Senior Linux Systems Engineer Senior Linux Systems Engineer Senior Linux Systems Engineer -Worthington Industries Powell, OH Dynamic IT professional with a wide range of technical expertise. Maintained high system stability rates on all Linux and Microsoft systems. Successfully implemented and managed Red Hat satellite server, Red Hat 4, 5, 6 and 7, CentOS 5 and 6 and vSphere 4.0. and 5.0 Work Experience Senior Linux Systems Engineer Worthington Industries - Worthington, OH November 2015 to Present Developed patching schedules for Linux servers Installed and built Spacewalk server Develop Linux security hardening Standards Setup a Corporate Syslog server Assisted APP-DEV team in writing startup scripts Developed a OEL 5 to OEL 6 or 7 migration Helped APP-DEV teams Automate a lot of their daily task Setup a Puppet and Ansible plan POCs Maintained and administers three NetApp clusters, a Data Ontap select and cloud instance Senior Systems Engineer Bob Evans Farm Inc - New Albany, OH November 2013 to August 2015 Developed patching schedules for Linux servers 
Installed and built both Spacewalk and Red Hat Satellite servers Develop Linux security hardening Standards Setup a Corporate Syslog server Implemented Red Hat Identity Management with a one way trust to the Window AD Domain Architected Linux DR systems, procedures and documentation Maintained 244T of NetApp storage and setup DR policies between the Production and DR datacenters Setup up a Oracle EBS UAT, TEST, DEV, PREPROD and Production environments encompassing 130+ servers Worked with/Mentored Windows Applications admins on Linux terminal usage Grew the environment from 18 Linux servers to 140+ Setup run books for several Linux procedures these run books were written with several different skillset from Help Desk up to Senior Linux Admins Setup a Zenoss Core Server for monitor of Linux, Windows and VMware ESXi server Senior Linux Administrator DSW Inc - Columbus, OH September 2013 to November 2013 Updated various documents to reflect the difference between RHEL 6 and RHEL 5 Worked with the Development team to create an internal Perl CPAN and setup routine Perl module refresh Managed a 750 Server environment Senior Linux Administrator Battelle Memorial Institute - Columbus, OH December 2011 to September 2013 Developed patching schedules for Linux servers Developed Linux security hardening Standards Set up PeopleSoft performance, test, dev and production

environments encompassing 100+ servers Developed a Linux mentoring program for Windows Administrators and Junior Linux Administrators Set up HP SIM to deploy firmware and drivers to HP servers Designed, implemented and maintained scripts to start/stop WebLogic and PeopleSoft processes Implemented Active Directory authentication to 2008 R2 domain using Winbind and Implemented Red Hat Satellite server 5.5 Mentor Application Administrators on Linux Samba3x best security practices and procedures Analyzed internal customer needs and then developed, architected and implemented server environments Worked with Storage Admins to develop and ensure proper multipathing Worked with the DBA team and Oracle Specialists to establish and maintain Oracle RAC and ASM configuration Linux EWS Administrator Honda R & D Americas -Raymond, OH February 2011 to December 2011 Designed, maintained, tested and deployed CentOS 5.5 and 4.4 images Designed, maintained, tested and deployed Windows 7 EWS image Switch over NIS authentication to Active Directory authentication for Linux clients Implemented HP Tested and implemented Kerberos authentication for NFS SIM for hardware firmware patching Upgraded NetApp filers to 8.02 p1 cluster mode and 7 mode Setup Snapvault as DR shares solution for 3 Separate Netapp environments Implement Snapcreator framework, Vibe and OSSV Implement firmware patching schedule and policy Migrate the VMware environment from ESX 4.0 to ESXi 4.1 and VCenter 4.0 to 4.1 Setup a 12 node Microsoft HPC Setup a 40 node Linux HPC Systems Administrator Safe Auto Insurance - Columbus, OH May 2006 to February 2011 Administered VMview VDI 4.0 and 4.5 and 35 virtual desktops. Upgraded VMware ESX and ESXi 3.5 servers over to VMware vSphere 4.0. Set up an isolated VMware ESX 4.0 environment for QA Aligned virtual servers to minimize iSCSI timeouts and resets. testing. Set up/implemented HP and Dell firmware patching schedule with Dell OpenManager and HP Insight Manager. Performed updates and created new policies for clients on Symantec Endpoint Management server. Implemented Avaya IQ cluster running RHEL 5.4. Administered Linux servers running RHEL 4, 5, Maintained Voltage Secure email server and implemented a passive/active 6 and CentOS 5. cluster for the product. Set up and implemented a Red Hat Satellite Server and patching schedule for all Linux servers. Administrated Citrix Xenapp 6 and Presentation 4.5 server including

publishing printers and applications. Created pre-deployment checklists and policies for Linux, ESX and ESXi servers. Performed operation duties such as Active Directory/Exchange adds, moves and changes. Performed software installations for client and server applications running Windows, VMware, ESX, ESXi, Linux and Unix. Provided mentoring to the Help Desk and Migrated and maintained RightFax 9.3 cluster to RightFax 9.4. Application Administration staff. Application Administrator Maintained User Rights on DB2 and SQL databases. Maintained and implemented upgrades on self-hosted Ultipro, Ultipro Backoffice, Ultipro Time and Attendance, and Ultipro Web. Set up and maintained RightFax accounts and monthly reporting. Implemented user privileges, created Active directory groups and users accounts. Audited user Active Directory Upgraded and maintained Halogen E360 and eAppraisal. accounts and DB2 accounts. SharePoint 2003 Administrator. IT Employee of the Month. Provided mentoring to the Help Desk Supported VPs and Company owner's business and personal PCs. staff. Technician-Level Two Created deployment plan and wrote internal support documentation for Windows Vista deployment. Performed pre-deployment testing of Vista, including internal software compatibility verification. Mentored/Trained Help Desk staff. Set up Microsoft deployment server to deploy base OS images. Help Desk Technician - Level One Pre-deployment planning and testing of hard drive encryption products. Performed VOIP and digital line troubleshooting. Documented several proprietary software applications when developer documentation was missing. Created a pre-deployment Checklist and setup a Norton Ghost server for Image deployment. Supported AVPs Highest average ticket closer. Chosen as IT employee of the month twice. Senior Repair Technician The Laptop Guy - Columbus, OH April 2004 to May 2006 Repaired incoming laptops, PC's and Mac's. Assisted clients with technical and operating system issues. Configured and installed network topography for three locations. Maintained Ethernet and analog phone lines for three locations. Used and set up SUSE 9.1 workstation for Technicians and Set up SOHO router/firewall and Samba file share with SUSE 9.1. internet Kiosk for customers. Developed backup server and data retention policy. Education Burke Institute VOC 2019 Emergency Medical Technician Columbus State Community College - Columbus, OH 1992 Skills

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