

Job Description

Title: Senior Network Engineer
Division: Technology Infrastructure
Status: Full-time
Location: Reston, VA

Reports to: Lead Network Engineer
FLSA Classification: Salaried/Exempt
Salary Grade: TBD
Travel: up-to 10% of time

Purpose: To be instrumental in performing vital daily operational tasks on firewalls, routers, switches, load-balancers, and wireless systems in data centers and on our customer premises.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

- Resolve incidents, problems, and change requests in accordance with service-level agreements (SLA's) and approved maintenance windows
- Monitor ticket queues during normal business hours
- Participate in an after-hours and holiday on-call rotation with other network technicians
- Explain and discuss technical issues with customers in face-to-face meetings and conference calls; including regularly scheduled customer update calls and architecture reviews
- Proactively identify customer problems and future needs
- Collaborate on design and implement network and security solutions
- Work with higher-level engineers to design network and security solutions
- Install and configure hardware and software according to design specifications
- Test and troubleshoot new installations
- Produce and maintain documentation
- Work with standard, portable document formats (PNG, PDF, etc.)
- Develop professional diagrams and illustrations with software such as Visio, OmniGraffle, and Dia
- Supplement existing documentation to reflect all new changes to an environment
- Correct errors and deficiencies & continuously expand product proficiency/product diversity
- Adopt a vendor-agnostic approach to problem solving; find and use the right product or combination of products for the customer
- Test new products and features in a lab environment
- Work closely and collaborate with higher and lower level technicians and engineers
- Other duties as assigned

Qualifications:

- 7+ years of experience in an operations support/Network Engineer
- SME with network, storage, design, and server hardware specifications
- Exceptional operations support experience in multi-vendor network and IT systems to include virtualized networks.
- Excellent troubleshooting skills; TCP/IP Networking; DNS; Security Devices [firewalls (UTM & NGFW), IDS/IPS, SIEM]; Routing & Switching; Wireless Networking; Command-Line Interfaces; and basic Linux skills (file management and text editing)
- Experienced in some of, but not limited to, the following manufacturers' product lines: Cisco, WatchGuard, FortiNet, Palo Alto Networks, Juniper, Sophos, F5

Other desired knowledge, skills or attributes:

- Experience in working with or for a MSSP
- Curiosity and strong desire to constantly learn
- A self-starter with the ability to work in a fast paced and ever-changing environment
- Excellent oral and communication skills
- Strong ability to balance multiple priorities in a high demand environment

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