MANISH PRADHAN

DEVOPS ENGINEER

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PROFILE

DevOps Engineer with 2+ years of experience in CI/CD automation, AWS infrastructure, and cost optimization. Implemented CI/CD pipelines with Terraform and CloudFormation, leading to a 70% reduction in deployment time. Passionate about driving operational efficiency and enhancing cloud infrastructure through automation.

WORK EXPERIENCE

DevOps Engineer

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Dec 2022 - Present

- Built and automated CI/CD pipelines with Terraform and CloudFormation, enabling faster deployments to DEV, UAT, and PROD environments, reducing manual intervention by 90%, across DEV, UAT, and PROD environments.
- **Developed and deployed REST APIs** in AWS to trigger Python-based Lambda functions, enabling scalable serverless applications that handle multiple requests per second.
- **Configured Failover Routing Policy**, improving website availability by 95% through automated traffic failover to a secondary resource during primary resource outages.
- Automated resource scheduling for DEV and UAT environments, reducing operational costs by approximately 60% using custom scripts for EC2 and RDS instances.
- **Deployed Node.js Lambda functions** using AWS Lambda with Docker containers, increasing scalability and reducing resource overhead by 40%.
- Monitored and optimized website performance with Datadog (server-side metrics) and Real User Monitoring (RUM), improving user experience and reducing page load times by 25%.
- Facilitated agile collaboration by participating in daily standups, sprint planning, and retrospectives, enhancing team productivity.
- Automated task execution using Python scripts in AWS Lambda, integrated with AWS CodePipeline, EventBridge, and S3 Events, improving task efficiency by 60%.
- **Designed and implemented AWS WAF** to protect web applications from common threats, including SQL injection and cross-site scripting (XSS), improving security compliance.
- **Migrated production RDS MySQL database** with minimal downtime, maintaining data integrity and ensuring uninterrupted business operations.
- Managed sensitive key encryption using SOPS, ensuring secure parsing of encrypted values for cloud-deployed applications.

Associate Cloud Engineer

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June 2022 - Dec 2022

- Enhanced WordPress website performance by integrating W3 Total Cache plugin with AWS services, achieving a 30% improvement in speed and reliability.
- **Optimized cloud resource allocation** by producing budget estimates with the AWS calculator, enabling cost-effective decision-making.
- **Automated server tasks** with Bash scripts on Apache servers, streamlining operations and reducing manual workload by 40%.
- Implemented AWS IAM policies and roles to establish a secure, compliant environment, minimizing security risks and adhering to organizational standards.
- **Deployed a Django web application on an AWS EC2** instance with MySQL RDS as the databse, improving scalability and reliability.

Intern Cloud Engineer

March 2022 - June 2022

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 Played a key role as an intern in Cloud Engineer by gaining hands-on experience in various AWS services such as EC2, S3, Code Pipeline, CloudWatch, EventBridge, CloudFront, Route53, Lambda, DynamoDB and other services.

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Information Technology 2017 - 2022 SAMBRIDDHI COLLEGE (AFFILIATED TO TRIBHUVAN UNIVERSITY)

High School: Computer Science

AMBITION ACADEMY

2015 - 2017

SKILL

K CI/CD Technologies: CodeBuild, CodeDeploy, CodePipeline, GitLab CI/CD, GitHub Actions

Derating Systems: Linux (primary), Windows

Scripting Languages: Bash, Python
Agile Methodologies: Kanban, Scrum
Version Control: Git, GitHub Actions

Databases: MySQL (AWS RDS), MongoDB

Cloud Platforms: AWS (EC2, S3, RDS, Lambda, API Gateway, WAF, Route 53, CloudWatch)

Infrastructure as Code: Terraform, AWS CloudFormation

Nonitoring & Observability: Datadog (RUM), AWS CloudWatch

Key Management: SOPS (encryption/decryption)