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## SUMMARY

I’m interested in a role building a Developer Relations practice. I am an engineering generalist who has dabbled in API-based development, security, DevOps, and cloud technologies. I have a keen interest in solving problems and communicating those solutions to others. I have designed, coded, deployed, blogged, presented and managed for engineering teams across just about every vertical – from FinTech to gaming to government.

I am a builder who is fascinated with other builders. When I am excited about a technology or  
company, that excitement shows through in everything I do.

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS

* Established a [Developers Portal](https://developers.boldpeguin.com) for Bold Penguin’s developer community
* Maintained a social media presence and monitored relevant hashtags for AWS CloudFormation (@chuckm and @awscloudformer)
* Co-created the open source [cfn-lint](https://github.com/aws-cloudformation/cfn-python-lint) CloudFormation linter
* Published articles for the [AWS Blog](https://aws.amazon.com/search/?searchQuery=Chuck%20Meyer#facet_type=blogs)
* Presented at Meetups and conferences, including AWS re:Invent
  + [Deep Dive on AWS CloudFormation](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KXUsyApAI3Y)
  + [Earn Your DevOps Black Belt](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X31kA1ANBVw)
* Managed teams ranging from three to twelve engineers

## EMPLOYMENT

**Senior Engineer, Developer Relations and Integrations,**  
Bold Penguin, March 2019 to present.

I report to the CTO and work with our partners to accelerate their integrations with our products. This ranges from a single developer linking their Salesforce to our commercial insurance exchange to large enterprise teams connecting multiple bespoke backend systems to our quote and bind platform.

* I interact with our partners via meetings, email, and slack to answer questions and gather product feedback.
* I work with our product teams advocating for partner enhancements.
* I improve our product documentation based on partner feedback.
* I write and provide coding examples and best practices.
* I built a [Developers Portal](https://developers.boldpenguin.com) consolidating all of these tools to streamline partner on-boarding and increase brand awareness within the InsureTech space.

**Senior Developer Advocate, AWS CloudFormation,**  
Amazon Web Services, August 2017 to March 2019.

I reported to the AWS CloudFormation service director and served as a liason between the service team and the developer community. I guided customers in following best practices, served as a rallying point for the community, and voiced customer concerns back to the service team.

* I represented the developer community in service team planning sessions.
* I maintained AWS CloudFormation’s open source repositories.
* I designed and published best practices and customer solutions for AWS’ management tools blog.
* I spoke at meetups and conferences about infrastructure as code best practices.
* I met with customers to suggest improvements their infrastructure automation strategies.

**Security Solution Architect,**  
Amazon Web Services, April 2016 to August 2017.

I spoke with CISOs and security practitioners across North America on how to improve their IT security posture by building applications using AWS cloud services.

* I reviewed customer cloud network topologies.
* I created AWS security labs for conferences, summits, and loft events.
* I coached customers on moving away from network perimeter controls toward cloud-native solutions
* I helped customers understand actual risks and appropriate controls to secure their data at rest and in transit.

**Senior Professional Services Consultant**,  
Amazon Web Services, New York, NY, July 2013 to April 2016.

I helped large enterprises migrate critical workloads to AWS and integrate Amazon's web services with their existing on-premises systems. I championed repeatable, secure deployment of infrastructure and applications through CI/CD and configuration management along with the application of DevOps best practices.

* I built a pipeline for hardening RHEL7 Amazon Machine Images to help my customer achieve PCI compliance (Packer, Puppet, and CloudFormation wrapped in custom Python code)
* Cnstructed a CI/CD pipeline for deploying AWS IAM Roles and Policies to meet delegation of duties requirements (CodeCommit, CodePipeline, Ansible, and CloudFormation)

**Web Security Manager,**  
Federal Reserve/HP, Herndon, VA, January 2013 to July 2013.

I managed a technical team of twelve focused on web application/web service access control. The team consisted of SMEs for access management (SiteMinder), PKI, LDAP and User Provisioning (Sun Identity Manager).

**SiteMinder/DataPower Subject Matter Expert (Consultant),**  
Federal Reserve/HP, Herndon, VA, Feb. 2006 to January 2013.

**Senior Support Engineer**, **Premier Services,** CA, Framingham, MA, Nov. 2002 to Feb. 2006.

**Professional Services Consultant**, Netegrity, Waltham, MA, December 2000 to May 2002.

**Web Analyst**, E.W. Scripps Co., Cincinnati, OH, May 1999 to November 2000.

## EDUCATION

BS: Mathematics and Computer Science, BA: Literature and Writing (Cum Laude),  
Northern Kentucky University, KY. August 1997.

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