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Seeking AWS Engineer , DevOps or Systems Administration contracts throughout the UK

Technical Skills

OSes:	Debian & Ubuntu Linux, Windows (10 & Server 2012 R2 & Server 2016)
Virtualisation:	Hyper-V, VMWare
Network Services:	Ansible, DNS & Email (Sendmail, Exim4, DKIM, Dovecot IMAP), MySQL, Apache, NGINX, SSH, Samba, monitoring and reporting tools (PRTG), version control (Git,Atlassian BitBucket). Exposure to Jenkins, Docker & Vagrant
Documentation:	LaTeX, Atlassian Confluence
Automation:	AWS CloudFormation & Terraform

Currently studying for AWS Solutions Architect certification

Employment

Cobalt Telephone Technologies   **December 2014 - August 2019**
Systems Administrator   *Basingstoke, RG24*

Cobalt provides cashless parking services to the majority of UK local authorities with the RingGo, ParkNow and ParkMobile brands.

- Point of contact for ongoing PCI DSS projects
- Supported Apache/NGINX web infrastructure, debugging PHP/C web application
- Initiated and maintained Ansible deployment
- Supported Jenkins and AWS development builds
- Migrated on premise exchange server to Office 365 (100 users)
- Upgraded all on premise Lenovo servers to the X3650 M5
- Upgraded to Cisco ASA 5515 firewall appliances to replace previous end of life hardware
- Migrated Lenovo DS3524 SANs to the V3700 (20TB of virtual machines and data)
- Implemented Atlassian suite of programs including Jira and HipChat
- Upgraded the VMware environment to version ESXi 6.7 and implemented vCenter
- Migrated several on premise applications to AWS
- Deployed AWS environment using Terraform

Thorntons   January 2014 - November 2014
Managed Services Engineer   *Chandlers Ford, SO53*

Thorntons provided IT and telecom services to local small businesses including the National Motor Museum, Beaulieu and several GP Practices.
- Responsible for providing IT remote support for several small businesses
- I also assisted the telephony engineers with VoIP and network solutions and cabling installations

Smoothwall   October 2011 - October 2013
Linux and Application Support Engineer   *Park Gate, SO31*

Smoothwall, a leading provider of web content filtering to schools and local government organisations.
- Provided support by telephone and email on various firewall and web filtering products, to both internally and to end customers. Support extended to both the front end application and back end and hardware appliance support.
- Supported Smoothwall customers; integrating our product and services with 3rd party products, such as firewalls for VPN (Cisco, Sonicwall, Watchguard) and also authentication with Active Directory.
- Liaised with development team regarding bug reports and product improvements
- Provided remote training to new customers

Specsavers   September 2009 - September 2011
IT Service Desk Analyst   *Whiteley, PO15*

Specsavers IT provide technical support to Optical Retail Outlets.

ASC Telecom UK   October 2007 - March 2009
Support Engineer   *Camberley, GU15*

ASC Telecom supply and support voice recording equpment to public safety environments, financial organisations and local authorities.

Education

BSc (Hons) Physics 2:2   2000 -2004
The University of Southampton   *Hampshire, UK*

Courses included: Maths for Science, Optics, Quantum Mechanics, Computer Programming. Project: *"Investigate High Temperature Super Conductivity"*.

Secondary School   1992 - 1999
King Edward VI School   *Hampshire, UK*

A-Levels: Maths, Physics, Chemistry; 11 GCSEs

Other Interests

- I enjoy watching sport and try to keep fit with indoor rowing and cycling.
- I am passionate about motorsport and take an interest in aviation.
- Fully qualified Amateur Radio operator.
- UK Car and Motorcycle licence.