

Education

<i>Bachelor of Science, Computer Science</i> California State Polytechnic University, Pomona 3.00 Cumulative GPA	2012 - N/A
<i>Associate in Arts, Liberal Arts Emphasis in Mathematics and Sciences</i> Mira Costa College	2010 - 2012

Languages

Russian, native speaker
English, fluent
Spanish, basic

Experience

<i>Associate Manager, Infrastructure Modernization at SADA Systems, Inc.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Continued working with clients while leading a team of three Engineers• Led bi-weekly one-on-ones alternated by Team Meetings• Mentored Engineers and helped with personal growth and career pathing• Developed an initiative and motivation around internal work during client lulls• Worked closely with Resource Management and the Sales pipeline to optimally assign resources to clients	2021 - present
<i>Sr. Cloud Engineer at SADA Systems, Inc.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mentored Engineers through one-on-ones, pair programming and general support• Consulted and assisted clients in migrations between AWS, GCP, Kubernetes, EKS, GKS, Cloud SQL, hosted PostgreSQL, MySQL, MSSQL and related systems• Configured and managed CI/CD services, including Spinnaker and Jenkins X• Embedded with clients to containerize and migrate applications to Kubernetes• Worked according to clients' timelines, uptime and technical constraints• Specific client work including, but not limited to:<ul style="list-style-type: none">– Anonymized Client 1<ul style="list-style-type: none">* Led team to help migrate VM and Kubernetes workloads from AWS to GCP* Migrated Redis instances as well as PostgreSQL databases* Reworked Ansible Kubernetes deployments to Helm Charts with full CI* Configured all infrastructure and network configuration in Terraform– Anonymized Client 2<ul style="list-style-type: none">* Worked with a team of developers to generate CI for routine tasks* Generated Terraform code for all required infrastructure* Generated various load-testing infrastructure in code* Helped with incident response where necessary– Anonymized Client 3<ul style="list-style-type: none">* Assisted in cleaning up GCP access for former employees* Generated documentation for removing access– Anonymized Client 4<ul style="list-style-type: none">* Assisted in cleaning up Chef codebase, drastically reducing its size* Containerized an application ecosystem* Generated a deployment pipeline targeting EKS via Helm Charts– Anonymized Client 5<ul style="list-style-type: none">* Generated Ansible and Terraform code for Windows instances* Successfully described the new environment in GCP entirely in code– Anonymized Client 6	2018 - 2021

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Analyzed GCP environments for vulnerabilities * Generated documentation and audit rules for mitigating vulnerabilities 	
– Anonymized Client 7	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Assisted in regenerating SSL certificate automation on production Kubernetes workloads 	
<i>Sr. Site Reliability Engineer at Grindr, LLC</i>	2017 - 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Managed AWS (EC2, IAM, RDS, Redshift, Route53, S3, etc.) with Terraform • Structured and built RPM and DEB packages with fpm-cookery and Revolution • Transitioned infrastructure from legacy Ubuntu to CentOS • Configured CI/CD using Jenkins pipelines for several projects • Automated tasks with Ansible • Worked with other teams to operationalize development efforts • Participated in and submitted bugfixes to relevant OSS projects 	
<i>Platform Engineer at NordstromRack.com/Hautelook</i>	2016 - 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Built, structured and maintained AWS cloud infrastructure with Terraform • Implemented CI/CD for AWS AMI builds using Jenkins Pipelines and Packer • Co-wrote an Nginx routing tool using TDD and a containerized testing harness • Managed configurations with Ansible, Puppet and Chef at the Data Center and AWS • Automated tasks with Ansible • Transferred infrastructure configuration management from Puppet to Chef • Presented and participated in the weekly CISSP exam study group • Participated in relevant OSS projects 	
<i>Systems Administrator at Dreamhost</i>	2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Automated routine tasks with Perl and Bash using internal libraries • Monitored and fixed issues on systems • Deployed new machines using Chef and Nephology • Built, compiled and deployed packages across several hosting infrastructures • Made operational changes to production servers 	
<i>Network Analyst at Cal Poly Pomona</i>	2014 - 2016
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continued leading the campus-wide VoIP phone system migration • Automated daily tasks for Avaya PBX • Installed and managed Cisco infrastructure, including analog voice gateways • Migrated Avaya analog lines to Cisco SCCP, MGCP and H.323 ports 	
<i>Co-lead the campus-wide VoIP phone system migration at Cal Poly Pomona</i>	2014
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Set up a system for automating Cisco Unified Call Manager population • Automated information gathering from Avaya PBX 	
<i>Instruction & Information Technology at Cal Poly Pomona</i>	2013 - 2014
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Troubleshoot and repaired laptops, desktops and printers • Organized, documented and inventoried computers and other hardware 	
<i>Collegiate Cyber Defense Competition at Cal Poly Pomona - Linux team</i>	2012 - 2014
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Secured, maintained and defended simulated networks and servers from intrusions • Worked on the Linux team and collaborated with other teams: Windows, Network Infrastructure and Business • Performed system audits and composed reports and presentations for the simulated company and its representatives • Practiced building and securing services and servers with the team (15hrs/week) • Wrote documentation for to be used by team members during the competition 	
<i>Data Recovery Technician, Internship at Drive Medics Data Recovery</i>	2010 - 2012

- Assisted clients in the data recovery process, performed data recovery and forensic services
- Used proprietary hardware and software in the data recovery processes
- Maintained servers and the local network, set up websites and blogs
- Developed and maintained a hard drive inventory program with barcode and photo integration

USS Midway Aircraft Carrier Museum - Flight Simulator 2009

- Repaired and set up flight simulators, computers and network infrastructure

Internship at Scripps Institution of Oceanography IT Department 2008 - 2009

- Assisted in managing servers; repaired and troubleshot staff desktops, laptops and printers

Slava's Consulting 2006 - 2008

- Repaired desktops, laptops, built computers, set up websites and servers

Relevant Coursework

Operating Systems

Telecommunication Networks

Web Development

Database Systems

Advanced Java

C++

Data Structures & Algorithms

Extracurricular Activities

General Amateur Radio license holder since 2016

Technician Amateur Radio license holder 2014 - 2016

Annual attendee of *Southern California Linux Expo* and *DEFCON* 2011 - 2017

Presenter and participant of the CISSP Study Group at *NordstromRack.com/Hautelook* 2017

President of *Interactive Web Development club* at *Cal Poly* 2014

Treasurer of *Interactive Web Development club* at *Cal Poly* 2013 - 2014

Treasurer of *Students with Interest In Future Technologies* at *Cal Poly* 2013 - 2014

Canyon Crest Academy team at *SAIC/UCSD Cyber Defense* Computer Security Contests

- Second place team 2008

- First place team 2007