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IT LEADER & CISSP Certified Cybersecurity Professional

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Summary:

Experienced IT professional with 15+ years in tech operations, support and cloud infrastructure, skilled in team leadership and strategic IT projects. Holds CISSP and AWS certifications. Aiming to drive innovation and efficiency in a senior role.

Skills:

- IT/Ops Management, IT Leadership & Team Building
- Cloud Infrastructure, and Cloud Security
- Identity Access Management, Budget, and Vendor Management
- Asset Management, SaaS Integration, Cross-Functional Tech Solutions
- Strategic Forward Thinker and Innovative Problem Solver

Experience:

Pendulum Therapeutics, San Francisco, CA

Director of IT | Senior Manager of IT | August 2019 – September 2023

- Established IT Support & Security Functions: Launched foundational IT and security operations, establishing essential roles and functions that significantly streamlined IT workflows and enhanced security protocols across the organization.
- Developed Technology Policies: Devised and enforced standardized technology policies, significantly enhancing data security and ensuring alignment with industry compliance standards.
- Optimized IT Budget Management: Strategically optimized IT budget management, achieving over 20% cost savings through meticulous software inventory audits and vendor negotiations.
- Project Management: Drove the integration of essential systems such as Google Workspace, Okta, and Meraki, enhancing operational efficiency by 30% and ensuring scalable system architecture.
- Hands-On Network Deployment: Led the hands-on deployment of the Meraki full stack, achieving enhanced network security and seamless cross-site connectivity compliant with Radius 802.1x standards.
- Secure SDLC: Orchestrated the secure segregation of Prod/Dev environments and fortified Github repositories, facilitating a 25% faster CI/CD pipeline with improved security measures.

KIXEYE, San Francisco, CA

Lead IT Systems Engineer | Senior IT Systems Specialist | DevOps Engineer | September 2013 - July 2019

As the Lead IT Systems Engineer at KIXEYE, a rapidly expanding global startup, I led the charge in overseeing our network and security infrastructure, both onsite and in the cloud.

Tasked with ensuring uninterrupted IT operations, I crafted vital technical documentation and guided a dedicated team towards maintaining excellence in IT service delivery across all our international offices.

- **Directed IT and Security Operations as Technical Lead**: Managed network and systems infrastructure across global offices.
- **Developed and Enforced Security Best Practices and Policies**: Significantly improved organizational compliance with industry standards and reduced vulnerabilities.
- Engineered and Deployed an Integrated Active Directory: Streamlined user access management and enhanced system security.
- Oversaw Management of On-Site Network Stack and Server Racks: Optimized infrastructure, leading to a 20% increase in system efficiency and reliability.

Prior Roles

Gensler, San Francisco, CA

IT Systems Specialist, May 2011 - September 2013

Wells Fargo, San Francisco, CA

PC/LAN Support Analyst Tier 3, May 2009 - May 2011

Century Bank (Acquired by Wells Fargo), Dallas, TX

Systems Analyst, Dec 2004 – May 2009

Certifications:

- CISSP (Certified Information Systems Security Professional)
- AWS Cloud Practitioner

Education:

• AAS, Computer Networking Systems Technology, ITT Technical Institute, 2002

Core Technical Proficiencies:

- Cloud & Infrastructure: AWS (S3, IAM, EC2, VPC), AzureAD, Microsoft 365, VMware vSphere, Google Workspace, Google Cloud, Azure Cloud
- Identity & Access Management: Okta SSO, MFA, SAML, OAuth, OIDC, RBAC/ABAC
- Networking & Security: Cisco Networking (IOS, ASA, Meraki), VLANs, SD-WAN, DNS/DHCP, DKIM/SPF/DMARC, CI/CD Security Practices
- Server Management & Virtualization: Microsoft Server, Active Directory, VMware ESXi, Linux
- **Software & Collaboration Tools**: Atlassian Jira (Cloud, Service Management, Asset Management), HRIS (Zenefits, BambooHR, ADP)