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# **IT Administration**

Linux
Solaris
Oracle Database
Data Communications
TCP/IP Networking
ICT Metrics
Internet Services
DNS
HTTP
ICT Security

# **ICT Design**

Gateway Environments
Network
Security
SOE
Web Applications

## **ICT Audit**

Security
Firewall Review
Networks
Log Management and
Review

# Languages

Perl Java PHP VGL C

# **IT Management**

Continuous Integration
Continuous
Deployment
Systems Monitoring
Network Monitoring

# personal history

I worked as a contracted theatrical technician as well as running a private help desk before becoming a contract programmer in February 1998. Over the next 5 years I worked with private enterprises, from small business through to the very large. Over the past 10 years I have worked in the Public Sector, enhancing and managing the Information Technology available to the Australian Government.

# **Staff Management**

Throughout my career I have been required to manage staff, a role I am comfortable in filling. Whilst at the Department of the Environment I was initially responsible for managing a small development team, and now manage a section of 16 IT professionals with a variety of skills. I enjoy the interaction that comes with a management role and look forward to continuing this aspect of my career. I particularly enjoy mentoring staff, it provides a significant personal satisfaction when I see staff excel.

## **Internet Technologies**

I have been involved in the Internet since 1991. I played a key role in the set up and operation of a small Internet Service Provider (ISP) CAPCOM. I currently administer a number of Internet sites in both Australia and overseas. I am involved with the Linux operating system, an Open Source system challenging the development practices of many traditional software developers. I have run Linux both privately and commercially since 1992. Over the past seven years I have been responsible for the management of secured internet gateway environments delivering secure, reliable and monitorable internet access to thousands of employees. These secured gateways host public facing web sites and applications listed as the most accessed Australian sites in their class.

#### **ICT Security**

With the management of both internal and public facing systems comes a necessity to proactively manage a security posture. I have been actively involved in the security of IT systems for a number of organisations, including Government departments with International connections. In addition to the operational management of IT environments, I have prepared and interpreted policy documents, provided operational advice as well as participated in investigations. I regularly provide advice on how the changing policy environment will flow through to affect operational architecture and work practices.

## **Oracle & Databases**

I have spent the last 15 years developing my Oracle and SQL skills. I have been responsible for the installation and configuration of new Oracle databases as well as ongoing adaptation to my clients requirements. I have become proficient in managing changes to database environments, while controlling the impact on planned objectives. While at the Australian Water

Quality Center (AWQC) I was responsible for the planning and implementation of hardware environments to support a growing Data Warehouse providing the AWQC access to water testing results dating back to the early 1930's. More recently I have led projects to upgrade to more recent releases of Oracle including re-engineering systems to take advantage of the new features available. I lead a project at the Department of the environment to implement a virtualised environment for it's midrange and database systems a number of years before such implementations became a standard. This ground-breaking work led not only to significant financial savings but significant environmental efficiencies.

## **Web Development**

I have worked with a number of leading edge businesses in order to bring their products to the global Internet market. I have worked as a team leader to design, program and implement business critical software including e-commerce, financial and inventory management. A number of my clients have been purely online, requiring the utmost in software reliability. I have provided training in Internet technologies, both one-on-one, as well as in larger groups. Recently I have been assisting government clients with the development and deployment of Java based applications.

## **Budget Management**

Over the past five years I have been personally responsible for multi-million dollar budgets. I have been responsible for the management and delivery of large capital projects leading to significant improvements in the IT environment. While managing these budgets I frequently have to manage changing circumstances and demonstrate the diligence required with the expenditure of public money.

#### **Personal Development**

I constantly strive to increase my knowledge, both through formal training and private study. I enjoy expanding my knowledge into new areas and am never satisfied in using a product or system without fully understanding the underlying technologies. I continue to expand my knowledge in the management and administration of information management technologies.

