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SKILLS

Linux	Cloud	Configuration/Orchestration	Analytics
RHEL, Pacemaker, Docker, MySQL, nginx, Haproxy	AWS, VMware, Openstack	Ansible, Terraform, Gitlab-ci, Kubernetes	ELK, Grafana, Zabbix

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Enterprise Linux Engineer
UKFast

11/2015 – Present

- Providing consultation and support to a range of clients running on physical hardware, VMware, AWS, and hybrid solutions
- Configuring and supporting LAMP/LEMP stacks, high availability clusters (DRBD and PCS primarily), Docker, load balancers and WAFs.
- Utilising tools such as ELK and Grafana to investigate server issues.
- Built and maintaining a Zabbix and Proxmox environment.
- Investigating and mitigating security issues such as Denial of Service and compromises.
- Working as part of the Enterprise team who support our largest clients. Also in a 24/7 on call rotation as an escalation point for these clients.

Customer Service Engineer
Telecity Group

06/2014 – 11/2015

- Provide customer support on a 24/7 rotating shift pattern.
- Help customers check and diagnose their equipment and connectivity.
- Provide copper/fibre cabling and IT installations to customer's specifications.
- Undertake rack and suite builds to customer's specifications.
- Carry out backup tape changes.

EDUCATION

AWS Certified DevOps Engineer - Professional	09/2019
AWS Certified Solutions Architect - Associate	04/2019
Red Hat Certified System Administrator	09/2018
LPIC 304	09/2017
University of Salford - BSc Computer Science	2009-2014

INTERESTS

Volunteer with a local football team assisting with IT
Configuring and maintaining a homelab environment to further education
Photography
Cycling, squash and football