#### **CONTACT**

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### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

• Cloud & Container
Platforms: AWS (EC2, S3, RDS,
CloudWatch, EKS, IAM,
CloudTrail, GuardDuty), Azure
AD, Kubernetes, Docker

**Infrastructure as Code:** Terraform, Helm, Ansible

CI/CD & Automation: Jenkins, Harness, Git/GitHub, Python, Bash

Monitoring & Observability: Prometheus, Grafana, ElasticStack, FluentD, Splunk, Datadog

**Security & Compliance:** IAM, MFA, SSO, CompTIA Security+, KMS, WAF, CrowdStrike

Systems & Networking: Windows Server, RHEL, Active Directory, Group Policy, TCP/IP, VPN, Firewalls

**Collaboration & ITSM:** ServiceNow, JIRA, Confluence, SharePoint

**Programming & DB:** SQL, Java, C++

- Networking: TCP/IP, VPN, Subnets, Firewalls
- OS Administration: Windows Server, RHEL, Active Directory, LDAP, Group Policy

# FAHAD MAHMOOD (Active Public Trust)

# **LAN Support Administrator**

# **SUMMARY**

**AWS Certified Cloud Architect** & LAN Support Admin at **Leidos** with experience delivering enterprise-scale infrastructure solutions and supporting hybrid AWS/on-prem environments for federal clients. Skilled in Kubernetes cluster management, Infrastructure as Code **(Terraform, Helm)**, CI/CD pipelines (Jenkins, Harness), and observability tools **(Prometheus, Grafana, ElasticStack, CloudWatch, Splunk)**. Adept at automating workflows, troubleshooting high-traffic production systems, and optimizing performance across multi-site deployments. Holds **CompTIA Security+ and Public Trust clearance**, with a strong foundation in **DevOps**, Site Reliability Engineering (SRE), and security best practices.

# **CERTIFICATIONS**

- AWS Cloud Solutions Architect SAA-C03
- CompTIA Security+ (SY0-701)
- Google UX Design

# **EXPERIENCE**

**LAN Support Administrator** 

(May 2024 - Current)

**Client:** Social Security Administration HQ

#### **LEIDOS**

- Support hybrid AWS/on-prem infrastructure, managing Active Directory, Microsoft
  Exchange, and identity workflows across 7,000+ federal users while maintaining 99.9%
  system uptime.
- Contribute to **CI/CD delivery** by provisioning, configuring, and monitoring test and production environments using AWS CloudWatch, **Terraform**, **and Ansible**.
- Participate in Kubernetes cluster maintenance and troubleshooting for internal applications, ensuring secure container orchestration and performance optimization.
- Utilize Infrastructure as Code (IaC) to streamline provisioning of user accounts, policies, and resources, reducing onboarding time by 30%.
- Collaborate with **DevOps teams** on pipeline automation, integrating security and compliance checks into Jenkins and Harness deployments.
- Leverage monitoring and logging tools (**Splunk, CloudWatch, Elastic Stack**) to detect, analyze, and resolve incidents in high-traffic environments.
- Document incident root causes and mitigation strategies in post-incident reports, contributing to infrastructure performance and resilience improvements.

# Desktop Support Engineer | NIH (May 2023 - May 2024)

- Delivered Tier II/III technical support for 3,000+ users, managing AD accounts, secure configurations, and device onboarding using automated scripts and group policies.
- Supported hybrid cloud workflows by troubleshooting AWS-hosted application connectivity and Microsoft Exchange mail flow.
- Assisted in deploying and monitoring workloads in Kubernetes and Docker-based test

#### **KEY SKILLS**

- Troubleshooting & Problem-Solving
- Network & Cloud Management
- IT Helpdesk & User Support

- environments.
- Authored step-by-step knowledge base documentation, enhancing first-contact resolution rate by 15%.
- Utilized event logs and monitoring tools to identify recurring infrastructure issues, recommending long-term fixes to senior engineers.

## IT Technician | Montgomery College (Sept 2018 - Dec 2020)

- Responded to technical support incidents across campus labs and administrative offices, achieving a 75% improvement in customer satisfaction through timely issue resolution and clear communication.
- Configured, repaired, and deployed end-user hardware and software, reducing equipment **downtime by 20%** and improving operational efficiency for faculty and staff.
- Performed hands-on troubleshooting and maintenance of desktops, laptops, printers, and AV equipment, ensuring adherence to institutional IT standards.
- Created **user-facing knowledge articles** for frequently asked IT issues, improving self-service support adoption and enhancing overall user satisfaction by **25%**.
- Supported Microsoft Exchange distribution list updates and mailbox access requests, ensuring accurate directory listings and seamless communication across academic departments.
- Performed hands-on diagnostics of hardware, software, and peripheral devices, utilizing
   Windows Event Viewer and system logs to identify root causes and reduce equipment
   downtime by 20%.

# **EDUCATION**

B.S. in Information Systems – UMBC, Baltimore, MD

# **Cloud Experience**

### **AWS Hybrid Infrastructure Automation & Monitoring**

Built and managed a hybrid AWS/on-prem environment with **EKS Kubernetes clusters**, **automated deployments via Terraform and Helm, and CI/CD** pipelines using Jenkins and Harness. Implemented centralized monitoring with Prometheus, **Grafana, ElasticStack**, and CloudWatch, improving deployment speed by **50%** and enhancing platform reliability through proactive alerting and automated remediation.