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Veteran systems architect with expertise in coding, application design, defined architectures and successful project leadership. Systems architect with expertise in requirement gathering and analysis, architectural, component and interface design and development for web-based applications in multiple domains. Extensive experience of 10 years in leading the effort to architect, design and build DevOps solutions acting as the primary point of contact and 20 years of Linux systems administration.

Skilled in building, developing, and managing a high-performing infrastructure and DevOps team to meet the needs of a rapidly growing and changing business in an even more rapidly changing technology landscape Adept in designing and implementing build, deployment, and configuration management; implementing test designs; building and testing automation tools for infrastructure provisioning

Instrumental in leading and executing an effort to integration DevOps on the services that are using cloud platforms; implementing continuous improvement ideas/projects, optimizing the DevOps function Up-to-date on latest industry trends; able to articulate trends and potential clearly and confidently; good interpersonal skills and communication with all levels of management











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### Work experience

Digital Cloud OPS DevOps Lead

10/2019 - present

Ltd

· Managing complex infrastructure in cloud

London United Kingdom Design infrastructure as codeManaging CI/CD pipelines

Scripting everything for automation

Airlingus

**Senior DevOps Engineer** 

06/2019 - 10/2019

Dublin Ireland · Refactoring Terraform scripts

Defeataring Americal accident

· Refactoring Ansible scripts

Design new infrastructure on AWS

Migrate infrastructure components from on-prem to AWS cloud

Sophia Antipolis companies

**Senior DevOps Engineer Consultant** 

10/2017 - 06/2019

companies

Managing complex infrastructure on cloud.

**Nice** Developed and implemented complex Internet and Intranet applications on multiple **France** platforms

DevOps consultancy.

Helping companies to migrate their infrastructure from on-prem to cloud.



## Qualitance QBS

#### Senior DevOps Engineer

11/2016 - 10/2017

Bucharest Romania Qualitance QBS is a Romanian company operating in the Romanian and foreign software market. It

is a company based on both internal and external projects in various fields such as property management,

medical, human resources and so on.

Project's Description: The project I was involved with is related to property management. This is a series of

office buildings in downtown London whose owner contacted us to build a property management

application. The application should allow the end user to rent office space through a web interface, but also

with his mobile phone or tablet. It was a pretty serious challenge because all end users had to be

authenticated through a login server and had the opportunity to open the rented office with their mobile

phone. It was an overwhelming work both from developers and from system engineers. I was a team of 20

people who worked for 7 months

Responsibility: The tasks on the project were pretty clear for the whole team. So the developers team was

supposed to write the code, the UX team had to create the user interface for both the web and the mobile

application, respecting iOS, android phone and tablet formats for iOS as well as for android. The devops team

had to create the three infra DEV, STAGING, PRODUCTION and testing application for mobile with FASTLANE application from Fabric.

Tasks to be carried out:

Setup local environment

- Create and setup virtual machines
- Define jobs and pipeline in Jenkins for DEV,STAGING
- Create scripts for docker and docker-compose for application microservices
- Setup environment for FASTLANE
- Define application endpoints

Testing web application on DEV AND STANGING environment Testing mobile application with FASTLANE

Testing application backend with dummy data Creating PRODUCTION env on AWS with docker swarm and

Kuberntes cluster . Upload mobile application on AppStore and Google Play Testing application on real

world and apply final touch.

#### PJ Interactive Media London United Kingdom

#### **DevOps Engineer**

04/2016 - 10/2016

PJ INTERCATIVE MEDIA is a British and Romanian company operating in the field of custom software.

The project I was involved in was about creating an eshop for Samsung Qatar.

Project's Description: The application was written in java with backend in sqlserver. As any modern application

generally includes two parts: a development part that has been taken over by a team of developers and a

piece of hard-design design and the creation of the infrastructure that the application is running on.

Responsibility: The team of system engineers had as their main task the proposal of the necessary hardware

solution, the installation of the related operating systems, the creation of the test environments, and finally the

creation of the necessary infrastructure for the development and operation of the application in production

Position : DevOps Engineer

Tasks to be carried out:

Setup vms and other software

- Setup VM'S
- •Install and setup Jenkins
- Install and setup WildFly
- Create jobs and pipeline for DEV,STAGING and PRODUCTION
- •Install and setup SQL-SERVER
- •Install and setup AD for users permissions on DEV,STAGING andPRODUCTION servers

Testing infrastructure created

Deploy app to AWS cloud for DEV,STAGING and PRODUCTION by Jenkins jobs and pipeline and also

provisioning scripts for Terraform.

