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Certified IT Specialist with 20 years of career history. Currently on an assignment as Tech Lead; a former Microsoft PFE, T3 Escalation Engineer who has a strong background in managing projects, troubleshooting complex operational issues, and architecting infrastructure automation. Strongly motivated by intellectual challenges, always looking out for new technologies and their strategic importance. Loves to travel (30% to max. 40%), work in high pressure environments. In private, a super nerd that loves tinkering with open source software, and who's interested in far too much hobbies ranging from budo to trekking the alps, cruising freeways on a GSXR-600, or rehearsing paradiddles when his neighbours are not at home.

COMPETENCIES

Frameworks PMBOK, SCRUM, ITSM, ITIL, Microsoft MOF, CIS Controls, NEN, COBIT, GDPR

Infrastructure AWS, Azure, Active Directory, Windows Server, Linux Programming Bash, PowerShell, YAML, Markdown, LaTeX, JSON

DevOps Ansible, Podman, **Docker**, Vagrant, **Git**, Atom, Visual Studio Code

Databases Microsoft SQL Server, Amazon RDS

Middleware Amazon Lightsail, Apache Webserver, Apache Tomcat

Jira & Confluence, MS Project, Intune, Amazon WorkSpaces, Azure Virtual Desktops Other



Professional Experience

Now

Lead Project Engineer, ITIS PROJECTS B.V., Netherlands

March 2019

- > Participate in company pre-sales and project audits
- > Sub-Contractor at Huisman Equipment:

Introduce/build GitHub (Enterprise) repositories in connection with Microsoft Azure Boards Act as the site's main Technical Editor publishing step by step tutorials, infrastructural designs, later on switching to more generic content like policies and a new global IT governance framework Manage projects - for example rolling out a BeyondTrust PAM solution at 5 regions and +200 subscribed vessels

Prep & run classroom training sessions for NOC engineers and Helpdesk staff

> In the process of stepping up a cloud partnership strategy between ITIS and AWS Azure Active Directory Windows BeyondTrust Git MS Office PowerShell Markdown

Now September 2017

Co-Founder | Tech Lead | Engineering Consultant, FLOUZE EURL, France

- > Interim Technology Lead at a leading travel and tourism group: After migrating departmental resources to AWS, my team is occupied with maintaining functional services (websites, APIs, mobile apps) and automating EC2 provisioning through Ansible Tower
- > Manage the migration of a financial apps cluster at Le Crédit Lyonnais
- > Maintain a predominantly Microsoft & Apple based infrastructure at a school for at-risk children. This is a voluntary job (FACE aka Fondation Agir Contre l'Exclusion)
- > Coach & Tech Advisor for two startups (remote workspaces and financial modeling)

AWS | Active Directory | Windows | Linux | Mac OSX | Jira | Confluence | LibreOffice | Amazon LightSail | Ansible | Git Apache Webserver | Softerra Adaxes | Docker | Amazon Workspaces | Bash | PowerShell | JSON | YAML |

September 2017 March 2012

Premier Field Engineer, MICROSOFT GMBH, Germany

- > Assist MCS (Microsoft Consulting Services) by providing technical support in developing 'Tailored to Fit' solutions for Premier customers like for example Finanz Informatik, PWC, and Deutsche Bahn
- > Create/teach different types of offerings such as Workshops, Chalk & Talks
- > Deliver proactive on-site Windows Platforms DSE services in the DACH region (70%)
- > Participate in on-call shifts, CritSits, and Health Checks (transactional, Europe, 30%)
- > Mentor new hires; helping them adjust and discover more about our organization and its culture, as well as enhancing their technical expertise

Azure | (Hybrid Identity | Active Directory | Windows | VitalSigns Performance Monitoring | Microsoft HPC | PKI | Hyper-V Winternals Intune MDM/MAM MS Office DFS VDI RDS DSC MDT WinDbg Netmon PowerShell

February 2012 July 2011

Escalation Engineer, Dell Technologies Ltd, Ireland

> Managing Tier 3 escalations and subcases; addressing and resolving break-fix incidents KACE | vRanger | Foglight | Windows | VMware | MS Office | WinDbg | PowerShell | Wireshark

July 2011 February 2011

Support Escalation Engineer, HEWLETT-PACKARD LTD. FOR MICROSOFT CSS, Ireland

> PSS provides pay-per-incident support for experts and businesses. More often than not, many of these support cases with their symptoms, root causes and resolutions, will land as a white paper in the external VKB (Microsoft partners) or TechNet. I did the symptom, root cause, resolution parts

Active Directory Windows | Exchange Server | MS Office | WinDbg | Netmon | Xperf |

December 2010 February 2006

CEO, Consultant, GEURTS-IT B.V., Netherlands

Technical Lead, Sr. Engineer for Eneco Energie, Gemeente Dordrecht, DAF Trucks, SWIFT, KPN Telecom

> Working on cases as:

Architecting the layout of a regional datacenter/scripting VMware ESX acceptance tests for certification purposes

Spearheading the migration of Windows & Linux BC/OD financial clusters and services to a 3rd party datacenter

Driving the integration of a vendor's application landscape and infrastructure into the PACCAR holding Designing the blueprint for a new Microsoft Operations Manager 2005 architecture, building a solid base of Microsoft SMS 2003 Management Packs, and providing ad-hoc training to operational staff Upgrading a batch of 42 EOL OpalisRobot 4.0 automation systems to Opalis Integration Server 5.0

Lean | Autodesk BIM | Windows | Red Hat | VMware | OpalisRobot | MOM | SMS | MS Office | ESX CLI | VBScript |

LANGUAGES

+ TRAITS

Flemish/Dutch
English
German
French
Irish Gaelic

- > Passionate about everything technology
- > Curious: "why things work like they do"
- > Autonomous worker
- > Leads by example

PROJECTS

BING MY ASL 2016 - 2016

☐ https://news.microsoft.com/life/hackathon/ ☐ Mirosoft Hackathon Categories

We were (a mixed team of 5 engineers from Germany, the UK and United States) building an ASL Visual Translator for Bing & Cortana. The app could capture sign language via a camera on a smartphone or laptop, look up its meaning in Bing and translate the output to Cortana's speech engine.

UI/Web design CSS C++ Java Visual Studio Code

EDUCATION

- 1989 Candidate-NCO, Military and Strategic Leadership, Koninklijke School voor Onderofficieren, Zedelgem > Campus Saffraanberg, St. Truiden
- 1987 STV (BSD), Military Certificate Electromechanics, MOD BE Centre for Signals and Electronics, Tournai
- 1986 Bachelor of Arts, Music, Genkse Academie voor Kunst
- 1982 Associate Diploma Biotechnology with electives in the agro-food industry & environmental conservation, Biotechnicum Bocholt

Monors & Awards

2021 AWS (Amazon Web Services) Community Builder Program Member, specialty Networking Content Creation

Publications

- 2014 Kernel Debugging for PFEs Workshop, Microsoft Premier Support, Germany
- 2013 CSS Data Gathering Workshop, Microsoft Learning, USA

66 REFERENCES

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