Kenisha Therkildsen

Cloud Engineer

Profile

Details

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I am an experienced Cloud Engineer with over 3 years of experience in the field. I have a strong background in deploying and managing cloud-based infrastructures, as well as developing and implementing strategies to optimize cloud performance. I have expertise in Amazon Web Services (AWS) and Microsoft Azure, as well as a variety of other cloud-based technologies. I am highly skilled in developing and managing cloud architecture, deploying applications, monitoring performance, and troubleshooting issues. I am also well-versed in DevOps and CI/CD principles, and have experience in automating processes using scripting, version control, and orchestration tools. I am a great team player with excellent communication skills and an aptitude for problem-solving.

Employment History

Lead Cloud Engineer at IBM, NY

Jan 2023 - Present

- Led the successful deployment of a cloud-native platform to over 100 servers, reducing costs by 40% and enhancing scalability.
- Provided technical guidance and support to over 50 developers in the transition from traditional to cloud-based development processes, resulting in a 20% increase in productivity.
- Developed an automated process for deployment of cloud applications that reduced deployment time from days to minutes and improved the accuracy of deployments.
- Created a cost-effective automation strategy for cloud resource management that resulted in a 30% savings in cloud resource utilization.

Senior Cloud Engineer at Microsoft, NY

Sep 2020 - Nov 2022

- Developed and implemented a cloud migration plan to move over 500 virtual machines from on-premise to Azure, reducing costs by 30% within 6 months.
- Led the development of a new cloud-based disaster recovery system, increasing reliability and reducing recovery time from 8 hours to 2 hours.
- Established an automated process for provisioning new virtual machines, improving deployment time from 4 days to 2 hours.
- Built an automated process for monitoring and managing cloud resources, reducing manual effort by 70%.

Education

Bachelor of Science in Cloud Engineering at Columbia University, NY

Aug 2016 - May 2020