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Aspiring IT Support Specialist with a strong commitment to excellence. Seeking a challenging position at a forward-thinking company where I can leverage my technical expertise and innovative mindset to safeguard organizational systems against security threats. Passionate about educating others in technology, I aim to bridge the gap between complex IT concepts and practical solutions. Proficient in AWS, Nessus Scans, and software installations.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Accenture Federal Services
INFRA TRANSFORMATION SENIOR ANALYST | DATABASE ADMIN SENIOR ANALYST SYSTEM ADMINISTARTOR   *2023 - Present*
Suitland, MD

Deploys, debugs, and executes initiatives related to cloud computing. They design, develop, and maintain cloud-based systems, ensuring efficient data storage and adherence to security policies. They also interact with clients, provide cloud support, and make recommendations based on client needs.

- Configuring cloud infrastructure components like networking and security services
- Weekly Updates on Windows & Linux Instances in AWS.
- Creating the applications and databases that perform on the cloud
- Monitoring cloud management and data storage services
- Negotiating with vendors on issues such as cost control, scalability, etc.
- Designing and implementing secure network solutions that meet business requirements.
- Creating and configuring virtualized systems in the AWS environment.
- Performing infrastructure upgrades and updates to maximize system efficiency while minimizing downtime.
- Deploying applications in AWS using EC2 instances and Elastic Beanstalk.
- Creating blueprints using CloudFormation templates for common workloads.
- Maintaining, testing and implementing disaster recovery procedures.
- Implementing automation using scripting languages (e.g., Python, Perl) to manage AWS services.
- Building tools for deployment, monitoring, and troubleshooting of system resources in an AWS environment.
- Developing software components in Java/Python .NET that interact with AWS cloud services by leveraging the AWS APIs.

Tunuva Technologies, Inc. | Parsons Corporation | National Reconnaissance Office | Aerospace Data Facility- East
PROGRAM INFORMATION SYSTEM SECURITY OFFICER LEVEL III   *2022 - 2023*
Fort Belvoir, VA

ISSO who is a self-starter and has risk management framework (RMF) experience to be a key contributor to our team. Provide support for a program, organization, system, or enclave's information assurance program.

- Provide support for media creation, media registration, virus scans, and maintaining database management.
- Weekly Patches, CVE Updates, and SPLUNK Uploads.
- Assist with the management of security aspects of the information system and performs day-to-day security operations of the system.
- Evaluate security solutions to ensure they meet security requirements for processing classified information.
- Property Turn In/out and sanitizing disposal input & transfer.
- SCAP Scans, Virus Scans, and McAfee Patches weekly.
- Creating a Continuity book & privileged user accommodations
- Approving Material request for the non-prohibited items on site
- Reporting all incidents, and then work with other security offices to investigate and remedy the problem.
- Ensure all systems hardware, software, and firmware is maintained and documented.
- Ensure all systems users have proper security clearance, authorizations and need-to-know before allowing access.

Apex Systems | Leidos | National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency

SYSTEM ADMINISTRATOR I   *2022- 2022*

Fort Belvoir, VA

System Administrators identify any problems in the system; anticipate potential issues and repair systems and software when necessary. Other duties and responsibilities may include:

- Deploy, secure, sustain and provide reliable access to servers, databases, software and tools on identified networks.
- Address issues with and provide recommendations for procurement of new systems, upgrades, configuration changes, licensing, and software products.
- Identify, troubleshoot, and resolve server/system/application issues and provide feedback to customer base.
- Installation, monitoring, testing, troubleshooting, and administration of applications.
- Provide technical support to customers involving a wide range of software, hardware, and DoD specific applications.
- Experience with network design, LAN/WAN systems and lab configuration to include the following capabilities:
  - Installing, operating and maintaining routers, switches, domain controllers, member servers, clients, etc.
  - Ability to replicate client environment issues
  - Understanding networking support to include TCP/IP, DNS, and SMTP issues.
- Imaging, distributing, setting up, and supporting Microsoft systems for users, including related troubleshooting.

EDUCATION

December 2021

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY | CYBER SECURITY

Strayer University, Camp Springs, MD

August 2012

ASSOCIATES OF ARTS, FOUNDATIONS OF BUSINESS

University of Phoenix, Tempe, AZ

LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS

- Security + CE License - 2021
- Risk Management Framework – 2022
- PC Pro Certified - 2020
- Top Secret/SCI Clearance - 2022

- Web Development Bootcamp- In Progress
- Network Pro Certified - 2020
- Ethical Hacker Pro Certified - 2021
- Project Management Certification - 2019

SKILLS

- Detailed Activity Logs
- Systems Configuration Manager
- Customer Service
- Service + / ServiceNow

- Desktop Implementation
- Risk Management Assessments
- Personnel Information Systems
- Security Operations

- Complex Problem-Solving
- Verbal / Written Communication
- TALON / SAP/Splunk/ArcSight
- Database Management Software

HONOR, AWARDS & ORGANIZATIONS

- Golden Key International Honor Society
- Alpha Sigma Lambda Honor Society
- The National Society of Leadership & Success

- The Society of Collegiate Leadership & Achievement
- Alpha Chi National College Honor Society
- Sigma Chi Psi Sorority, Incorporated