle SDLC.
- Utilized **Helm** charts to efficiently deploy and manage **Kubernetes** applications on **Azure Kubernetes Service** (AKS), leveraging **Docker** to **containerize** our applications and **Azure Container Registry** (ACR) to **securely store and manage** Docker **images**.
- Integrated SonarQube, Snyk, and Checkmarx into the CI/CD pipeline to continuously monitor and improve code quality and security, reducing vulnerabilities and ensuring compliance.
- Integrated unit tests, integration tests, and UI tests with Selenium into the CI/CD pipelines using Azure DevOps, ensuring comprehensive testing coverage and automated Report Generation.

- Involved in **Designing, Configuring and Deploying** Azure Virtual Networks **VNets**, Subnets, Service and Private Endpoints, DNS Servers, Address space, Security Policies Tomcat and VNet Peering's using **Terraform**.+
- Assisted in deploying Azure **Monitor** and Azure **Log Analytics** for real-time **monitoring and logging** of cloud resources, enhancing visibility and operational efficiency.
- Implemented Azure Key Vault to securely manage secrets, credentials, and configurations, ensuring data security and compliance. Integrated access to Key Vault and utilized stored credentials within the pipeline for enhanced security and seamless deployment processes.
- Established a **branching** strategy using **Git** and **Azure Repos**, creating separate branches for Dev, Test, UAT, and Production **environments**.
- Set up manual validation steps in the CI/CD pipeline for critical deployments, ensuring thorough review and approval before production release.
- Integrated **security tools** like **OWASP ZAP and Veracode** into the CI/CD pipeline for continuous security scanning and vulnerability assessment.
- Created and maintained detailed documentation of migration processes, CI/CD pipeline configurations, and infrastructure setups to facilitate knowledge transfer and future maintenance.
- Followed **Agile** methodologies to measure the overall workflow of projects and attended daily stand-up meetings.

<u>Softline Solutions PVT. LTD. (Bangalore, IN) |Cloud DevOps Engineer RESPONSIBILITIES</u>

Jul 2020 - Jul 2022

- Designed cloud native solutions with **Azure** services leveraging **Azure storage**, **Azure SQL**. Designed **event-driven** architectures using serverless **functions**, orchestrated and managed through **GitHub Actions**.
- Designed and implemented CI/CD pipelines using GitHub Actions, integrating code testing with tools such as pytest and unittest for Python, and security scanning with CodeQL.
- Orchestrated **infrastructure deployment** using both **Terraform** and **Bicep templates**, ensuring infrastructure as code principles and efficient **resource management**.
- Used **Staged Deployment** strategy, initially deploying **applications** across **two** separate **pools of servers** for **resilience** and **testing** purposes. Incorporated **Azure Monitor** for real-time **monitoring and diagnostics**, along with **Prometheus** and **Grafana** for advanced **analytics and visualization**.
- Assisted in Network Traffic splitting mechanism using Azure Traffic Manager and Azure Application Gateway, directing users to specific application versions based on predefined rules.
- Managed **Application Deployment** to different server pools based on **Manual Validation** and **Monitoring Insights**, utilizing Azure DevOps for **change management** in different **Environments**.
- Created and configured **HTTP Triggers** in Azure Functions enabling **Application Insights** for monitoring, debugging, and performing **load testing** on the applications using **Python API** for uploading all the agent logs into **Blob Storage**, with automation through GitHub Actions.
- Hosted private Git repositories for source code control. Developed build workflows, additionally utilizing **GitHub Actions** to **enhance automation** capabilities, **enabling parallel** workflows, and **integrating seamlessly** with repositories.
- Containerized applications using Docker, storing images in Azure Container Registry (ACR), and deployed them on Azure Kubernetes Service (AKS) for container orchestration.
- Configured AKS with Horizontal Pod Autoscaler and Kubernetes Cluster Autoscaler for automated load balancing and scalability, ensuring optimal performance under varying loads.
- ▶ To ensure security, we implemented **Azure Key Vault** to manage secrets and credentials, enforced network policies, and enabled role-based access control (**RBAC**) within our Kubernetes environment.
- Created and managed organization's infrastructure within Azure using Terraform and Ansible, automated deployment processes with GitHub Actions.
- Optimized hosting costs by leveraging **Azure Reserved Instances** and Azure Hybrid Benefit, maximizing utilization of Azure services while minimizing expenses.
- Wrote Ansible playbooks, Roles and followed best practices to utilize Ansible Handlers with multiple tasks to trigger various handlers and to decouple handlers from their names.
- Worked on a **Proof of Concept** (POC) initiative focused on **modernizing CI/CD** processes, leveraging **GitHub Actions Pipelines** and **Tekton** to streamline software **delivery workflows**. Implemented and fine-tuned **automation pipelines**, integrating advanced features to enhance **efficiency**, **scalability**, **and reliability** across the **development lifecycle**.
- Involve in daily **stand-up** meetings, sprint **backlog** and sprint **retrospective** for Agile **Scrum** Process.