# employment

#### 2013-Present Australian Government, Department of the Environment

Canberra, Australia

Director Platform Services Section

#### Duties:

- Lead and manage a diverse team of ICT professionals
- Financial management of multi-million dollar section budget including large multi-year ICT projects
- Project management of both internal and externally delivered systems
- Provide advice, participate and manage ICT procurement activities including large tender processes including in the whole of government arena
- Assist in new strategic initiatives both directly and via participation in steering committees and working groups
- Manage external providers and consultants
- Implement and manage mixed Linux and Windows servers
- Participate in key audit processes including implementation of recommendations
- Deliver key infrastructure projects:
  - Migration to new Secured Intranet Gateway
  - Design and implementation of new metropolitian area network de-
  - Implementation of the puppet configuration management system
  - Oracle Database and infrastructure upgrades

#### 2008-2013 Australian Government, Department of Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities

Canberra, Australia

Director Environmental and Business Information Systems Section Duties:

- Lead and manage a diverse team of ICT professionals
- Financial management of multi-million dollar section budget including large multi-year ICT projects
- Project management of both internal and externally delivered systems
- Assist in new strategic initiatives both directly and via participation in steering committees
- Manage external providers and consultants
- Implement and manage mixed Linux and Windows servers
- Creation and implementation of resource management strategies (chargeback cost recovery)
- Provide support for web based applications to both internal and external clients
- Train and assist clients to effectively utilise information systems
- Participate in a number of key initiatives including a tender process to source a new Departmental outsourcing provider
- Participate in Whole of Government procurement and policy processes
- Deliver key infrastructure projects:
  - Oracle Database and infrastructure upgrades
  - Network security review, re-mediation and implementation

## 2004-2008 Australian Government, Department of Environment and Heritage Canberra, Australia

Database and Internet Officer

Duties:

- Develop, implement and manage Internet applications
- Implement and manage mixed Unix (Solaris) and Windows servers
- Provide support for web based applications to both internal and external clients
- Manage relationships with external providers and consultants
- Manage APS level staff
- Train and assist clients to effectively utilise information systems

#### 2002-2004 **Cape3**

Canberra, Australia

Senior Analyst - Web Programmer

Duties:

- Design of back-end databases, including integration with legacy systems
- Implementation of application designs in:
  - ColdFusion
  - Perl
  - HTML
  - PHP
- Assisting graphics designers to realise their vision
- Design and specification of systems and network upgrades
- Preparation of tender responses

## 1998-2002 Australian Water Quality Centre

Boliver, South Australia

Analyst / Programmer

Duties:

- Power Builder development
- Development of database reporting software
- Migration and cleansing of data from legacy systems
- Interfacing financial and laboratory systems
- Design and implementation of work scheduling systems
- Providing support for the Sample Manager laboritory management system
- Maintenance and improvement of Laboratory Information systems
- VGL Programming
- UNIX Administration
- Support for AIX 4.x on RS/6000 hardware
- Planning and supervision of systems upgrades
- Administration and Maintenance of Oracle 7.3, 8 & 9i systems
- Year 2000 (Y2K) systems testing and re-mediation
- Testing of complex integrated applications over multiple environments
- Liaison with external suppliers

## 1993-1997 Freelance PC / Network Technical Support

Canberra, ACT

Analyst / Programmer

Duties:

- Procurement of hardware and software
- Network installation and troubleshooting
- Hardware upgrades and maintenance
- Remote Help Desk support to clients
- Internet training

# **awards**

2009	Secretary's Award  Awarded for sustained corcomes	Department of the Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts ntribution towards realising the Department's out-
2007	<b>Division Head's Award</b> Awarded for excellent mana infrastructure and web infor	Corporate Strategies Division, Department of the Environment agement of the Department's mid-range database, mation systems
2007	<b>Division Head's Award</b> Awarded for excellent support	Corporate Strategies Division, Department of the Environment ort to the Department's web information systems

# **communication skills**

2013 **Oral Presentation** Splunk live Presented the Department's implementation of Splunk as a security and log

management system.

# education

2012	Splunk, search administration, installation	
2011	Project Management Best Practice	Dept. of Environment and Heritage
2004-present	Oracle Database Administration and feature updat	es Oracle Corporation
1999	<b>Oracle</b> Database Administration	Oracle Corporation, Canberra
1999	Sample Manager Administration	LabSystems Australia, Adelaide
1998	Sample Manager Advanced VGL Programming	LabSystems Australia, Sydney
1997	<b>Diploma</b> Diploma of Business Programming C, COBOL, Visual Basic, SQL, business applicat network operating systems	CPTI, Canberra ions, operating systems and
1993	Year 12 Certificate	St Edmunds College, Canberra

# interests

**professional:** ICT & physical security, solution design, systems automation, process quality improvement.

**personal:** Cycling, fish-keeping, home-automation, cooking, electronics, embedded programming, wood working.