

Brandon Thurgood

Cloud DevOps Manager

IT pro, manager and leader focusing on Cloud, DevOps, SRE, IaaS, PaaS, CaaS, and all things IT.



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WORK EXPERIENCE

Cloud DevOps Manager General Motors

08/2018 – Present

Ireland

Achievements/Tasks

- Manage a team of DevOps engineers developing solutions for Kubernetes, PCF and private Cloud platform.

Senior VMware Systems Engineer General Motors

07/2017 – 07/2018

Ireland

Achievements/Tasks

- Excellence in IT award, awarded by CIO.
- Global vSphere & vSAN SME.

Infrastructure Engineer General Motors

03/2013 – 06/2017

South Africa

Achievements/Tasks

- Virtualized manufacturing datacentre onto vSphere.
- Kudos award for project delivery.

Technology Consultant Level III Hewlett Packard Enterprise

11/2010 – 02/2013

South Africa

Achievements/Tasks

- Contracted to GM as senior infrastructure consultant.

Systems/Support Engineer roles Various companies

06/1997 – 10/2010

South Africa

Digital Business Systems, Exponent, Integr8IT, Bagshaw Footwear.

Achievements/Tasks

- Designed, deployed and maintained various IT solutions for various customers.

EDUCATION

Masters Degree

Letterkenny Institute of technology

Courses

- Master of Science in Computing - Private Cloud Technologies. Completing in 2019

SKILLS

Management

Leadership

Project Management

VMware vSphere

Cisco

Microsoft

Linux

Citrix

Microsoft SQL

VMware vSAN

Kubernetes

DevOps

SRE

Pivotal Cloud Foundry

ACHIEVEMENTS

Excellence in IT Award (06/2018)

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VMware Certified Professional DCV (4, 5, 6 & 6.5)
(02/2012 – Present)

Cisco Certified Network Professional R&S
(03/2017 – Present)

Microsoft Certified (MCP, MCSA, MCSE, MCITP)
(01/1999 – Present)

LANGUAGES

English



Afrikaans



INTERESTS

Technology

Reading

IT Methodologies

Family