

# BRANDEN WARD

## DevOps Engineer

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## EXPERIENCE

### DevOps Engineer

#### Alegeus

2019 – Present Remote

- Kubernetes Administrator
- Azure
- Azure DevOps
- CI/CD using Azure DevOps, Octopus, AppVeyor, SonarQube
- .Net Application Development
- System Stability Engineering, Monitoring, Alerting, Reporting and Analysis
- Automation Scripting and Development
- Managed VCS (Gitea)
- Documentation

### Sustaining Engineer

#### Alegeus

2017 – 2019 Milwaukee, WI

- Bug hunter for 6 SaaS Platforms
- Scripting
- Site Reliability Engineering

### Combat Engineer

#### U.S. Army

2007 – 2012 Bamberg, Germany

- Held U.S. Government top secret clearance
- Supervised issuing procedures, maintenance, and was 100% accountable for \$3 million of highly sensitive equipment- with zero losses over an 18-month period.
- Conducted Joint Operations and Training with Afghan, Jordanian and NATO personnel.

## ABOUT MYSELF

- Military instilled a drive to succeed.
- Problem solver that enjoys the process of figuring out solutions.
- Always looking to learn something new and expand my skillset.
- Spent free time learning containerization and orchestration before it was implemented at work.
- Driven by technical challenges and strive to do things the right way.
- Firm believer of leaving things in better condition than when I found them.
- Looking for a position that can fulfill my drive to create new and innovative solutions, and expand my ability to tinker at home.

## MY LIFE PHILOSOPHY

*"Essayons - Let Us Try!"*

*"If Everybody Is Thinking Alike, Then Somebody Isn't Thinking." - General Patton*

## FUN PROJECTS



### Kubernetes Cluster

Deploy and Manage applications on a K8S cluster with 4 Raspberry Pis



### This Resume

Built in LaTeX, Automated

## STRENGTHS

Hard-Working

Attention to Detail

Driven

Thirst for Knowledge

Automator

Tech Enthusiast

Documentation

Terraform

Kubernetes

Azure

Docker

Github Actions

Git

AppVeyor

SonarQube

Octopus

.Net

T-SQL

Powershell

Bash

SCOM

Postman

Splunk

## CERTIFICATIONS

Certified Kubernetes Administrator

The Linux Foundation

2022-2025

## EDUCATION

B.Sc. in Computer Science

University of Wisconsin -Parkside

2017

A.Sc. in Computer Science

College of Lake County

2014