

# THERESA NEATE

DEVOPS / QA /
DEVELOPER ADVOCACY /
LEADERSHIP

# PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Theresa Neate is a senior developer advocate, lead quality analyst and test consultant - with several years of leadership experience - who loves lean and agility and advocates for holistic system quality and systems thinking.

# **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)

# **CAREER HISTORY**

#### **Senior Developer Advocate**

REA Group | June 2018 - present

#### **Lead Quality Analyst**

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 | 1995 - 2009

# COMPETENCIES

- Leadership
- Technical literacy and strong interest
- System thinking
- Strong communication skills
- Public Speaking
- Coaching & Mentoring
- Quality Analysis & Testing
- A range of technical skills, most at the level "serious playing" but not all at "full time specialist" level

(including a range of AWS services, Java, JavaScript, Python, Ruby, Buildkite, Docker, Linux, Selenium, SQL, etc.)

# **CONTACT DETAILS**

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# TRAINING & EDUCATION

# **Diploma of Networking**

Swinburne University of Technology (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#### (withdrawn) Bachelors of IT & Systems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.