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LEADERSHIP PROFILE

Town of Morrisville Town Council At-Large Elected Official. Currently in 2nd 4-year term of office. Actively engaged in local, state, national, and international advocacy and outreach. Areas of interest and expertise include cultural awareness and diversity, youth programs and education, public safety, and intergovernmental relations.

Extensive IT leadership experience in enterprise architecture to deliver best optimal solutions based on business requirements. Mix of infrastructure, development, and technical expertise. Consistent record of leadership in the planning, specifying, developing and deploying of high performance and robust IT products and solutions enabling for business continuity on premise as well as public Cloud.

CAREER SUMMARY

- Accomplished Information Technology Architect and Global Deployment Team Lead with 20 years of Telecom and ITSM experience.
- Proven mentor and leader adept at communicating across organizational levels and industry verticals with domestic and international cross-functional teams to drive shared vision and foster a culture of excellence.
- Exceptional negotiator, specializing in complex contracts containing technical considerations across multiple domains.
- Exceptional ability to produce high quality deliverables meeting and exceeding targets.
- Demonstrated mastery in evaluating requirements for application deployment, customer success, and partner management
- Experience in dealing with Windows Azure IaaS - Virtual Networks, Virtual Machines, Cloud Services, Resource Groups, Express Route, VPN, Load Balancing, Application Gateways, Auto-Scaling, and Traffic Manager.
- Extensive hands-on skills working with business owners, project sponsors, key stakeholders, functional managers, business partners, vendors, executive committee, system architecture, product management, project leads, development, data warehouse, middleware, testing, change management, release management, onsite, and offshore teams to deliver high-end projects.
- Strategic, self-driven, passionate, extremely focused & goal-oriented enterprise technology leader with demonstrated experience in identifying, implementing and managing its solutions/applications.
- Initiated and executed process improvements in the areas of project planning, technical documentation and reduced downtime – requiring strong analytical skills, successful engagement with, both, external and internal stakeholders, and strong written, spoken, and inter-personal communication skills.

CORE COMPETENCIES

- Strategic Thinking & Analysis
- Group Collaboration and Facilitation
- Problem Solving and Consensus Building
- Long Range Planning/Visioning
- Business Systems Analysis
- IT Solution Strategy, Planning & Delivery
- Data Centers and Global Operations
- Cost benefit analysis & Budgeting
- Public Sector & Contract Negotiation
- Project Management

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Senior Technical Manager – GSK

July 2020 to Present

- Overlooking GSK Enterprise Data Analytics platform - that leveraged the machine learning models provided by the data scientists team in GSK to optimize and faster results in Vaccines, Pharma Supply. Strong background of microservices leveraging Kubernetes, containers, Azure, mongo DB, Kafka, Redis. We use SAFe Agile practices for implementation.
- Product owner for several Mission critical applications with user base of more than 60,000 users worldwide and coordinated with key stakeholders to deliver releases every quarter successfully.
- Extensive contract negotiation experience with both private-sector and government counterparties, requiring close coordination with internal stakeholders and legal support.

Senior Technical Staff Member - AT&T

August 2000 – July 2020

- Built several AT&T Data Centers from ground zero and lead Global Disaster Recovery team, to ensure that all necessary steps were taken to enable high availability at all times; efficiently redirect production traffic to disaster recovery (DR) sites within short notice
- Served as Team Deployment Lead and Subject Matter Expert (SME) mission critical applications called iGems (Integrated Global Enterprise Management System) with 80,000 users used by internal and external customers worldwide.
- Built close to 900 plus servers including Network Node Managers, ITO, VPO, X-Server, Database Servers, GPS servers and standard UNIX servers for AT&T proprietary software
- Developed many diagnostic and troubleshooting tools to be able to pinpoint and resolve errors in early stages to help achieve lower MTTR (Mean Time to Repair) during outage situations
- Maintenance of HP node manager, SMARTS Incharge network management, NVision and HP Operations Manager (OVO) software network tools. Troubleshoot and maintain Oracle database systems, Ciscoworks, BMC Remedy trouble management system

Software Engineer – Sprint PCS

August 1999 – August 2000

- Perform disk and file system management with Veritas disksuite or Solstice disksuite software. Worked with Veritas netbackup and HP Onmiback software systems for system backup and recovery.

TECHNICAL SKILLS:

- Software: Spark, Kafka, MongoDB, Redis, Camunda, Drools, Oracle 11g, WebSphere 6.1, HP OpenView, WebLogic 7.0, Remedy 9, EMC Smarts, BMC Patrol, Visio, BAC/RUM, Netcool
- Programming Languages: C++, SQL, Shell /Awk/Korn Scripting, PERL, JavaScript
- Environments: Kubernetes, Docker, Azure Cloud, Linux, HP-9000, AIX, Sun Solaris

LEADERSHIP ACTIVITIES

- **NCLM Board of Directors – President’s Appointment (2020)**
- **Triangle J Council of Governments Board of Delegates (2020-Present)**
- **Board of Directors WakeMed Hospitals (2022-Present)**
- **North Carolina Education and Workforce Innovation Commission (2018)**
- **GoTriangle Transit Advisory Committee (2019-2022)**
- **Triangle Trail Initiative Advisory Board Meeting (2021)**
- **PLANWake Advisory Committee (2019)**
- **Wake County Fire Commission (2017- Present)**
- **Friends of North Carolina Museum of Natural Sciences – Board of Directors (2016- Present)**
- **Breckenridge HOA Presidents (2014- Present)**

AWARDS & HONORS

- GSK Silver and Bronze Award
- Multiple AT&T IT and AT&T Solutions awards for outstanding contribution.
- Dean’s Honor Roll 1998/99, Tulsa University.

EDUCATION/CERTIFICATIONS

- **Public Leadership Credential (Kennedy School of Government) 2020 - 2022**
Harvard University – Cambridge , MA
- **Advance Leadership Corps (School of Government)**
University of North Carolina- Chapel Hill, NC
- **Master of Science (M.Sc.) Computer Science**
University of Tulsa – Tulsa, OK
- **Bachelor of Engineering (B.Engr.) Electronics Engineering**
Bombay University – Mumbai, India