

Devon Gayle Bio

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE



A post graduate Information & Communication Technology professional with over five (5) years' Senior Executive experience, over twenty (20) years' experience in Computer Systems Operations, Data and Voice Communication Network installation, configuration, administration and maintenance; fifteen (15) years' experience in a Cisco TCP/IP based WAN and LAN environment within a utility company, with a 24/7 operation in over thirty (30) locations.

Skills include implementation of PBX Systems, Interactive Voice Response Systems, ERP Systems, Geographic Information Systems, Financial Information Systems, Customer Information Systems, Email Systems, Telemetry Systems, Unix (Solaris, AIX), Oracle Databases, Cyber Security, TCP/IP, VOIP, Gigabit Ethernet, Wi-Fi, Fibre Optics, Windows NT4, 2000, server 2003, XP, 7, 8, 10, server2008, Server 2012.

EDUCATION

Master of Science Degree, Digital Technology - University of the West Indies, Kingston, Jamaica, 2003.

Bachelor of Science Degree, Electronics (Hons) - University of the West Indies, Kingston, Jamaica, 1992.

Certificate in Project Management Practices & Principles – University of New Orleans Executive Education – February 1999.

Certificate of Achievement in Principles & Practices of Project Management – University of the West Indies – November 2013.

Mastery in Applying Project Management - Project Management Global Institute (PMGI) – September 2017 to December 2017.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Institute of Electrical & Electronics Engineers (IEEE), Inc.

- Chairman, IEEE Communication Society, Jamaica Chapter
- Chairman, IEEE Region 3, Area 9, 2006-2008
- Chairman, IEEE Jamaica Section, 2002-2005
- Primary Delegate to IEEE Sections Congress 2002/2005
- Vice-Chairman, IEEE Jamaica Section, 2000-2001

- IEEE Professional Activities Council for Engineers (PACE) Chairman, Jamaica Section, 1997-2001.
- Secretary, IEEE Jamaica Section, 1998-1999.
- Treasurer, IEEE Jamaica Section, 1995-1998.
- Member; IEEE Communications Society.
- Member; IEEE Computer Society
- Member, IEEE Engineering Management Society.
- Member, IEEE Consumer Electronics Society.
- Member, IEEE Standards Association.

Other Activities and Achievements

- Member of the National Cyber Security Task Force
- ARIN 31 Caribbean Fellow
- Second Vice President, Webster Memorial United Church Men's Fellowship, 2013 - 17
- Deputy Hall Chairman, Chancellor Hall, UWI Mona, 1990-1991.
- Student Lion Award, Chancellor Hall, UWI Mona - March 1992
- Certificate for Outstanding Performance in Hockey, UWI Mona - May 1992
- Certificate for Outstanding Performance for contribution to co-curricular activities – Member Hockey Winning Team, UWI Mona - April 2002
- Munro College Old Boys Hockey Club – President, 2005-2012

Statement of Intended Support to ComSoc Region 3

My professional experience spans over twenty-five (25) years as an Information and Communication Technology practitioner. I have successfully transitioned through various specialist areas, and in each instance my performance has been exemplary. I am currently the IT Infrastructure Manager at the Kingston Freeport Terminal Limited a Subsidiary of the CMA CGM Group. I am also the Chairman of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE, Inc), Communication Society (Jamaica Chapter) and Past Region 3 Area 9 Chairman.

My exposure through the involvement with the IEEE at various levels for more than 25 years, along with my professional experiences and formal training – specifically, qualifies me for this role as a North American Board (NAB) Member with responsibility for the ComSoc Region 3 Chapters and I know I will be able to make a meaningful contribution to the fulfilment of the NAB mandate.