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Profile

With more than 6 years of experience in technical support, I am a highly dedicated IT professional currently seeking an exciting and diverse role where I can contribute my skills and expertise. I value customer-centricity and thrive in an environment that allows technicians to work autonomously. Throughout my career, I have consistently provided excellent customer service, leveraging my foundational knowledge in software development and systems administration to get things done.

Skills

| Customer Service Professional | Technical Support Professional | Communication Skills Professional |
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| Service Management Tools Professional | Windows Server Professional | Microsoft 365 Professional |
| Networking Professional | Cloud Technologies Limited | Microsoft/ITIL Certifications Limited |

Recent Experience

ICT Support Officer Calvary Health Care

₩ 09/2022 - present ♥ MELBOURNE, VIC

- Provided L1 and L2 technical support to a large organisation of 18,000 healthcare professionals.
- Supported Windows 10 devices, Citrix Virtual Desktop and Apps, Microsoft 365 (Azure AD/Entra ID, Exchange), and SCCM for endpoint management and software deployment.
- Developed a user-friendly GUI application for my teammates on the help desk enabling swift retrieval of user information from Active Directory.
- Improved help desk efficiency by designing a one-click tools and scripts to streamline system administration tasks.
- Automated multiple stages of the user onboarding process using Power Automate Desktop and PowerShell, significantly reducing manual workload.

L2 Desktop Support Defence Science and Technology Group

🛱 08/2021 - 06/2022 ♀ MELBOURNE, VIC

- Provided L2 desktop, network, and system administration support within a secure scientific computing environment.
- Supported Citrix Virtual Desktop, SCCM and WDS for imaging, and Linux (CentOS/RHEL)
- Supported a variety of specialised hardware and software, ranging from million-dollar microscopes to complex Python development environments.
- Improved integrity of the asset handling process by implementing changes that reduced the risk of lost or stolen equipment.

Recent Experience

L2 Help Desk Support, Project Support 5G Networks

₩ 05/2020 - 08/2021 • MELBOURNE, VIC

- Provided L2 help desk support to customers, promptly addressing critical server and network outages within 15 minutes.
- Played a key role in the implementation of a comprehensive Microsoft Teams-based telephony solution.
- Utilised ConnectNow for service management, ITGlue for knowledge management, Auvik for network monitoring, DattoRMM for RMM, VMware/Hyper-V for VM management and Veeam for backups.
- Contributed to a library of technical documentation for our product on GitHub.
- Developed and delivered a complete training seminar on our product.

L2 Help Desk Support, Account Manager Technicalities Group Consulting

₩ 04/2019 - 05/2020 ♥ MELBOURNE, VIC

- Provided L2 help desk support for various ICT solutions, including hosting services, backups, network security, and more.
- Cultivated relationships with our clients, gaining an understanding of their needs and requirements.
- Managed Fortinet firewalls, routers, and utilised ConnectWise for service management, SolarWinds RMM for remote desktop management, and network monitoring.
- Conducted two informative training seminars, promoting our products and educating customers on cybersecurity practices.

Projects

Home Lab

- Orchestated a virtualisation environment with Proxmox, hosting VMs running containerised services with Docker.
- Developed an automated VM creation Bash script with pre-configured OS via cloud-init.
- Employed Ansible for automated server configuration and maintenance workflows.

Personal Site

- Developed a CI/CD pipeline with GitHub Actions to automate my personal web page deployment.
- Deployed demo projects in separate containers, with routing to individual projects managed by nginx.

Education

Computer Science Post Grad | Programming and Development Swinburne University

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• Attained expertise in industry-standard technologies and programming languages, such as HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Python, and SQL.

MS-900: Microsoft 365 Fundamentals Microsoft Certifications