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20+ Experienced IT Professional seeking challenging positions in domains like IT & Cloud Infrastructure, IT Network (LAN/WAN), Data center, NOC and Security Infrastructure to achieve career goals and contribute towards organizational success.

- ➢ Dynamic Executive with over **20+ Years** of hands-on experience in **IT Infrastructure Management.**
- ➢ Result-oriented decisive leader with proven success in evaluation and selection of the products / services, Cost effective IT budget planning and negotiations with vendors / service providers
- ➢ Demonstrated ability to manage core business heterogeneous environment IT & Cloud Infrastructure, NOC, Data Center, Information Security , Project Execution and Vendor Management
- ➢ Ability to design, procure, deploy and administer products & solutions related to Cloud / LAN / WAN / Security / Data Center / NOC as and when required by the Management
- ➢ Detail oriented and adherent to hierarchical system; Firm believer of ethics, etiquettes & mannerism
- ➢ Capability of providing technical guidance and leadership to team members to achieve maximum up-time for all the company's systems and services
- ➢ An astute IT Professional and Advanced level Technology Literate with profound experience to maintain high quality standards to meet challenges of this fast paced, high turn-over industry
- ➢ Expertise in executing solutions; Adept at working in high pressure environments with strict deadlines and multiple deliverables to implement best practices that consistently deliver outstanding results
- ➢ Ability build new territories and expand opportunities towards the achievement of stated targets, to lead, motivate and provide effective guidance to a team of professional and support staff
- ➢ Skilled Manager with proven ability to lead and motivate teams to maximize productivity
- ➢ Good communication, analytical & inter personal and problem solving skills
- ➢ Excellent decision making skills with a positive approach
- ➢ Dedicated and highly ambitious to achieve personal as well as organizational goals

Areas Of Expertise

- ➢ IT Infrastructure & Cloud Management
- ➢ IT Operations & Project Management
- ➢ Service Delivery Management
- ➢ NOC & Data Center Infrastructure Management
- ➢ IT Security & System Audit Management
- ➢ Open source Technology Management
- ➢ Vendor & People Management
- ➢ Network Monitoring & Analysis

Professional Experiences

IT Consultant
IT Infrastructure Consultant   (Nov'2018 – Present)
Key Deliverables:-

- ➢ Responsible for Design, Deployment and Management of IT & Cloud Infrastructure.
- ➢ Responsible for Managing various IT Operations and Related Activities.
- ➢ Responsible for the Implementation and Management of IT Projects
- ➢ Responsible for the Management of Service Delivery.
- ➢ Responsible for the Management of NOC & Datacenter.
- ➢ Responsible for the Management of IT Security & System Audit Compliance.
- ➢ Responsible for the Implementation and Management of Open source Technology.
- ➢ Responsible for Vendor & People Management
- ➢ Responsible for Network Monitoring & Analysis

Cochin Stock Brokers Ltd. Subsidiary of **OIEL [** Formerly Known as **Cochin Stock Exchange Ltd.],**
Manager Network (IT Systems) *(Jan'2003 – Nov'2018)*
Key Deliverables:-

- Responsible for managing IT Network / Security Infrastructure of the organization that includes LAN, WAN, Cloud, Datacenter, NOC, leased line, VPN, NSE/BSE VSAT's ,Routers, Switches, UTM,s, Servers......etc
- Responsible for providing necessary supports to 200+ Remote Offices connected through Internet and 200+ desktops connected through Wired / Wi-Fi LAN for both Trading and Back-office applications.
- Responsible for providing necessary supports to 1500+ Internet clients and 100+ Mobile trading users.
- Responsible for implementing and managing Projects related to IT Network (LAN and WAN), Cloud, Datacenter, NOC and Security Infrastructure of the organization with various vendors / service providers.
- Responsible for evaluating Cloud / Network / Security / Datacenter / NOC related technical architecture and design latest technology solutions to facilitate enhanced functional competence of the business processes including implementation, configuration, support and maintenance of Windows / Linux / Unix IT Infrastructure.
- In charge of the Information Security related implementation and management of the organization.
- Responsible for managing day to day operations of IT & Cloud Infrastructure of the organization for both Trading and Backoffice related applications with IT Team members / Vendors / Service providers.
- Engaged in evaluation and selection of the products / services, IT budget planning and negotiations with vendors / service providers in addition to procuring products and solutions related to Cloud / LAN / WAN / Security / Data center / NOC as and when required by the Management
- Instrumental in providing technical guidance and leadership to team members to achieve maximum up-time for all the company's systems & services, troubleshooting and resolving complex technological problems with the support of vendors / service providers
- Responsible for providing necessary technical help to Information Security CISA / CISSP / ITIL auditors to implement information technology compliance standards in the organizations as per various regulatory bodies and government requirement.

