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Desmond van der Winden

Freelance Senior ICT Engineer

Freelancer with more than 15 years of IT experience. Project Management, Certified Windows and Linux Engineer.

Resume

April 2004 - present

1. MobilityCentre Volvo

Freelance Network Administrator

Freelance System and Network Administator for the largest Volvo dealer in the area of Rotterdam. The current position is to manage all the 8 Windows based servers, 110 desktop computers and other devices running and up to date. Volvo de Jong has 3 physical locations connected using optic fibre technology.
– Windows System administration and maintenance
– Network administrator and running optic fibre network using Vodafone optics
– Configuring and maintaining routers and switches
– System updates and user support
– Project manager on IT projects

February 2017 - present

2. Serverion

Company owner - Linux Administrator

Webhosting company for high end customers running SSD Linux Servers and High Availability and load balancing.
– Configuring and managing Linux Servers
– Running HA Clusters
– VMWare Virtual Server management
– Setting up and running network (internal and external)
– Setting up traffic and peering using Cisco
– Development of invoice system to webhosting platform

August 2015 - present

3. Blue Lemon B.V.

Company owner - Project Manager

Blue Lemon B.V. is an all round, developement and IT company. From building Magento webshops, WordPress sites, iOS and Android apps to enrolling networks for over 200 computers on various locations. Blue Lemon runs the complete platform using freelancer employees and specialists.
– Head of development and engineering
– Customer relations and public relations
– Project Management webdevelopment
– Scrum master for devops team

August 2015 - present

4. LC Packaging International B.V.

Linux Engineer

LC Packaging is the leading supplier in Europe for all your agricultural packaging and bulk bags, FIBC or big bags. As the Freelance Linux Administrator I am responsible for maintaining all linux hosting / application servers.
– Installation and management of Linux Servers running CentOS
– Migrations and management of Linux servers and services
– Consultancy and support for customers wishes
– Setting up uptime and performance monitor

February 2016 - March 2018

5. Ornion

Senior System Engineer

Ornion is one of the first companies which are building custom made Ethereum and Bitcoin mining systems based on GPU's. Using a high end webshop named EthereumMiners serves thousands of Crypto enthousiasts.
– Webdevelopment of complete network of 12 Magento 2.0 based webshops
– Research and development of mining computers
– Installation of complete mining farms on location
– Research on optimalisation and overclocking Nvidia and AMD Videocards
– Customer relations
– Teamlead of 15 FTE's

February 2011 - August 2015

6. Tickles B.V.

Company owner - Project Manager

Co-founder and CEO of Tickles B.V. In charge of all commercial and technical management. Leading a scrum team over 25 employees, developping, creative thinking and rolling out high end web platforms.
– Managing company for webdevelopment and creative design
– Project management for multinationals and high revenu companies
– Magento webdevelopment
– Managing all Linux based systems and Git Platform
– Managing fully based on scrum teams
– Operational manager for employees (HR Manager)
– Teamlead of 25 FTE's

March 2013 - August 2015

7. Futuremind App International B.V.

Development and Project Manager

As the parttime project manager and core developper for the iOS / Andriod app 'The Journalist'. App which gives ordinary people the posibilities to present local news instant.
– iOS App development and implementation
– Testing and managing infrastructure based on CentOS Linux
– Load balancing cluster management for traffic and control
– Writing documentation and thinking out new side projects
– Running the devops team
– Teamlead of 3 FTE's

May 2003 - September 2014

8. w3Media B.V.

Company owner - Linux Engineering

Privately owned webhosting company with more than 300 Linux and Windows servers colocated in 3 different datacenters. Main office was located in DataHouse Spijkenisse.
– Installation and managing over 300 servers with CentOS / BSD / Debian / Windows
– Configuration of switches and routers in High speed Gbit network
– Solving problems for user on webhosting platforms
– Datacenter installation
– Sales meeting with new customers and prospects
– Project management and general manager
– Teamlead of 3 FTE's

May 1999 - June 2005

9. FuTec Systems B.V.

Freelance System and Network Administrator

As head Office IT staff I was fully responsible for assembling computer hardware and installation of servers and networks in local medical facilities as hospitals, doctors, dentist and general practice centers.
– Managing assembly of computer hardware
– Installation of desktop computers and servers based on Active Directory
– Implementation of Windows Update Service
– Migrations and installation of Microsoft Exchange projects
– Managing director of local datacenter with 16 racks
– Teamlead of 4 FTE's

February 2000 - September 2001

10. ServerShop Nederland B.V.

Company Partner - System Builder

In 2000, ServerShop was the first and only online retailer using a webshop which sells complete servers in the Benelux. Complete servers fully installed with Linux or Windows ready to go.
– Building and designing custom build rack servers for webhosting purposes
– Assembling, installing and optimizing servers based on Red Hat Linux
– Customer support and installation in various datacenters
– Building a custom webshop software (PHP) and online payment methods
– SuperMicro partner and business development

August 1997 - May 2000

11. Xventus Networks

Company owner - Linux Engineering

Xventus Networks is a small webhosting company with 4 dedicated server racks housed in a private suite in Rotterdam. As the founding father which took the budget hosting from the US to the Netherlands, Xventus Networks was a huge hosting company for that time.
– Installation of network and routing traffic
– Installation and assembling custom build servers (based on Red Hat Linux 6.2)
– Managing webhosting servers
– Build a 24/7 monitoring platform on PHP/SQL in combination with SMS
– Designed and build a access control system for colocated hosting customers

April 1997 - August 1998

12. UPC Nederland B.V.

Freelance Network Administrator

Network and system administrator for mailservers, usenet servers and webservers based on Red Hat Linux at UPC Nederland in Amsterdam.

– Third line support for helpdesk and backoffice
– Managing and maintaining servers for optimal workflow
– Updating servers with latest software and patch management
– Configuring new servers and installation hardware
– Teamleader of small team (5 FTE's)

Certifications

Fujitsu Siemens Engineer Certified Fujitsu Siemens Engineer	2004 May
Microsoft Certified System Engineer (MCSE) Certified MCSE 2000	2001 February
Comptia Inet+ Certified Comptia Inet+	1999 August
Comptia N+ Certified Comptia N+	1999 June
Comptia A+ Certified Comptia A+	1999 February
MBO: Public Relations and company communications Graduated on Mercatus College in Rotterdam	1998 July
MAVO Graduated on Riederwaard College in Rotterdam	1995 July

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