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Top Skills

Network Administration
System Administration
Network Design

Languages

English (Native or Bilingual)
Svenska (Elementary)

Jason Flaherty

UP Core Developer at Ericsson
Gamlestaden, Västra Götaland County, Sweden

Summary

Enterprise network and systems engineer specialising in securely interconnecting remote locations in challenging environments. Strong experience with Cisco routers, catalyst switches and ASA firewalls.

Experience

Ericsson
7 years 2 months

Developer
October 2021 - Present (4 years 1 month)
Gothenburg, Vastra Gotaland County, Sweden

Test Environment Architect
September 2018 - October 2021 (3 years 2 months)
Gothenburg, Sweden

Working with other architects within R&D to define and implement strategies for testing Packet Core products. Deploying and maintaining high performance test environments for function and load testing.
• Virtualisation with OpenStack and KVM.
• Development of automation tools using Ansible and Python for network configuration.
• Implementing improvements in the infrastructure layer to provide a robust test environment.

Alten Sweden
Consultant
July 2017 - September 2018 (1 year 3 months)
Göteborg

ICT Engineer at Ericsson

Deploying and maintaining high performance test environments for function and load testing development of core mobile network products.
• Virtualisation with OpenStack and KVM.

• Development of automation tools using Ansible and Python for network configuration.
• Implementing improvements in the infrastructure layer to provide a robust test environment.

Oceanic Communications Ltd
Systems and Network Engineer
January 2009 - June 2017 (8 years 6 months)
New Zealand and South Pacific Islands.

Provide the wider Oceanic Group with senior end-to-end technical support and engineering for all IT infrastructures. This includes installation, monitoring and direct support of all server and network systems. Directly responsible for backups, security and overall system integrity.

• Managed a highly distributed network of branch offices in challenging environments.
• Developed a comprehensive monitoring platform enabling the IT team to respond proactively to failures and speed resolution.
• Deployed and managed secure inter site communications with IPsec and DMVPN and acted as subject matter expert when connecting to 3rd parties.
• Developed best practice network and server security policies for the organisation.
• Provided training to junior administrators on Cisco, Windows, Linux and IBM technologies
• Maintained a high level of customer focus and delivered timely and supportive advice to internal and external customers.
• Provided detailed engineering advice, diagrams and documentation for roll-outs of new and upgraded networks.
• Acted as IT manager and managed existing and new projects during IT Managers extended leave.
• Provided third-level support to users from a diverse range of backgrounds.

eWizard Consulting
CEO
August 2006 - August 2008 (2 years 1 month)

Developed custom CMS based websites for small businesses.

Liasing with clients to extract requirements, formalising requirements into proposals and developing the websites for the end user. My duties included:
• Web development in HTML, SHTML, php, javascript, MySQL.

• Use of open source tools to create database driven websites.

• Admin duties including accounting.

• Marketing, email, banner, internet..

• Liasing with customers, extracting requirements, user account management

BizWize Solutions Ltd
CEO
June 2004 - May 2008 (4 years)

Takapuna Grammar School
Network Administrator
May 2005 - August 2007 (2 years 4 months)

Worked in a small team of IT professionals. Mix of Network administration duties and desktop support for the administration staff including:

• troubleshooting user issues from resetting passwords to dealing with profile syncronisation issues, opening problem tickets

• user account management, usually through our network administration package RM Tools, but also directly through the Active Directory

• managing the backup schedule/tape rotation and recovering data with Veritas BackupExec

• installing network/local printers

• setting up terminal server access

• rebuilding faulty machines

• managing up to 11 servers: 2 file servers, ISA/Proxy server, Exchange server, Terminal server, Printer server, Web server

• Installation of software and application of patches across the network.

• responsibility for purchases made by or through the ICT department and management of current assets

• Network Upgrade project: Upgraded unmanaged switches high speed managed switches.

• Desktop/Laptop rollouts: Replaced large groups of desktop and laptop PC's as leases expired.

McDonalds
Manager
February 1998 - November 2001 (3 years 10 months)

Held a number of positions including Crew Member, Crew Trainer and Trainee Manager.

• Customer service

- Performing opening and closing duties
- Training of new and existing crew
- Cash deposit assembly
- Stock takes

Education

University of Auckland
Engineering, Software · (March 2002 - November 2005)

Glenfield College
 · (1997 - 2001)