Achievements:-

- One of the key leading member in the implementation project of IT infrastructure for providing software applications to do Stock Trading in both NSE and BSE by using Cloud solution as SaaS model.
- Implemented Internet and Mobile Trading as SaaS Model by using Cloud computing solution.
- Deployed various kinds of open source technologies in IT infrastructure of the company to reduce the cost and improve the efficiency with enhanced security.
- One of the key member in the implementation project of web based Backoffice software applications.
- Successfully Implemented secured Local Area Network (LAN) structured cabling connectivity using various Layer 2 and Layer 3 devices with VLAN solution.
- Successfully implemented WAN infrastructure solutions using Internet, leaseline, ISDN PRI / BRI, Dial-up, VPN and Private VSAT Network with various industry standard Switching / Routing / Networking devices
- Designed and deployed Information systems security solutions using various security technologies.
- Handled installation, configuration and troubleshooting of various Windows / Linux infrastructure.

Koluthara Electronics (P) Ltd., Cochin
Network and Hardware Engineer *(Dec'1999 - Jan'2003)*
Key Deliverables:-

- Worked as a Resident Engineer in COCHIN STOCK EXCHANGE Ltd. from M/s.Koluthara Electronics Pvt. Ltd. as per the Annual Maintenance Contract (AMC for 3 years) for maintaining more than 100+ network computers with 4+ Servers connected in both LAN and WAN
- Maintained more than 100 PCs connected on LAN at central site and additional trading floor at CSE Brokers Complex at Trichur linked through 128kbps data circuits and Routers (WAN)
- Installed, configured and maintained both HP and IBM servers used for Depository and Back Office purposes
- Installed and maintained Windows NT 4.0 Server in Development Sever, Windows NT 4.0 Workstation for trading and Back Office Terminals
- Installed and configured Windows 2000 Servers, Professional and XP Workstations, Proxy server and its Firewall
- Assisted the Network Team in COCHIN STOCK EXCHANGE in installing and configuring the VSATs, Routers, Switches and Modems for Wide Area Network using ISDN, Leased Line and Dialup Line

Accel Ltd., Cochin
Customer Support Engineer (Aug'1999 - Oct'1999)
Key Deliverables:-

➢ Worked as network and hardware customer support Engineer Trainee

Educational Background

➢ **Bachelor of Computer Application (BCA)** from IGNOU in 2008
➢ **T-Level H/w. Diploma** from NIELIT [Centre for Electronics Design&Technology of India (CEDTI)] in 1999
➢ **I T I – Electronics** from NCVT in 1998
➢ **Pre-Degree** in Science Group from M G University in 1996
➢ **SSLC** from Govt. of Kerala in 1994

Seminars & Trainings

➢ Attended technical events/seminars conducted by various hardware / software vendors like Microsoft, Redhat, CISCO, HP, IBM, DELL, INTEL, D-Link, VMWARE, CITRIX,SAP, INFOSYS....etc
➢ Attended Open Source Technologies training organized by the company.

Personal Details

Date of Birth	: 1st October, 1978
Gender	: Male
Marital Status	: Single
Nationality	: Indian
Languages Known	: English, Malayalam and Hindi

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