

# Adil Siddiqui | System Administrator

Well-equipped IT professional with 9+ years' diversified and well-groomed working experience of managing server infrastructure and data-center operations in enterprise environments, mostly in banking sector.



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## TRAITS

Team Player

Leadership Skills

Quick Learner

Dedicated

Honest

## TECHNICAL PROFICIENCIES

- VMware vSphere & MS Hyper-V
- Veritas NetBackup
- Veeam Backup & Replication
- Sophos XG Proxy Firewall
- SAN (IBM-V7000 & 9110, HP-3PAR)
- MS Exchange & Active Directory
- MS Windows Servers
- Hardware (IBM & HP)

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

**Father's name:** Mohsin Raza Siddiqui  
**Birth date & place:** 14 Nov. '87, Karachi.  
**Nationality:** Pakistani  
**Passport No:** HH5464451  
**NIC No:** 42101-9377445-9  
**Marital status:** Single

## Employment Summary | 9+ Years

<b>Meezan Bank</b>   System Administrator	Aug '19 -	Present
<b>Soneri Bank</b>   System Engineer	Nov '17 - Aug '19	2 Years
<b>MCB Bank</b>   System Support Engineer	Jul '17 - Nov '17	.5 Year
<b>NIB Bank</b>   System Administrator	Jun '12 - Jul '17	5 Years
<b>Pak Gulf Leasing Co. Ltd.</b>   IT officer	Mar '11 - Jun '12	1+ Year
<b>SSGC Ltd.</b>   Intern	Jan '11 - Feb '11	2 Months

## Academics

<b>Masters in Computer Science (MCS)</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Division (73.25%)   UBIT - University of Karachi.	2009 - 2010
<b>Bachelors in Science (B.Sc.)</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Division (54.60%)   University of Karachi.	2006 - 2008
<b>H.S.C. - Pre Engineering</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Division (63.63%)   For Men, Nazimabad   Karachi Board.	2004 - 2005
<b>S.S.C. - Pre Engineering</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Division (76.35%)   Hanifia Public School   Karachi Board.	2002 - 2003

## Trainings / Certifications

<b>VMware vSphere ICM v6.7</b>	EZY Intellect, Karachi
<b>Veritas NetBackup 8.1.2 Administration</b>	Veritas, Dubai
<b>Sophos Certified Engineer</b>	Dig8Labs, Karachi
<b>VEEAM 9.5</b>	Onwire, Karachi
<b>Microsoft Exchange 2013</b>	Onwire, Karachi
<b>Microsoft Certified IT Professional</b>	Computer Collegiate, Karachi

## Projects

- Deployment and configuration of Veritas NetBackup Appliance, IBM Tape Library TS-4300 and upgrade Veritas NetBackup from 7.7.3 to 8.1.1
- Deployment and configuration of Sophos XG Firewall.
- Deployment and configuration of IBM SAN FS9110 & V7000.
- Migration of storage from IBM DS8800 to IBM FS9100 & V7000.
- Upgrade VMware virtual environment from 5.5 to 6.5.
- Deployment of Windows Terminal Server infrastructure on Hyper-V with centralized user profile disks (UPD) on SAN.

**Meezan Bank Limited**

System Administrator

Aug 19 – Present

- Management of Active Directory, also perform day-to-day operations, manage IDs, groups, and group policies.
- Installation, configuration and administration of PRD and DR virtual infrastructure running on VMware 6.0
- Administration of Veritas NetBackup, perform and monitor backup procedures to ensure data security, availability and integrity of required resources.
- Administration of McAfee EPO, ensure that policies & regular DATs are up to date on client/server machines and scanning is performed regularly.
- Administration of Windows 2012R2 terminal server infrastructure, file server and print server.
- Administration of SWIFT servers, perform DB & application integrity and provide technical support to SWIFT users.

**Soneri Bank Limited**

System Engineer

Nov 17 – Aug 19

- Administration and optimization of virtual infrastructure running on VMware 6.5 on IBM blade servers.
- Installation and configuration of VM's as per request and management of Windows server environment.
- Ensure that the enterprise critical servers are replicating offsite via Veeam and are available to restore as per requirement.
- Administration of IBM V7000 & 9110 SAN, implementation of storage allocation, deallocation, LUN sharing and zoning on FC switches.
- Management of Hardware includes IBM Flex system manager and X240M5 blade servers.
- Administration and management of Veritas NetBackup 8.1.1, perform backups and restoration of critical banking application servers, file system and/or databases upon customer requests.
- Administration and management of IBM TS 4300 & TS-3100 tape libraries infrastructure.
- Administration of Sophos XG firewall, configure policies as per need and ensure that internet services are up bankwide.
- Management of MS Exchange and Active Directory, also perform day-to-day operations, manage IDs, groups, and group policies.

**MCB Bank Limited**

System Support Engineer

July 17 – Nov 17

After the merger of the NIB Bank with and into MCB Bank Ltd. I have become employee of MCB Bank Ltd.

- Performed same duties as in NIB Bank.

**NIB Bank Limited**

System Administrator

June 12 – July 17

- Administration of Windows 2012R2 terminal server infrastructure running on Hyper-V with centralized user profile disks (UPD's) on SAN.
- Installation, configuration and troubleshooting of PRD and DR virtual infrastructure running on Hyper-V and VMware 5.5 and installation on host servers (Windows & ESXi) on HP Blade / ProLiant hardware (G5 – G9)
- Install, configure, support, upgrade, and troubleshoot issues pertaining to Microsoft Windows OS.
- Administration of HP 3PAR SAN, implementation of storage allocation, deallocation and LUN assigning.
- Management of TMG, configure policies as per need.
- Management of file servers, print servers & WSUS server, perform & monitor weekly Windows update.
- Manage AD services, user accounts, OU, groups and policies, also perform BAU tasks on MS Exchange server.
- Manage backup of critical servers via Veeam 9.0.
- Provide support in datacenter for hardware issues.
- Provide Tier III support to Terminal Server users all over Pakistan via phone, electronically or via remote session. Investigate and troubleshoot issues.

**Pak Gulf Leasing Company Limited**

IT Officer

March 11 – June 12

- Management of AD, DB and TMG server, OS / software installation and configuration on desktops and laptops.
- Provide level-I support, respond to requests for technical assistance in person, via phone, electronically.
- Perform regular backup of essential systems/critical data, also perform weekly full tape backup.
- Manage and monitor service contracts, hardware and licensed software to ensure accurate inventory records. Also, procure new hardware as and when required.
- Diagnose and resolve technical hardware and software issues of laptops and desktops, responsible for up gradation of hardware and software as required.
- Manage PGL's website, update details of products, services and quarterly upload financial information.