

# **Haytham Abo Abdallah**

## Network Engineer | System Administrator | IT Support Engineer

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I am a highly skilled and versatile IT professional with over 5 years of experience in system administration, network engineering, and IT support.

I have a strong understanding of both Windows and Linux environments, coupled with in-depth knowledge of VoIP technology, routers/switches, firewalls, storage and open-source solution.

#### **SKILLS**

- Windows Server Administrator (DNS, DHCP, DFS, Active Directory, Hyper-V).
- Linux/Unix Server Administrator (CentOS, Kali, Ubuntu, SUSE, Mint, Debian).
- Firewalls (Fortinet, PfSense, Dray Tek).
- Network Security (Firewall Configuration, VPN Technologies IPsec, SSL).
- XDR, SIEM TOOL and EDR (Wazuh, Malwarebytes Threat Down).
- VolP Technologies (FreePBX, SIP).
- Virtualization (VMware, Hyper-V, VBox, VMware ESXI, Proxmox VE, Citrix).
- Routing and Switching (Cisco CCNA, Cisco CCNP).
- Network Protocols (TCP/IP, UDP, OSPF, EIGRP, LAN, WAN, WLAN).
- Network Monitoring (Zabbix, Wireshark, SNMP, Tcpdump).
- Network infrastructure (Cisco, Linksys, NetGear, HPE Servers, QNAP Nas, AP).
- Network Documentation (Network Diagrams (Visio), Network Configuration Files).
- Hardware Knowledge (Server Hardware Configuration, RAID Configuration).
- ERP system implementation & administration.
- Containers and Automating Technology (Kubernetes, Docker, ANSIBLE).
- Backup and Recovery (ProxmoxBS, Veeam, QNAP, Disaster Recovery Planning).
- **Programming Language** (Python, Java, C++, C).

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### **System Administrator**

May 2022 - Dec 2023

Drs Nicolas & Asp, Dubai, UAE

- Provided IT support for 5 dental clinics and over 200 individuals, addressing technical issues, and ensuring smooth IT operations.
- Install, configure, and maintain server hardware and software.
- Design, implement, and manage network configurations and protocols.
- Troubleshooted operating systems and user applications, enclosing the seamless functionality of IT infrastructure and network hardware.
- Administer user accounts, permissions, and access rights.
- Monitor and audit user activity to ensure compliance with security policies.

## **Network Engineer**

Apr 2021 - Mar 2022

Sama Group Company, Damascus, Syria

- Cooperated with a team of 6 network engineers, collaborating on projects, sharing knowledge, and ensuring the smooth functioning of the network infrastructure.
- Design and implement scalable, reliable, and secure network infrastructure.
- Deploy and configure routers, switches, firewalls, and other network devices
- Ensure seamless integration of new and existing network components.
- Implement and maintaining security protocols to safeguard the organization's data and networks assets.
- Administered a detailed working log of all required system updates, recording the date of completion for reference and auditing purposes.

## **Takamol Company**

#### Operation Coordinator, Damascus, Syria

- Mar 2020 Mar 2021
- Collaborated with a team of 8 members, fostering a positive and productive work environment to achieve common goals.
- Coordinate and assist in the planning and execution of IT projects, ensuring timelines and deliverables are met.
- Facilitate communication between IT teams and other departments to ensure a clear understanding of project goals and requirements
- Oversaw the management of POS and card issuance for individuals and stations, including tasks such as adding, deleting, editing, and assigning.
- Tested and verified all new POS devices, ensuring their compatibility and functionality, and managed the recurring updates of software.

#### IT Support, Damascus, Syria

Feb 2019 - Feb 2020

- Provided L1 & L2 level technical support for end users, addressing hardware and software issues related to desktops, laptops, scanners, and handheld devices.
- Maintained written and oral communication support to effectively interact with individuals at various levels and in different situations.
- Conducted troubleshooting, installation, and upgrades of computer system hardware, ensuring optimal performance and user satisfaction.
- Resolved networking issues, including LAN/WAN and wireless connectivity problems, ensuring seamless communication for all users.

## **EDUCATION**

**Bachelor of Engineering (B.E.) - Information Technology** 2016 - 2021 Major in **Networking and Operating System**, Damascus University, Damascus, Syria

## **LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS**

Complete Linux Training Course to Get Your Dream IT Job Udemy	2024
Dive Into Ansible - Beginner to Expert in Ansible - DevOps Udemy	2024
Docker & Kubernetes: The Practical Guide [2023 Edition] Udemy	2023
Google Cybersecurity Google	2023
Fundamentals Cybersecurity Fortinet	2023
Technical Support and Infrastructure IECD	2021
System Administration and Networking UNDP	2020

## Languages

Arabic: Native.

English: Intermediate.

## **Personal Information**

Nationality Syrian

Date Of Birth 15 January 1998

**UAE Driving License** Yes

Visa Status Employment Visa