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Network Specialist I Las Vegas Office

Position

Under direction of the Systems Manager this position is responsible for enterprise IT security as well as primary help desk support for all agency offices. The position will also be involved in network, server, and desktop support for all agency operations. The position requires enterprise IT security experience, helpdesk experience, networking experience with Juniper equipment, proficiency with Microsoft and Linux operating systems and VMware virtualization. The qualified individual will assist with developing and supporting IT security strategies and identifying, evaluating, and implementing new technologies.

Description

The qualified individual will:

Manage the enterprise IT security from perimeter to endpoint across all internal, DMZ, local and wide area networks. Manage network security testing and mitigation including penetration testing, data loss prevention testing, intrusion detection and prevention. Evaluate, and suggest improvements on existing security settings for all IT servers and network equipment, audit access control lists of file shares and other systems.

Provide level I and II technical support to all agency users assisting them with hardware, software, and network problems. Install, upgrade, and support desktop and laptop computers, printers, and other peripherals. Perform computer imaging, software deployment, and patch management. Support the physical network infrastructure including wired and wireless Local Area Networks (LAN), Wide Area Networks (WAN), and Virtual Private Networks (VPN).

Conduct product evaluations and recommend new technologies that best fit agency needs. Participate in establishing and enforcing access and data security standards. Assist in performance of backup and recovery procedures and other related functions to insure data integrity, reliability, and business continuity. Contribute to disaster recovery planning through risk analysis of systems, networks, and other components of the agency IT ecosystem.

Primary Requirements

Candidates must meet or exceed the following experience levels: 2+ years of enterprise IT security, 2+ years network and server administration, 2+ years of datacenter virtualization, 2+ years of backup and disaster recovery, 2+ years of helpdesk experience, 2+ years of desktop support.

Candidates must also be able to demonstrate proficiency with Windows and Linux operating systems, VMware vSphere, Active Directory, Windows Deployment Services, HP and Dell server and workstation hardware and Juniper network equipment.

Other Requirements

- Excellent customer service skills
- Extensive knowledge of computer technology
- Ability to manage agency network components
- Ability to identify and recommend new technologies
- Ability to manage agency high speed network links
- Ability to identify and solve problems quickly and logically
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with staff
- Ability to communicate effectively, verbally and in writing
- Utilize Board policies that affect the Gaming Control Board's strategic planning efforts in regards to computing and business systems delivery
- Help identify and implement best practices as they relate to systems management in existing and future Board projects.
- Work with internal and external customers in defining business needs and identifying cooperative relationships to improve business processes
- Help establish security policies and procedures for system and applications
- Meet on a regular basis with IT management, project managers, and staff as needed to ensure proper communication flow, project status, and implementation schedules

- Resolve issues presented by management, staff, and business users regarding work processes, policies, procedures, and methods
- Strong interpersonal and communication skills are critical to the job

Knowledge of: Principles, organization, planning, project management, and current computer industry technology and practices; principles of information systems design.

Top 5 required technical skills:

- 1. Enterprise IT Security
- 2. Windows and Linux Operating Systems
- 3. VMware vSphere
- 4. Juniper Network Equipment
- 5. Windows Deployment Services

Education and/or Work Experience

Graduation from an accredited college with an Bachelor's degree in computer science, management information systems, or closely related field and two years of experience particularly in the fields detailed under the "Primary Requirements" section above, or an equivalent combination of education and experience.

To Apply

Applicants will be required to undergo mandatory drug testing prior to being appointed to the position.

The starting salary will be contingent upon education and experience. The salary ranges are: Minimum \$41,630.00 and the maximum of \$69,384.00 (employee/employer paid retirement) or; Minimum \$37,211.00 and the maximum of \$62,019.00 (employer paid)

All applicants who meet the minimum qualifications are eligible to apply for this position and may do so by completing an application on the Gaming Control Board Website @ https://gaming.nv.gov/jobapp

Applications will be accepted until recruitment is satisfied.