THERESA NEATE

DEVOPS / QA / DEVELOPER RELATIONS / LEADERSHIP

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Theresa Neate is a QA practice lead & developer advocate - with several years of leadership experience - who loves lean and agility and advocates for holistic system quality and systems thinking.
Please note: *NOT a "DevOps Engineer".*

ROLE PREFERENCE

- platforms & cloud platform & platform thinking
- ideally, including AWS (or GCP)
- systems & operations
- Head Of, Exec Mgr, VP ... (or their deputy)
- keep my tech skills sharp/sharper
- degree of operations/ networking/ Python/ AWS/ - flavours work
- more technology, not less
- support to complete Diploma of Networking (& who knows what next)
- balance of strategy / hands-on / management
(will always bring Lead QA thinking to the table too)

COMPETENCIES

- Leadership
- Technical literacy and strong interest
- A range of technical skills, most at the level of "serious playing" and some at "full time specialist" level (including a range of AWS services, Java, JavaScript, Python, Ruby, Buildkite, Docker, Linux, Selenium, SQL, etc.)
- System thinking
- Strong communication skills
- Public Speaking
- Coaching & Mentoring
- Quality Analysis & Testing

CONTACT DETAILS

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CAREER HISTORY

Lead Quality Analyst / QA Practice Lead
REA Group | June 2019 - present

Senior Developer Advocate
REA Group | June 2018 - June 2019

Lead Quality Analyst / QA Practice Lead
REA Group | Feb 2016 - June 2018

Lead Agile QA
Australia Post | Jan 2013 - Jan 2016

Lead Quality Analyst
REA Group | Aug 2012 - Dec 2012

Senior QA Consultant
ThoughtWorks | Aug 2009 - Aug 2012

Senior Tester, Helpdesk, Executive Manager, Team Lead
Various | pre-2000 - 2009

TRAINING & EDUCATION

(Diploma of Networking
Swinburne University of Technology (Dec 2019)

Graduate Certificate: Business IT
RMIT University (2016)

(withdrawn) Bachelors of IT & Systems
Monash University (2014)

Diploma of IT (General)
Victoria University (2010)

Diploma of IT (Web)
Victoria University (2010)

Diploma of Computer Science
South Africa (pre-2000)

Several short courses & certifications
Including ISTQB, ISEB, PACT, CCNA2, Ethical Hacking (Web Security), etc.