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### **Professional Summary**

Certified and results-driven Network, Cloud and Systems Engineer with expertise in cloud platforms, network and server administration, and systems administration. Proficient in AWS, Azure, and automation tools, with a strong focus on security, scalability, and performance. Passionate about cloud computing, automation, and IT infrastructure optimization. Seeking to apply technical expertise in a dynamic environment, contributing to innovative cloud solutions and digital transformation initiatives.

### **Technical Skills**

- **Network Administration:** Configuring and troubleshooting networks, firewalls, and VPNs. Strong understanding of network security policies and protocols.
- **Systems Administration:** Experienced in Linux (RedHat, Ubuntu) and Windows Server, virtualization, and backup solutions.
- **Cloud Services:** AWS (EC2, S3, IAM, Route 53, Amplify, DynamoDB, etc.) and Microsoft Azure, focusing on security, scalability, and performance.
- Automation & DevOps: Proficient in Terraform, Bash scripting, and Python for efficient infrastructure management.
- Programming: Python and Bash for automation, scripting, and network analysis.
- **Database Management:** AWS DynamoDB and MySQL with secure access protocols and encryption.
- **IT Support & Security:** Resolving technical issues, providing helpdesk support, and implementing cybersecurity best practices.

# **Professional Experience**

## **Cloud/Systems Engineer**

### Jelome Businesses - Accra, Ghana

June 2024 – Present

- Designed and deployed secure cloud environments on AWS, ensuring compliance with industry standards.
- Automated infrastructure provisioning using Terraform, managing AWS resources such as S3, EC2, and IAM.
- Implemented CI/CD pipelines to streamline application deployment and improve operational efficiency.
- Provided technical support, troubleshooting systems issues to ensure optimal performance and uptime.

## Water Generator Pump Mechanic

### Cobbygiant Mining Company - Accra, Ghana

2016 – 2021

- Diagnosed, repaired, and maintained water generator pumps for mining operations.
- Conducted routine inspections and implemented preventive maintenance procedures.
- Worked collaboratively to ensure minimal downtime and operational continuity.

### **Notable Projects**

### Home Server and Website Hosting

- Designed and configured a home server to host a WordPress website: <u>yelom.online</u> on AWS EC2.
- Performed end-to-end server setup and configuration, ensuring secure and reliable access.

- Migrated the website from a home server to an **AWS EC2 instance**, leveraging AWS services for performance and scalability.
- Managed domain registration and DNS configurations via Hostinger.

## Portfolio Website Hosting on Linode

- Hosted a professional portfolio website on Linode cloud: jelomebusinesses.com.
- Independently handled **server setup**, **deployment**, **and configuration**, gaining hands-on experience in system administration.
- Optimized the website for performance, security, and responsiveness.

### Education

- Azubi Africa (Remote) Cloud and DevOps Engineering Graduated: September 2024
- IPMC College of Technology Diploma in Information Technology (Specialization: Systems Engineering) Graduated: September 2023

### Certifications

- Microsoft Certified: Azure Fundamentals
- Diploma in Systems Engineering (IPMC College of Technology)
- Data Analytics Certificate JOMACSIT, Canada (Remote)
- Cloud/DevOps Engineer Certificate Azubi Africa
- AWS Certified Developer Associate (In Progress)
- Cisco Networking Essentials
- Cisco Endpoint Security and Introduction to Cybersecurity

### References

Available upon request.