

Curriculum Vitae

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Digital Media Technology Professional

Director of Broadcast Technology for major Middle East broadcaster

Key to media technology strategy and implementation

Responsible for several successful technology upgrades including HD, OTT and cloud technology

Led consolidation of technical resources and departments from Orbit Bahrain and Showtime Dubai

Responsible for successful migration of Orbit's broadcast facilities from Rome to Bahrain

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Sep. 10 – Present: Director of Technology Support and Projects at OSN, Dubai

OSN is the leading pay TV platform in the Middle East and North Africa

- Responsible for technology strategy planning, staffing and budget.
- Six managers reported to me
 - Broadcast Engineering
 - Broadcast Projects
 - Cloud Technology
 - Satellite/RF
 - Broadcast IT
 - Broadcast Management Systems.
- Broadcast Technology Strategy and Implementation:
 - Cloud workflows and migration, disaster recovery
 - Broadcast IT infrastructure
 - Transcoding and Live Streaming for OTT
 - Archiving, Playout and Encoding/Multiplexing
 - Studios, Control Rooms, Post Production and Media Processing

May 00 – Sep. 10 Engineering Manager, Orbit Communications, Rome and Bahrain

- Consolidation of technology and functions following the merger between Orbit and Showtime (later to become OSN)
- Set-up of Bahrain facility and managed continual expansion during the migration from Rome.

Previous positions also held with Carlton Television, Orbit Communications and BBC

EDUCATION: (School of Engineering, University College Dublin, Ireland)

□ **Master of Engineering Science (M.Eng.Sc.)**

- Speciality in compression of images for multimedia applications.
- Completed several courses in Cloud technology