#### Opcom Bucuresti Romania

#### **DevOps Engineer**

12/2015 - 04/2016

OPCOM SA is a Romanian company active in the field of electricity. Its main activity is trader on the

electricity market where some buy energy and others sell energy. Romania is acting on an inter-regional

energy market alongside Hungary, the Czech Republic and Poland, with sales and purchases of energy being

made. Everything should be as transparent as possible, and an application that automates these sales and

purchases needs to be done. In this context, it has been decided to create an application to automate these

processes on an interregional level.

Project's Description: The application must match purchase orders with orders to sell on energy market. This has resulted in a team of developers and a team of system engineers.



It was decided that the application be written in Java with support from Jboss and Tomcat

Responsibility: The developer team had the main task of developing the application and the website . The

team of system engineers had as their main task the proposal of the necessary hardware solution, the

installation of the related operating systems, the creation of the test environments, and finally the creation of the necessary infrastructure for the development and operation of the application in production.

Application Website: www.opcom.ro

Position: DevOps Engineer

Tasks to be carried out:

Infrastructure design:

- Design and create DEV infrastructure
- -Create virtual machines for DEV infrastructure (VPC EC2 ) with Terraform , Cloudformation and Ansible
- -Create job and pipeline in Jenkins to deploy application on AWS cloud environment
- -Setup Jboss server and Tomcat
- -Setup and fine tuning Nginx server as webserver and proxy server Creates scripts for docker and docker-compose for containerization
- Design and create STAGING infrastructure
- Design and create PRODUCTION infrastructure
- -Create scripts for terraform and ansible for create infrastructure on AWS
- -Test scripts against AWS
- -Setup an ELK server on cloud AWS and setup Prometheus and Grafana for monitoring infrastructure

Infrastructure TESTING

#### NextLogic Media London United Kingdom

#### Lead DevOps Engineer

05/2012 - 12/2015

- Implement DevOps tools and life cycle on responsible services
- Develop and maintain a DevOps roadmap that defines and communicates the strategic direction for DevOp in support of business strategies
- Ensure the DevOps teams are adequately managing of high and critical priority incidents in production
- Improve DevOps environment / team with technical initiatives
- Leads the design, build, and operational management of highly secure and scalable sites/software for the business and works tirelessly to guarantee the reduction or removal of bottlenecks and inefficiencies in the DevOps department and engineering department as a whole
- Collaborate with application development and infrastructure teams in order to help bridge the functional gap and determine the DevOps feature/function set in order to optimize the technical environment
- Develop and execute against the continuous build and deploy toolset roadmap
- Maintain and administer the tools and environments supporting continuous build and automated deployment processes

## Work experience

Several companies Sysadmin and Senior Sysadmin Linux ,Unix systems

09/1996 - 05/2012

Bucuresti

Linux server administration

**Romania** Network installation and configuration .

VMware installation and administration.

Bash and Python scripting for automating day by day tasks.

Supporting tasks to code deployment, managing source control system.

Develop and overseeing the backup, replication, clustering and fail over strategies.

## Education

ASE Bucharest Bucharest

Romania

**Cybernetics** 

09/1990 - 06/1996



Technology		Languages	
Unix	****	Romanian	Native
Cloud - AWS	****	English	Professional
GIT	****		
Jenkins	****		
Terraform	****		
Ansible	***		
Packer	****		
Cloud GCP	***		
Linux	****		
Javascript	★★★☆☆		
Python	★★★☆☆		
Bash	****		
Networking	★★★☆☆		
Docker	****		
Kubernetes	****		



Teamwork Responsibility Adaptable Creative Optimist Dedicated Analytical

Detail oriented Tactful





Processing Consistency



Attention Duration



**Processing Speed** 



## **Hobbies**



Traveling



Getting lost in a good book



Capturing moments



Feeling the music



Sports in general



Socializing