# KOSTAS NIKOU

IT Technician / Junior Systems Engineer

## **DETAILS**

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# LINKS

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# **SKILLS**

Linux System Administration

Bash Scripting

Microsoft Azure Administration

Python, Python Django

HTML5, CSS3, JAVASCRIPT

**Technical Support** 

Ability to Work Under Pressure

Ability to Work in a Team

Communication Skills

### **PROFILE**

As an enthusiastic researcher and hands on learner during the last years, I have gained valuable experiences through studies and professional encounters. With an immense drive for success I am determined to build a great track record that will benefit any collaboration career path and organization.

# **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

#### IT Technician, Noteris Services Ltd

Limassol

Aug 2023 — Present

- Serve as the first contact with company users who need technical assistance via the phone, email or ticketing system.
- Troubleshoot, diagnose, and resolve technical hardware and/or software issues
- · Provide quick resolution and excellent customer service
- · Redirect unresolved issues to the next level of support personnel
- · On boarding and off boarding of users
- Microsoft 365 & Exchange Online Administration (User Creation, Mailbox conversion, Email Delegation)

## NOC Analyst, Equiti

Limassol

Nov 2022 — Mar 2023

- Incident handling, escalation, reporting, tracking issues, troubleshooting problems
- · Network support for internal security investigation
- · Equiti Global Network Monitoring
- · Cloud infrastructure deployment AWS, Azure, Microsoft Office 365.

#### IT Support Engineer, Primetel

Limassol

Sep 2021 — Sep 2022

Responsible for the installation, operation and maintenance of computer systems by providing key system and network administration. Troubleshooting and diagnosing of hardware and software issues over a remote connection or either in person

# **LANGUAGES**

Greek

English

# **HOBBIES**

Listening and Writing Rap Music, Reading Personal Development Books, Web Development

# **EDUCATION**

# BSc Hons Computing, Edinburgh Napier University

Edinburgh

2016 - 2020

Modules: (Cisco CCNA Routing and Switching, Linux Network services (Centos - Red Hat), Vyatta Firewall. Bash scripting, IT Service Management ITIL, Information Systems Project Management (PRINCE2), PHP, JQuery, MySQL, Python, Advanced Web Technologies with Python Flask

# Information Technology Diploma, Cyprus College

2013 — 2015

Modules: Windows Server Administration, Hardware and software troubleshooting

CCNA Discovery networking for home and small businesses. Introduction to Cybersecurity,

# **COURSES**

AZ-104 Microsoft Azure Administrator with SImulations, Udemy

May 2025 — May 2025

AZ-900 Microsoft Azure Fundamentals, Microsoft

Apr 2025 — Apr 2025

Advanced Bash Scripting, Kodekloud

Dec 2024 — Dec 2024

Programming in Python, Meta, Coursera

Aug 2024 — Aug 2024

Linux Red Hat Certified System Administrator (RHCSA) RHEL 9, Red Hat

Apr 2024

### **PROJECTS**

# Personal Wordpress Website (www.costasnicou.com)

Jul 2024 — Present

- Designed and developed a fully responsive personal website and blog to showcase my professional portfolio and share blog articles.
- Built custom front-end interface using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript for optimized performance and user experience.
- Integrated with a WordPress backend to manage dynamic content, including custom post types, blog categories, and page templates.
- Implemented SEO best practices, Google Analytics tracking, and social sharing features to increase online visibility.
- Maintained and updated website regularly, adding new content and improving design based on user feedback and evolving web standards.
- Managed plugin integration and site maintenance, including backups and updates

#### Raspberry Pi LAMP Server Configuration

- · Installation of Linux Ubuntu Server edition on Raspberry PI
- Configured a Linux, Apache, MySQL, and PHP (LAMP) server, setting up a reliable web hosting environment.
- Router Port forwarding of port 80,443
- Development of an automated bash script that installs LAMP server and deploys a wordpress website based on user's input
- Managed security configurations, including SSH access and firewalls, to ensure the safety and integrity of the hosted website.