

Network Engineering Director

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Position Overview:

Acordis is looking for an energetic professional to manage, lead and own the IT Network Engineering group reporting to the Chief Technology Officer. The Network Engineering Director will ensure operational performance and service levels are met or exceeded across the entire IT network infrastructure. An ability to think ahead of the curve and understanding of how to manage and prioritize risk (probability vs impact) is critical to the success of Acordis, IT Infrastructure and key for this leader to role model.

Key Responsibilities:

- Lead operations and monitoring strategy, development, design, and implement proactive solutions to reduce time to repair (TTR)
- Responsible for monitoring of IP Services, Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol, IP Management, Firewall, Server Load Balancing, network elements, etc
- Design, implementation and effective evolution of network infrastructure and security policies, practices, and standards that ensure effective and consistent network processing operations.
- Hiring, training, coaching and evaluating performance of all team members.
- Serving as a voice for network architecture, design & planning in support of business continuity and disaster recovery
- Serving as a focal point of contact within Network team for IP Services related topics
- Responsible for performance, capacity planning and monitoring of key network service delivery channels, to include network, voice, internet, extranet, circuit, etc
- Collaborates with the organization's executive leadership to develop and meet company goals while supplying expertise and guidance on Network processes, systems and security.

This Job is Right for You if You Have (Minimum Requirements):

- Bachelor's Degree in Computer Science or related field experience.
- Five+ years of Network leadership experience with a minimum of five (5) years at a manager level.
- Expertise in driving a culture of automation to optimize operations with a focus on how to improve operational performance, resource utilization, productivity, and reliability along with scalability.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Experience and success in designing, implementing and managing a secure network that employs all modern defenses and capabilities
- Experience in WAN, LAN, IP (DNS, DHCP, MPLS, etc), GSLB, Network Layers, Interfaces & protocols in a large scale multi locational environment
- Expertise in establishing strong governance with effective processes, procedures, utilizing key IT service management (ITSM) techniques, policies, along with establishing SLA's, KPIs and other key operational metrics.
- CCNP or CCIE Routing and Switching is required. (certification(s)
- Experience developing and maintaining both Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity strategies
- Experience establishing proactive operations, standardization efforts, and appropriate toolsets with automation and orchestration that will transform much of IT operations in all core areas.
- In-depth experience in ensuring the optimal management of system availability, performance, and capacity management for the core network infrastructure.
- Has established modern monitoring frameworks and toolsets with dashboards, metrics, and reports across all infrastructure and security areas.
- Requires excellent writing skills to support document project plans, procedures, policies and general staff, management and communication
- Outstanding verbal communication skills; proven ability to communicate effectively at all levels.
- Ability to provide consultation and expert advice to management.
- Ability to make informal and formal presentations, inside and outside the organization; speaking before assigned team or other groups as needed.
- Ability to deal with complex difficult problems involving multiple facets and variables in non-standardized situations.
- Risk management and Controls and Compliance skills relative to the operational
 and engineering responsibilities; ensuring the appropriate risk mitigation tactics
 are developed and in place.
- Experience with direct management of cross-functional, sourced, or matrixed teams
- Experience in networking, hardware, operating systems, cloud, and enabling technologies such as middleware and databases
- Experience understanding of the quality assurance, risk management, and security considerations and their impact on overall technology environment.

- Experience with and knowledge of IT outsourcing activities in a managed services environment preferred.
- Experience in business systems and process planning specifically in semiconductor or manufacturing industry preferred.

Company Profile:

Acordis International Corp is leader in Technology & Solutions. Acordis works closely with clients to develop, implement, and support specific solutions to diverse network, communication, and information infrastructure needs. Acordis specializes in Data Management, Infrastructure Management, Storage Management, Systems Architecture, Managed IT services, IT Security, Cloud services, Digital Signage, Virtualization, Multifunctional Printers, Managed Print Services, Document Management Solutions, VOIP, and Wireless Networking solutions.

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