Compendious Medialabs Pvt. Ltd. (Mumbai, IN) | Ansible/Cloud Engineer (i)

RESPONSIBILITIES

June 2019 - June 2020

- Developed custom Ansible Modules in Python to enhance functionality and automate tasks within the infrastructure.
- · Worked on in-line scripts automation for Ansible and Terraform, using Bash, Python, Shell, and Powershell.
- Developed and maintained scripts to automate repetitive tasks, enhancing productivity and efficiency across the team using Python, Bash, and PowerShell.
- Used **Ansible** to automate **Configuration Management** tasks, ensuring **consistency**, **repeatability** and avoiding **configuration drift** across environments.
- Collaborated with fellow DevOps engineers to support the development and maintenance of CI/CD pipelines.
- Tested **Jenkins** for CI and automated scheduled data **scraping** and **uploading** to databases, ensuring **timely** and **accurate data** updates.
- · Assisted in the deployment and monitoring of automated solutions, ensuring smooth operation and quick issue resolution.
- ▶ Knowledge and hands-on experience with popular **DevOps tools** such as Docker, Kubernetes, Jenkins, Ansible, and Terraform.
- Experience with Infrastructure as Code (IaC) tools, particularly **Azure Resource Manager** (ARM) templates and **Terraform and Ansible** for automating **configuration management** and **deployment tasks**.
- Strong **communication skills** for effective interaction with various stakeholders, including developers, operations teams, and management.
- Gained experience in **critical thinking** and **problem-solving** abilities, essential for **troubleshooting** issues and **optimizing** processes.

Compendious Medialabs Pvt. Ltd. (Mumbai, IN) | Python Engineer (Intern)

RESPONSIBILITIES

May 2018 - May 2019

- · Worked on a project that translates and augments Sign Language using Machine Learning and Augmented Reality.
- Employed MobileNet V2 as a transfer learning model, and it was hyper tuned to meet the needs.
- Designed the model using the algorithms that **TensorFlow Lite** showed promising results with **28mAP** and is used by developers to integrate with Augmented Reality.
- Developed an android application for preschoolers with cognitive challenges, hearing and speaking aid
- Implemented Augmented Reality along with **Deep Learning models** i.e., **Convolutional Neural Network CNN** with 95% accuracy & **Image Processing**

using TensorFlow & Keras, integrated Google Vision API for Handwriting Analysis, assisted with Sign Language.

- Awarded as Innovative Idea during the internal presentation in 2020.
- Authored and published a paper in the international journal IOSRJEN in May 2021, V11 ~ I5 ~ S1, E-ISSN: 2250-3021

EDUCATION:

Binghamton University (SUNY) *Master of Science in Computer Science*

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Universal College of Engineering Bachelor's in Computer Engineering Aug 2022 - Dec 2023 GPA: 3.44/4

Jul 2015 - Jun 2019 GPA: 8.09/10