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To become a successful Lead database administrator with in-depth technical knowledge and excellent management skills, searching for position that invites technical challenges in database administration

Profile Summary

- Having 9+ years of IT experience in SQL Server Database Administration of MS SQL Servers 2005-2022 in Production/Non-Production environments.
- Experience in leading Operational Database team of 5 members production environment.
- Experience in Database Server Migration and up-gradation projects.
- Good knowledge of **Log Shipping**, configuring **Log Shipping** and Implementing DR-Drill Activities.
- Experience in **Always ON** setup. Carried out planned failover for patching and DR-Drill activities.
- Experience in configuring and monitoring **Replication**.
- Experience in **troubleshooting** and resolving, Performance Issues, Blocking and Deadlocking Issues, Log Shipping Issues, Connectivity Issues, Security Issues.
- Planning / managing and implementing the strategies for application Database High Availability and disaster recovery.
- Experience in **Performance Tuning and Optimization (PTO)**, using Performance Monitor.
- Experience into SQL Server migration from lower to higher version.
- Ability to detect and troubleshoot SQL Server related **CPU, Memory, I/O, Disk Space** issues.
- Strong knowledge of **backups, restores, recovery models, database shrink operation, DBCC commands.**
- Managing and implementing SQL Server Security as per best practices and Audit Requirements.
- Good Documentation Skills and Communication Skills.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

BNP Paribas	Mumbai, India
	June 2020 - Till Date

- Installation & Configuration of SQL Server 2008 R2, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2019, 2022.
- Database Migration and Upgrading SQL Server to higher Versions.
- Database Logins, group's creation with required permissions.
- Configuring and monitoring Log Shipping and troubleshooting Log shipping issues.
- Configuring and monitoring Always ON setup for critical application databases.
- Implementing SQL Server Security and Hardening policy as per company standards/requirements.
- Creating and implementing Backup Strategy for all databases.
- Monitoring Space management and Backup Reports.
- Creating Linked servers and data sources to access Oracle and MYSQL databases.
- Hardening of SQL Server as per audit requirement
- Successfully done various DR Switchover & Switchback on Log Shipping and Always ON.
- Replication configuration and monitoring.
- Implementing and managing TLS encryption certificates on SQL servers.

Infrasoft Technologies	Mumbai, India
Client: BNP Paribas	Mar 2018 – May 2020

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- Implementing SQL Server Hardening and Backup Policy.
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Clover InfoTech PVT LTD	Mumbai, India
Client : Aditya Birla Finance Limited	Jan 2016 – Mar 2018

- Experience in leading Operational Database team of 5 members production environment.
- SQL Server 2012, 2016 installation, applying latest Service Packs.
- SQL Server database migrations to higher version
- Checking the status of backup, troubleshooting the failed backups and restoration of databases
- Log Shipping configuration and monitoring, troubleshooting log shipping issues.
- Hardening of SQL Server as per audit requirement
- Implemented SQL Server best practices & configured SQL server alerts
- Carried out DR Drill activities and emergency DR activities
- Implementing SQL Server Hardening Policy.
- Identifying long running, blocking queries & deadlock on databases
- Responsible for maintaining and managing DEV, SIT and UAT Servers
- Creation of Logins, users, configuring permissions and assigning roles to users
- Daily monitoring of disk space, backups, jobs, Log Shipping.
- Creating jobs & carrying out daily activities as per application team requests via release management process
- Design and implement database security policy and backup contingency test.
- Created Linked Servers between SQL Servers and other Heterogeneous environments.

Clover InfoTech PVT LTD	Mumbai, India
Client : Pidilite Industries	Feb 2014 – Dec 2015

- Installation & Configuration of SQL Server 2008 R2, 2012.
- Database Migration and Upgrading SQL Server to higher Versions.
- Database server's consolidation Activity.
- Configuring and monitoring Log Shipping and troubleshooting Log shipping issues.
- Implementing SQL Server Hardening and Backup Policy.
- Creating SSIS packages to flow data between different databases and flat files.
- Creating Linked servers and data sources to access Oracle and MYSQL databases.
- Troubleshooting SSIS packages issues.
- Checking Backup Contingency of critical databases.
- Implementing Index Defragmentation and Database Consistency Checks.

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION

Degree	Institute	Board/University	Year
MCA	Sterling College of Management Studies.	Mumbai University	2013
B.Sc	Vikas College.	Mumbai University	2010
XII	Vikas College.	Maharashtra Board	2007
X	Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar Vidyalaya.	Maharashtra Board	2005

AWARDS AND Professional Recognition: ACHIEVEMENTS

- Received 'PAT on the Back Award' and cash reward from my unit head for excellent performance at Clover InfoTech Pvt. Ltd
- Microsoft certified "Azure Fundamentals"

PERSONAL DETAILS

Date of Birth: May 24th, 1989

Languages Known: English and Hindi

Declaration:

I hereby declare that the above-mentioned information is true to the best of my knowledge.

-Yogesh S Sonawane