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Summary

Highly accomplished **Operations & Team Lead** with over 10 years of experience in building, scaling, and managing high-performing support and technical teams. Proven ability to leverage datadriven insights and technical expertise to streamline workflows, optimize processes, and consistently exceed key performance indicators (KPIs) in high-volume environments. Successfully grew 6 different teams from 1 to 8 specialists while maintaining CSAT above 90% and First Response **Time under 90 minutes.** Seeking to apply extensive leadership and operational management skills to a dynamic and growth-oriented organization.

Key Skills & Expertise

- Leadership & Management: Team Building, Performance Management, Coaching & Mentoring, Delegation, Cross-functional Collaboration, Strategic Planning
- Customer & Technical Operations: CSAT, FRT, Issue Resolution, De-escalation, Multi-channel Support, SLA Management, Quality Assurance, Operational Excellence
- Process Optimization: Workflow Optimization, Root Cause Analysis, Performance Analysis, Reporting, Documentation, Project Management
- Technical Skills: Jira, Zendesk, Intercom, PRTG, Uptime Robot, Linux CLI, Python, CRM Software, VMware, Networking Fundamentals, IT Infrastructure Management

Professional Experience

Amulya Info Tech India Private Limited,

Coimbatore, TN, India.

Consultant & Senior Customer Support Specialist

Aug 2024 – *Jun* 2025

- Grew 6 different client support teams from 1 to 8 specialists, building specialized functions in Refunds, Sales, Marketing, and Technical Support.
- Managed the full recruitment lifecycle for team expansion and drove talent development through targeted training and coaching initiatives.
- Drove team performance by setting clear targets and conducting daily stand-ups, achieving a sustained CSAT above 90% and FRT under 90 minutes.

- Acted as the primary liaison between client management and internal leadership, providing weekly performance reports and translating feedback into actionable improvements.
- Provided high-level consultation and direct support for escalated issues, specializing in complex enterprise software solutions.

Technical Support Engineer |

Aug 2019 – Oct 2022

- Contributed to **24/7 technical support operations**, focusing on multi-location IT infrastructure management (VMware ESXi) and critical operations.
- Served as the **primary escalation point** and on-call support, working with global engineers and the Emergency Response Team in North America and Canada to restore network services using monitoring tools like **PRTG** and **Uptime Robot**.
- Orchestrated and presented daily performance reports and weekly strategic updates to internal and client CEOs, providing high-level insights on service status and improvements.
- Managed complex data migrations (Falconstor, Acronis) and executed patch upgrades in test/production environments.
- Provided comprehensive technical support from **L1 to L3**, resolving complex issues related to web hosting, VoIP call support, cloud, and SaaS.

Junior Systems Engineer |

Apr 2015 – *Jun* 2017

- Led and managed a team of 6 Junior Systems Engineers, scaling L1/L2 web hosting support to provide global 24/7 coverage for four key clients.
- Developed and implemented shift rosters and conducted training sessions, which optimized team efficiency and improved support quality.
- Provided IT support and system maintenance, troubleshooting hardware, software, network issues, and infrastructure setups.
- Received the 'Best Customer Support' award for exceptional service and client satisfaction.

Ashwin Builder's, Retail Support Specialist |

Erode, TN, India. Sept 2018 – Jul 2019

- Managed high-volume inbound and outbound calls for pricing, appointments, and follow-ups.
- Provided comprehensive after-sales customer service, enhancing client relationships and ensuring satisfaction.

Amazon Development Centre, Associate CD |

Coimbatore, TN, India. Jul 2017 – Aug 2018

- Handled high-volume inbound calls for product delivery and Amazon Pay transactions/refunds.
- Managed complex refund processes and navigated large-scale call center systems, adhering to strict service protocols.

Millenia Computers,

Assistant

Coonoor, TN, India. Jan 2013 – Mar 2015

- Provided direct customer service and technical support for computer hardware/software in a retail environment.
- Performed technical tasks including OS installation, driver configuration, and computer assembly/delivery to clients.

Hindustan Aeronautics Limited, On-the-Job Trainee

Bangalore, KA, India. Mar 2011 – Sept 2011

- Completed mandatory training, gaining hands-on experience in the repair and maintenance of AC/DC motors, radar systems, and weapon/navigational/fuel systems for defense aircraft.
- Developed understanding of professional work ethics, safety protocols, and teamwork in a large-scale engineering environment.

Professional Development

iNeuron Private Limited, (Remote)

Machine Learning Program & Project Work | Jan 2023 – Aug 2024

- Self-managed end-to-end Machine Learning projects from data analysis to deployment, gaining practical skills in data-driven problem-solving and LLMs.
- Utilized Python and ML libraries like TensorFlow) to develop and deploy solutions, demonstrating analytical and technical project execution.

Certifications

Professional Data Science Certificate - IBM

Data Analysis Certificate - Amazon Web Services (AWS)

Acronis Backup and Migration Certificate - Acronis

Acronis Disaster Recovery Certificate - Acronis

Education

Aircraft Maintenance Engineering, AME.

Hindustan Aviation Academy, Bangalore, Karnataka, India.

Graduation Year - 2011