

# Seth Morris

NETWORK INFRASTRUCTURE | INFORMATION SYSTEMS

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"What is your favorite skill?": I have the uncanny ability of plugging in USB devices the correct way, on the first try

## Summary

I am a creative and engaging Information Technology professional with diverse experiences in manufacturing and transportation industries. My roles include Systems Engineering, Network Security, and Systems Administration. I am very result driven and efficient with the technology solutions required by businesses with unique and high volume obligations. I excel with high demand priority delegation, and have consistent accountability with time sensitive resolutions. I am excellent self-managed, but work well within a team, and have a successful track record of reducing department expenses through consolidating services, re-allocating funds, and absorbing administrative tasks.

## Proficiencies

### Software

Windows Server 20p3, 2008, 2012 R2, Microsoft Exchange 2007, Microsoft Office, Hyper-V Virtualization, Remote Desktop Services and RemoteApps, MSSQL, Linux, WordPress, MySQL, Backup Exec 17 w/ Amazon S3, IPsec VPN, QuickBooks, Dr. Dispatch, PC Miler, XRS Fleet GPS.

### Hardware

Dell Servers, HP Servers, WatchGuard Firewall, Cisco Switches, CCTV, Powerman UPS, Sangoma, FreePBX VOIP, FortiGate.

## Work Experience

### HP Distribution L.L.C.

Olathe, Kansas

#### IT MANAGER

Feb 2007 - Mar 2018

- Grew and strengthened the network infrastructure for HP Steak Co. and HP Distribution, a manufacturing and distribution set of companies.
- Wrote corporate policies for domain security and user practices, data retention, backup and disaster recovery, and software/hardware standard operating procedures.
- Maintained multiple areas of compliance for the USDA while meeting customer branding and manufacture specification needs.
- Brought data backup and email services in-house offsetting \$11,000 in expenses my first year, while deploying ArcServe Backup and Exchange 2007.
- Trained in CSB Systems ERP software, an enterprise manufacturing solution specialized for food production systems with scaling, cutting systems, and distribution.
- Maintained availability through infrastructure relocation, while completing service upgrades and scaling network hardware.
- Migration and upgrade of Dell Server hardware and 2003 Server, Active Directory and Domain Services structure, to HP DL Server class hardware and 2012 R2 Active Directory, RDS RemoteApps, and Hyp,er-V.
- Designed and deployed an Asterisk solution via FreePBX distribution for a TI Primary Rate Interface with digital Direct Inward Dialing, to upgrade a proprietary 3Com VoIP PBX system.
- Upgraded Arcserve backup with Backup Exec, utilizing S3 and IPsec VPN offsite duplication for redundant disaster recovery options.

### Systems Consultant

Kansas City, Missouri

#### IT MANAGER

2005 - 2009

- Provided cti-5,tom services including e-commerce/web design, network and system engineering.
- Provided Active Directory migration support for Plygem's acquisition of Alcoa Steel's Home Exteriors division.
- Completed various support ticket needs including network connectivity, account provisions, software installation, configuration, and upgrade/patch management issues.

### Equus Computer Systems

Kansas City, Missouri

#### SERVICE DEPARTMENT / CUSTOM SERVER BUILD

2006- 2007

- Worked as a system server builder for custom designed rack mounted servers.
- Configured Linux kernels and installed and configured various desired distributions.
- Provided internal M.I.S. support for the corporate headquarters in Minnesota and designed a reconciliation spreadsheet for the accounting department.

## References

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