# **Christopher Mello**

Multi Certified AWS Software Engineer and DevOps Project Manager

#### **About**

Hands-on Team engineering leader with experience in building highly performant teams responsible for multiple cross-functional areas of development. Successful at team building, development operations, continuous integration/delivery, agile transformation, production support, and NOAA R&D efforts.

- \* Leadership, organization, collaborative, multiple major government agencies transition to aws cloud through out the stack
- \* Commitment to serving the public with dependable warnings for AWS web and mobile apps
- \* Team building culture specialist across multiple disciplines
- \* High scale web API's is python and javascript
- \* Hardware-Software interface specialist with extensive experience integrating legacy and custom hardware and software into multiple platforms using technology such as Docker, Jenkins, Terraform and Ansible.
- \* Multiple current certifications in AWS, Project Management and Redhat
- \* DoD Classified Confident Clearance level; Maintained USA AF CARCA unit comms systems on Linux for NOAA.
- \* Experienced in Agile Transformation, CMMI level 5

# **Work Experience**

### Lead Hyper-converged Infrastructure Cloud Developer

#### U.S. Department of Commerce

March 2020 to Present

- AWS certified team lead converting six major government departments to an AWS cloud environment
- Led detailed hands on aws training sessions
- Managed and upgraded a multilayered Python web APIs on AWS cloud
- Set up beta builds platforms on AWS including 100 VPC subnets, EC2's, userpools and security protocols
- Used Ansible automation to upgrade and monitor systems
- Managed a Big Data Q that is stored as hdf5 files
- Wrote thousands of lines of Python code
- Worked with a team to set up Lambda functions to trigger off of current forecasts (Python)
- Coordinated and directed hypervisor installations on multiple racks for VMM by writing modification notes
- Improved architecture for recording and retrieval of mega datasets using S3
  Glacier

• Configured BigFix monitoring software to link with Azure cloud VM

### Cross Platform Computer Network Engineer - National Hurricane Center Miami

NOAA: National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration - Miami, FL October 2014 to March 2020

- Managed network Linux (AWIPS) design, project managers and operations technicians for NHC and collocated agencies
- •. Transitioned legacy NHC web page to AWS in 2017
- Created an AWS hurricane hunters software platform for sharing data. (2019)
- Set up a Devops environment on the AWS cloud to transition NAWIPS to AWIPS (a major project) (2017-2020)
- I wrote multiple Lambda functions
- Built an entire AWS stack to test data flow and convert python2 to python3 (2017-2020)

#### Information Technology Officer-

National Weather Service - Cleveland Ohio October 2002 to March 2014

- Managed Microsoft Active Directory
- Primary Linux administrator

• Managed data flows and file systems

## **Education**

### Master's degree in Data Science

UH at Manoa - Honolulu, HI August 1996 to February 1999

### Skills

Do you have any of these top skills employers are looking for?

**Jenkins** 

**VMWare** 

CI/CD

**S3** 

SQL

HTML5

**Cloud Computing** 

Ant

**Dismiss** 

**AWS** 

**Python** 

Git

Java

Linux

**Shell scripting** 

Agile

**Dev Ops** 

**MySQL** 

Docker

**Javascript** 

**SVN** 

Microsoft SQL server

**Apache** 

**Scripting** 

**Ansible** 

**Github** 

**Operating systems** 

**Terraform** 

## **Awards**

#### **National Hurricane Center Cline Award**

October 2019

### **Licenses & certifications**



<u>AWS Certified Developer – AssociateAmazon Web Services (AWS)Issued Oct</u> 2022 · Expires Oct 2025 Issued Oct 2022 · Expires Oct 2025



AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner · Expires Oct 2025



AWS Solution Architect Expires 2025



FAC P/PM Project Management Certification - 2022