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PROFILE

IT professional with two decades of experience from multiple fields. Committed and always eager to learn.

For over than a decade, I have been building successful managed infrastructure services, responsible for product development, service delivery, presales, and security. In 2018, I went back to school to complete my Master's degree. Currently looking for fun things to do in the IT industry!

EDUCATION

MSC, COMP. SCI.

University of Helsinki (2019 - 2020)

Networking and Services specialization, with advanced studies in distributed systems, cloud and IoT. Master's thesis: <http://urn.fi/URN:NBN:fi:hulib-202005202233>

BSC, COMP. SCI.

University of Helsinki (1999 - 2019)

Full basic studies in both Mathematics and Statistics in addition to basic and intermediate studies in Computer Science.

WORK

LEAD
TECHNOLOGIST

DataCenter Finland Oy (2/2018 - 8/2018)

- Product management and presales for managed services
- Data center integration
- Vendor and subcontractor management

CTO, ICT SERVICES

Vincit (2015 - 2018)

- Product management and presales for managed services
- Technology strategy
- Security operations, CERT team lead
- Vendor and subcontractor management

CTO, PARTNER

Javerdel Oy (2014-2015)

- Product management and presales for managed services
- Technology strategy
- Security operations, CERT team lead
- Vendor and subcontractor management

TECHNOLOGY
DIRECTOR,
PARTNER

Javerdel Oy (2010-2014)

- Product management and presales for managed services
- Data center network architecture design
- Service delivery
- Vendor and subcontractor management

SERVICE MANAGER,
PARTNER

Javerdel Oy (2009-2010)

- Product management and presales for network services
- Team leadership
- Data center network architecture design
- Service delivery

NETWORK
ARCHITECT

Javerdel Oy (2006-2009)

- Data center network architecture design
- LAN & WAN network architecture design for customers
- Managed network service product development
- Service delivery, project management

SYSTEM SPECIALIST

Javerdel Oy (2001-2006)

- Linux system administration
- Hosting automation + UI design and development
- Software development (PHP, Perl, Python, MySQL)

SOFTWARE
DEVELOPER

OpenMobile (2000-2001)

- OSS mobile gateway software development (C, Java)

SKILLS

PRESALES

Tech pitching, turning complex into simple

MANAGED SERVICES

Product management, service delivery

LEADERSHIP

Geek-to-suit translation, organizational transformation

INFRASTRUCTURE

Networks, cloud, virtualization, data centers, Linux

CODE

A programmer since elementary school

LANGUAGES

Native Finnish, fluent English, basic Swedish

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FINNISH

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ENGLISH

Fluent

SWEDISH

Basic