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18 years in industry, 8 years' Qlik experience, International Award Winning Team and **UK Citizen**.

KEY SKILLS

Qlik | Business Intelligence | Data Engineering | Consultant | Manager | Software Developer | DevOps

EDUCATION

B.ENG, Electrical - University Of Johannesburg 1995 - 2000

CT1 | CT2 - Faculty Of Actuaries UK 2014 | Financial Mathematics and Finance and Financial Reporting

QlikView11 Certification | Accounting (101, 102), Informatics (Non Degree Purposes) UNISA

EXPERIENCE

CONSULTING MANAGER | SOUTH AFRICA QLIK MASTER RESELLER, JOHANNESBURG

AUGUST 2018 - AUGUST 2010

Award winning Team: Qlik International Master Reseller of the Year 2018.

Excellent Progression from Consultant to Consulting Manager.

» Expert Level - QlikView and Qlik Sense BI Consulting;

- Multiple Projects at South Africa's big 3 Banks (*incl' Barclays Africa.*) and Large Insurers (*3 Million Members*)
- Wide range of Industries: Banking, Insurance, Sales, Manufacturing, Non Profit, Fleet, Pharma, Mining.
- Developed BI for: Sales, HR, Finance, Debtors, Inventory, Bespoke, Extensions, Fleet.

» Management of Team - 6 Members;

- Transformed utilization from 54% to 79% utilised in 10 Months, in 2019, without losing staff ²⁰¹⁹

» New Business Development;

- Implemented Enterprise Strategy; Deployed 4 Consultants into Large Bank on 6 Months Contracts ²⁰¹⁹
- Pre-Sales: Proof of Concept, 18'000 User Site for QlikView to Sense Migration ²⁰¹⁹
- Public Speaking – Presented at SAQlik Conference to 200 people ²⁰¹⁷
- Training – Trained over 400 people on QlikView.

SENIOR SQL DEVELOPER | QUALICA TECHNOLOGIES, JOHANNESBURG

JULY 2009 - AUGUST 2010

Responsible for databases / support developers across company.

» Resolve SQL Replication Issues - Sybase ASE / ASA on System with over 100 replicated databases.

» Migrate Radix codebase 500k lines source, from Subversion to Git. Train incoming team on branching/merging/deploy.

RADIX FINANCIAL - TEAM LEAD | QUALICA TECHNOLOGIES, JOHANNESBURG

JANUARY 2004 - AUGUST 2010

System Developer, promoted to take over role played by Director and Architect.

» Full Product Life Cycle Experience, built from scratch to 100+ servers, deployed across 7 countries.

» Bank branch interface and bespoke GL for banking application.

» 10 Million+ invoices per year. System invoices £100M per year.

» DevOps - 3rd level support – 120 Linux Servers – Originally Debian, later Ubuntu LTE.

» Personally resolved over 1000 support tickets on technical problems for application, system administration and SQL replication.

- » Quotes, Technical Specifications, Requirements analysis.
- » Data migration of one of South Africa's top five e-commerce sites (by monetary value)
- » Manage the merging of the Radix Team into primary development team.

FREELANCE DEVELOPER | FREELANCE, JOHANNESBURG

MARCH 2003 - DECEMBER 2003

Various web projects + 7 month death march contract to develop the software that became the successful Radix Financial Project.

ISP and Embedded Team Lead | INFOSAT , JOHANNESBURG

MARCH 2001 - FEBRUARY 2003

Linux and Embedded Development, ISP specializing in the Satellite Bandwidth Distribution, Web mail and TV Set Top Boxes. Technologies; PHP, MySQL, LDAP, C++, C, IP Multicast, Delphi. Initially Developer, promoted to Team Lead.

NOTABLE PROJECTS

- » South Africa's big 3 Banks: Multiple consulting projects, departmental and bank wide.
- » Full Suite of QlikView Analytics for 3 Million Member Insurer ;
 - QlikView Apps for New Business, Claims, Customer Master, Operations
 - Migrated QlikView to Qlik Sense for Large Insurer
 - Qlik Sense Apps for Customer Experience, NPS, Investment (AUM)
- » JSE - Stock Market - I used 3 years of Orders and Trades data, to implement alternative order and trade pricing models for business to evaluate. 2 Billion Rows of Data.
- » AUM model for a 300 Billion Rand Stockbroking Firm (Including calc daily balance for CFD)
- » Full suite of BI Dashboards for one of the largest Steel Distributors in South Africa
- » Personally Trained over 400 people in QlikView (2 days a month for 6 years.)
- » Presented at South Africa Qlik Summit to 200 people.

SKILLS

- » Qlik Sense, QlikView, NPrinting, QMC
- » Qlik Extensions (Example; Dynamic Visualisation of 8000 Parking Bays.)
- » SQL, Python, C, C++, Perl, bash, javascript
- » ETL (Data Wrangling)
- » Oracle, MS SQL, Sybase ASE, MySQL, REST data via APIs
- » Consulting, Presentation, Communication, Manage, Negotiate

PERSONAL INTERESTS

Hobby Coding | Learning Mandarin | Mountain Biking