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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Data EngineerJun 2015 — Aug 2019Republic WirelessRaleigh, NC

Owner of internal data warehouse and associated ETL processes used by all departements to derive business insights. Report to Sr. Director of Software Development

Responsibilties

- Own, manage, and develop internal corporate AWS Redshift data warehouse structure, views, and associated Python ETL processes. Warehouse contains 50+ billion rows across 700 tables, processing 10k queries per day.
- Develop software and processes for internal data movement, manifesting as prototyped applications, ingress data pipelines, and egress data distribution.
- Implement data integrity processes through outlier detection for advanced warnings of ETL or data source corruption.
- Answer complex business questions by translating requirements into programmatic logic, through the development of tools, using Python and SQL.
- Manage AWS resource instantiation, configuration, security, and deployment.
- Administer internal data visualization platform, Periscope Data, and fulfill reporting requests.
- Mentor topics and best practices in data modeling, ETL, SQL querying, and Python development across the organization.

Key Projects

- (In Progress) Member Usage Metric Data Store Replacement develop real-time member usage data ingestion, storage, retention, and access abstraction (API) to replace a legacy system and reduce its operational cost.
- Data Warehouse Consolidation and Transfer of Ownership seamlessly consolidated and simplified Operations' data warehouses and ETL libraries into Engineering-managed and monitored ecosystem for improved accuracy, efficiency, and stability.
- Data Warehouse Ingestion Evolution implemented structural consistency and dependency management through unification of custom ETL processes into Python, using Spotify's Luigi pipeline framework led to role as Luigi Contributor and Maintainer.
- Prototype and Beta Test of SMS Chatbot Support Service developed and evaluated SMS-based support chatbot to improve quality and speed of two-way support communications.

PERSONAL EXPERIENCE

Extracurricular technical development indirectly related to employment responsibilities and skills.

Highlights

- Personal Operations Infrastructure Deployment and Management utilized Terraform/Terragrunt and Kubernetes to deploy OpenProject project management software in popular clouds, AWS and GCP.
- Stateless Build Cluster Proof-of-Concept experimented with Jenkins' Configuration as Code (JCasC) plugin to deploy a purely stateless Jenkins build cluster using Kubernetes.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Gardner-Webb University, Boiling Springs, NC

2011 - 2015

SKILLS

LanguagesPython, SQL (Redshift, Postgres), Shell, Java, PHPPlatforms & ServiesGitHub, Jenkins, Jira, OpenProject, MacOS, Linux

Tools Spotify/Luigi.git, Git, AWS, Ansible, Flask, GCP, Periscope Data, Kubernetes, Terraform

INTERESTS (NON-TECHNICAL)

Disc Golf, Pickleball, Weight Training, Rubik's Cube, Sudoku, Carpentry