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Top Skills

Network Engineering

Zabbix

Linux

Languages

English (Native or Bilingual)

Dutch (Native or Bilingual)

German (Limited Working)

Albanian (Limited Working)

Certifications

Zabbix Certified Specialist

Zabbix Certified Trainer

Advanced Zabbix database monitoring

Zabbix Certified Professional

Publications

The Zabbix Book

Zabbix 5 IT Infrastructure Monitoring Cookbook

Zabbix 6 IT Infrastructure Monitoring Cookbook

Zabbix 7 IT Infrastructure Monitoring Cookbook

Nathan Liefting

IT Consultant Trainer

Haarlem, North Holland, Netherlands

Summary

I praise myself on my ability to pick of a lot of different tasks. Always interested in learning something new and making it my own. But, over the years I have been able to specialise in Networking, Linux and Zabbix monitoring.

Experience

Opensource ICT Solutions

IT Consultant & Zabbix Trainer

April 2020 - Present (6 years 1 month)

Haarlem, North Holland, Netherlands

As an IT Consultant I am tasked with working on many different IT Engineering levels:

- System Management
- Software Management
- Network Engineering
- Automation
- Development

At OpenSource ICT Solutions my job pertains all of these fields working primarily but not exclusively with:

- Linux
- Zabbix
- Python
- Ansible/Git
- Juniper Networks
- Fortigate

Besides doing engineering, I'm also working on:

- Content creation / Marketing
- Writing
- Sales / pre-sales
- Training

TrueFullstaq

1 year 10 months

Teamlead Network Engineering

March 2019 - April 2020 (1 year 2 months)

Amsterdam, North Holland, Netherlands

About halfway through my time at True I had the privilege of being Teamlead for the Network and Datacenter department and leading the changes on our network core. Besides all the tasks in my previous role as Network Engineer at True, I also had to fulfill my tasks as Teamlead to 6 people. These tasks include, but aren't limited to:

- Leading meetings
- Administrative tasks
- Planning

Network Engineer

July 2018 - March 2019 (9 months)

Amsterdam

Development, implementation and troubleshooting of (ethernet)networks.

I had the privilege of being Teamlead for the Network and Datacenter department and leading the changes on our network core. My day to day responsibilities consisted mainly of maintaining and expanding a state of the art core network with:

- EVPN
- VXLAN
- BGP

Specialising in (but not limited to) Juniper Networks:

- Juniper MX
- Juniper SRX
- Juniper EX and QFX

Other vendors and techniques that I worked with here:

- Palo Alto Networks
- Fortinet
- HP Networks
- Extreme Networks
- IKE/IPSEC

Besides Networking I also had the responsibility of maintaining Linux servers on a daily basis and setting up and maintaining our Zabbix monitoring system.

Falco Networks

Network Engineer

June 2016 - June 2018 (2 years 1 month)

Heiloo, North Holland Province, Netherlands

Development, implementation and troubleshooting of (ethernet)networks.

Working on Layer 2 and Layer 3 Networks were daily routine.

Working extensively with:

- Juniper Networks
- Extreme Networks
- Dell Networks
- Fortinet
- Linux
- Zabbix

And with:

- ESXi, VMWare
- Ericsson Networks
- Cumulus Networks
- Cisco
- HP
- Brocade

Also one of my tasks included account/supplier management. Making sure deadlines are met and suppliers actually deliver their services on time.

Dragons Unfold

Founder and General Manager

January 2015 - December 2016 (2 years)

Founder of the E-Sport organisation/gaming community Dragons Unfold with 300+ members. This position required me to communicate with relations for sponsorship, socialising and staying up to date in the E-Sports industry.

Dragons Unfold had a very social and hard working staff and it was great to see everyone bond and work together like a well oiled machine.

- Leading meetings
- Managing relations with sponsors
- Maintaining the IT environment
- Taking job interviews
- Leading a team of volunteers
- Managing relations with E-Sport teams

Wildkamp

Advising Sales

May 2013 - September 2016 (3 years 5 months)

Heiloo

Selling and advising customers with a wide variety of articles for use in construction like pumps, sewage, drainage, plumbing and more.

This job has taught me a lot about customer service.

Picturae

Information Technology Intern

January 2016 - June 2016 (6 months)

Heiloo

My internship at Picturae mainly focused on being the all-round IT employee colleagues could ask for help. Whether people had questions about their broken laptop or if I could move around files from the storage environments. I was the guy they could come to for help. This internship was a combination of Network, Hosting and Office IT.

I also realized a great project where I needed to setup a new office in Montpellier for Picturae.

Picturae

Information Technology Intern

February 2015 - June 2015 (5 months)

Heiloo

Internship at the Picturae ICT. Helping colleagues with their ICT related problems, writing programs to help efficiency, setting up servers and

workstations, realising new working environments and learning a lot about new systems.

This internship at Picturae thought me to be more open minded to other brands and systems. This is where I started to explorer as much options as possible in IT. It made me wanting to (and actually) buying systems, just to start fiddle with them and explorer the possibilities.

Education

ROC Horizon College

MBO4 ICT-Beheerder, ICT · (2013 - 2016)

Jan Arentsz Zuid-Scharwoude

VMBO TL, VMBO TL · (2011 - 2013)

ISW Sweelincklaan

VMBO TL · (2010 - 2011)

ISW Madeweg

HAVO/VMBO TL · (2009 - 2010)