

Experienced Engineer Experienced Engineer Experienced Engineer - Associa Inc Work Experience

Experienced Engineer Associa Inc - Dallas, TX May 2019 to Present Experienced Engineer with a demonstrated history of working in the networking industry; skilled in Cisco routers, switches, and ASA's, Palo Alto Firewalls, Solar Winds, DWDM, IPSEC, Python automation, Ubuntu Linux. Graduated from U.S. Cyber Center of Excellence. CCNA and CCNP Route certified. Project Management Engineer Associa Inc - Dallas, TX May 2019 - Present Developed a cost effective out of band management system for over 150 remote sites nationwide that costed less than \$200/location. Consolidated 20+ circuits that were being underutilized and saved our company over \$100k/year in costs for uplinks. Provisioned and deployed various models of Cisco ASA's, routers, and switches for remote sites. Planned and implemented wi-fi access points based on the needs of our growing network. Monitored the health of our networks and implemented network management configurations to multiple devices using Solar Winds. Network Security Engineer - W2 Contract Match.com - Dallas, TX November 2018 to March 2019 Designed a logging plan using Panorama and Palo Alto's to track east and west traffic in our data centers to provide better security/accountability. I migrated our company network off of ASA's to Palo Alto Firewalls and designed our VPN solution using Global Protect. Provided Layer 1-7 troubleshooting and research for best practices surrounding new network threats. Work in partnership with DevOps and other departments to collaborate on service tickets for network changes and requests. Developed a way to get rid of orphaned rules, address groups, and other unutilized configurations using Palo Alto's Expedition Firewall Auditor. Network Engineer Databank - Dallas, TX June 2017 to November 2018 Provided 24/7 up-time for our managed services, cloud, and co-located networks. I maintained our equipment inventory and was responsible for provisioning and deploying Cisco/Juniper/Ciena devices, for data centers throughout the Midwest. Traveled extensively between Kansas City, Salt Lake City, and Baltimore for network turn ups. Tactfully prioritized a project for converting all of our network devices to use TACACS and SYS LOG servers, instead of authenticating/logging on local devices. TAC Support Engineer - W2 Contract Palo Alto Networks January 2017 to May 2017 Provided post sales technical support to Palo Alto Networks end users via phone, e-mail and chat.

Provided solutions in a timely and professional manner in a high call time environment. Worked with my team to achieve the best call quality and first call resolution times in support. Developed strong fault isolation and root cause analysis skills to solve complex technical issues. Network Administrator U.S. Army 2013 to 2017 Conducted layer2/3 troubleshooting and trained incoming soldiers on basic networking fundamentals. Supported a 24/7 up time NOC environment while processing requests for data and voice access. I primarily worked with Cisco routers/switches, ASA's, ESXi for Cisco Call Manager (VoIP). Participated in a volunteer hackathon, building Linux servers for vulnerability testing. Skills Project Management, Customer Service

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