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<b>Jimmy Sampson</b> (US Citizen) <span style="float: right;"><b>Posted by: Individual</b></span>		Tot Exp : 12 Yrs	<b>Preferred Employment</b>	Available as of Jan-17-11
<b>Sys Admin/Network;</b> <b>NT Admin</b>		US Exp : 12 Yrs		
Dallas, TX	Ph(C) :	Salary : Market	Corp-Corp	<a href="#">Email [Check Availability]</a> <a href="#">Forward Profile/Resume</a> <input type="checkbox"/> <a href="#">Save in Scratchpad</a>  <a href="#">Download Resume</a> <small>Only for Premium Access</small>
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Linux > 1 yrs	Cisco > 1 yrs	IIS > 6 yrs	DNS > 8 yrs	Need H1B <span style="color: red;">✗</span>
Windows 2003 > 6 yrs	LAN > 6 yrs	SAN > 2 yrs	WAN > 1 yrs	
Security, ACTIVE DIRECTORY, IIS, ACCESS, DNS, SQL Server, VMWare, Windows 2003, ASP, LAN, Linux, Operating System, SAN, SQL, WAN, Windows 2000, .Net, Apple Mac, Blade Server, Cisco				
Preferred Time to Call :				
Corp-Corp Info : Netroplex Computer Solutions LLC; Jimmy Sampson;				
Notes :				
Domain Experience : <b>Financial, IT/Software</b>				

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**Salary Requirements:**

Annual: \$85,000+ USD  
 Local Hourly: \$45.00 - \$55.00 USD (6+ Month Contract, Contract to Hire)  
 Texas - Outside of Dallas Hourly: \$50.00+ USD  
 Relocate Domestic or International Hourly: \$50.00-\$95.00 USD (varies per region)  
 Bill Rate Options: W2, 1099, and Corp to Corp (Netroplex Computer Solutions, LLC \$1,000,000 General Liability insured)  
 Current Location: Dallas, TX  
 Availability - Immediately (no notice time needed)

(Available for temp relocation and up to 100% Domestic \ International Travel)

**OBJECTIVES**

Willing to offer my experience and expertise in systems administration to assist a company in accomplishing their immediate and future goals while also learning from other individuals in my work environment.

**EDUCATION**

Texas State Technical College - Waco  
Associate Degree of Applied Science in Computer Networking & Systems Administration

**CERTIFICATIONS**

Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer (MCSE) - Active  
 CCNA - Expired  
 CCNP - Expired

**EXPERIENCE**

Verizon Telecom \ Frontier Communications (Contractor) - Ft. Wayne, IN  
 October 2009 to November 2010  
 Sr. Systems Administrator

Working on a project to recreate \ replicate an existing data center server configuration over to a new physical data center. Main role is providing MS Windows systems administration and ASP \ .Net application support for over 200 servers.

Support all video operations for FIOS Television at 3 VHO's in different regions of the U.S. to insure customers receive uninterrupted video services such as standard and high definition video content, Widgets, interactive guide data, Video On Demand, Set-top box functionality, etc.

Build, install, and administer various Windows 2003 & 2008 Application Servers including such services as IIS 6 \ 7, SQL Server 2005 \ 2008, Active Directory, SharePoint, etc.

Manage servers and applications in various VHO's (Video Hub Offices).

Troubleshooting connectivity issues between servers, DMZ's, and firewalls.

Microsoft SCOM 2007 for systems management, monitoring, and reporting.

Monitoring, troubleshooting, and resolving server outages.

VMware ESXi 4 \ vSphere server administration.

Clustering and load balancing technology support.

Independent Small Business IT Consultant - Dallas, TX

June 2009 to October 2009

IT Consultant

Provide IT support to local small businesses. (General networking, MS Small Business Server, Desktop Support, network documentation and design, server and network monitoring, Internet and Email installation \ support.)

EDS an HP Company (Continental Airlines Account) - Plano, TX

May 2008 to June 2009

Sr. Systems Administrator

Was part of a 25 member team that managed 1700+ enterprise Windows 2000 \ 2003 \ 2008 servers that included Active Directory, DNS, WINS, DHCP, and various services and applications.

Manage Windows Server 2008 and Hyper-V hosts and virtual guests.

Build, install, and administer various Windows 2003 Application Servers on Compaq/HP DL 380, DL 360, DL 385, blade servers and Dell 2650's.

Microsoft MOM and SCOM 2007 for systems management and monitoring.

HP SIM for managing system hardware.

Microsoft patch management using Update Expert.

Microsoft System Center Configuration Manager (SCCM) for patch management.

Resource usage\performance report creation and management.

Respond to and resolve critical system outages as they occur by communicating and troubleshooting with network and app teams as needed.

Manage issues of different severity levels while documenting troubleshooting progress in Peregrine ticketing system.

Troubleshoot complex operating system and application issues then implementing a resolution to meet contracted LOS agreements.

Participate in on-call rotation.

Intranet Team Website Admin (Migrated ASP site to SharePoint 2007 – Install, administer and maintain SharePoint Server 2007)

Brightstor Enterprise Backup to backup\restore production servers.

Clustering setup and support for various applications (Hyper-V, Exchange 2003, SQL, file\print)

Administer multiple HP fiber & iSCSI SAN-based servers.

Data Delivery Services - Plano, TX

September 2004 to May 2008

Systems Engineer

Part of a small 3 member team to design, support, and manage over 250 enterprise Windows 2000 \ 2003 servers that included services such as Active Directory, DNS, MS SQL, and Exchange, to support customized .NET and ASP hosted and standalone applications.

Install, manage, backup, and troubleshoot the Microsoft Exchange Server 2003 email. Manage client access with Internet Protocols (SMTP, POP3, OWA) and configure and troubleshoot mobile device connectivity (Blackberry, Treo, etc.)

Install and manage multiple SQL Server 2000\2005 systems, backup\restore databases, use TSQL statements to run basic queries for data to use in troubleshooting.

Setup security and manage access to system and databases.

Use VBScript to automate administration tasks.

Install and configure server farms running IIS 6, setup sites to use SSL certificates, manage URL's with registrars and configure or make DNS requests for proper website access. Review logs to troubleshoot problems.

Configure Microsoft Application Center 2000 to replicate website code across IIS server farms to provide failover and maintain file integrity.

Use VMware ESXi virtualization to setup development domain environment used to test Active Directory GPO changes, new software installations, research and test different operating systems such as Linux.

Implement F5 and Microsoft load balancing to provide high-availability and maintain performance of web applications.

Install and manage Snort and ISS RealSecure IDS systems. Update and tune rules and policies to provide the best security implementation for the environment.

Work with in-house Security Engineer to implement security measures to maintain SOX, PCI, and SAS 70 Compliance.

Install and configure Solarwinds and Nagios software on multiple Fedora Linux servers to monitor server\website up\down and performance status. Setup alerts to be sent to IT personnel via email\text messages to allow 24 hour response to problems as they occur.

Build, install, and administer various Windows 2003 Application Servers on Compaq/HP DL380, DL360, and Blade servers in colocation datacenters.

Maintain and create network diagrams\documentation using Visio, Excel, and Word.

Manage Symantec Enterprise anti-virus solution to protect servers and workstations.

Research and test new technologies to consider implementing as new solutions to business needs. Spec and design new systems to accommodate provided budget.

Patch installation and management using Microsoft WSUS 3. Schedule outages with business analysts and clients to minimize impact of productivity while performing server updates and maintenance.

Use Microsoft Baseline Security Analyzer to expose security vulnerabilities in servers and to comply with recommended security configurations.

Use Terminal Services and VNC for remote server management at offsite enterprise data centers.

Research event logs and run performance monitoring tools to troubleshoot network and server performance issues as needed.

Troubleshoot\repair end user desktops\laptops (Windows and Apple Mac OS X) and perform day to day maintenance with software, hardware, patches, Cisco VPN, and email.

Assist Network Engineer with LAN/WAN design and provide backup network support as needed with Cisco router and switch configurations and troubleshooting, VLAN and port management on Cisco 4000 and 2900 series Catalyst Switches.

EDS (Texas Instruments & Xerox Accounts) - Dallas, TX

March 1998 to September 2004

Sr. Systems Administrator

Troubleshoot\monitor server and LAN/WAN issues then resolve them to meet Level of Service.

Use Network Associates Sniffer and Fluke products to analyze\troubleshoot network issues.

Recommend technologies and hardware to increase server performance and reliability.

Build, install, and administer various Windows NT\2000 Application Servers on Compaq/HP platform that utilized RAID 1\5 drive configurations.

Hardware monitoring with CIMSIM to notify team via email\text of hardware failures such as drives, processors, RAM, fans, etc.

Configure Advanced Hostmonitor to monitor up\down status of server and LAN/WAN devices.

Provide reports to management to display system up/down time to compare to LOS agreements.  
 Backup\Recovery using BrighStor\ARCserve to backup data to tape and store offsite.  
 Compaq\HP SAN administration, configure SmartPath, create LUNS and manage server access to storage and Tape Library.  
 Manage issues of different severity levels while documenting troubleshooting progress in Remedy.  
 Support software\hardware issues with end user desktops and laptops, deploy and test new applications, patches, service packs, and ensure virus definitions are current.  
 Use Symantec Ghost to deploy systems and make backup images.

TECHNICAL SUMMARY

Operating Systems: Windows NT Server and Workstation 4.0, Windows XP, Windows Vista, Windows 7, Windows 98, Small Business Server, Windows 2000 and Windows Server 2003 & 2008, MS-DOS, Fedora Linux, Apple Mac OS X  
 Databases: SQL Server 2000, SQL Server 2005 \ 2008  
 Programming Languages: HTML, T-SQL  
 Tools: Nagios, Solarwinds, Snort, ISS RealSecure  
 Software: IIS 5, IIS 6, IIS 7, VMWare, Active Directory, Exchange Server 2003, Microsoft Baseline Security Analyzer, Microsoft WSUS, F5 Load Balancer  
 Hardware: Compaq and HP Servers, Cisco routers and switches  
 Additional services and components: Windows and SQL2000 clustering and load balancing, SAN technology, SMTP, FTP, TCP/IP, ODBC, DNS, SSL, PCI & SOX  
 Industries: Banking and Credit Card, Semi Conductor, IT Consulting, Airlines, Broadband Television

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