

# Ankit Sharma

STORAGE AND BACKUP  
CONSULTANT



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## Skills

### Project Management



### Problem Solving



### Creativity



### Leadership



## Summary

- More than 10 years of progressive experience in the information technology field and hands-on experience with Storage Area Networks (SAN) and experience with Backup administration.
- Solid experience in Storage Migrations , EMC Symmetrix, VMAX, DMX, VNX, Clariion, Celerra, IBM SVC, XIV, IBM Flash, ISILON, VPLEX, Netapp, HP3PAR and other storage products.
- SAN FC switches Support. Actively and pre-emptively determine possible faults and causes and controlling them.
- Experience in understanding and troubleshooting the complex technical issues related to storage. Root cause Analysis of storage issues and resolve to the management satisfaction .
- Outstanding oral and written communications skills with ability to translate business needs into information technology solutions.
- Worked on managing lifecycle for data protection services infrastructure Backup & Recovery, Datacenter Architecture Designs Solutions, Implementations, Migrations.
- Managed Backup and Recovery, Datacenter Architecture Designs Solutions, Implementations, Migrations as per Project requirements.

# Work Experience

## Certifications

- IBM DS8K CERTIFIED.
- IBM XIV CERTIFIED.
- EMC ISM V2 CERTIFIED.
- VBLOCK CLOUD CERTIFIED.
- VCA - DATA CENTER VIRTUALIZATION CERTIFIED.
- VMWARE CERTIFIED ASSOCIATE - WORKFORCE MOBILITY.
- VMWARE CERTIFIED ASSOCIATE - CLOUD.

## Education

- MBA (IT) ,SIKKIM MANIPAL UNIVERSITY
- BTECH (IT) ,UTTARAKHAND TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY ,2007-2011
- HIGHER SECONDARY (12TH) , CBSE BOARD , 2007 WITH 80%
- SECONDARY SCHOOL (10TH) , CBSE , 2005 WITH DISTINCTION 78%

### **Larsen and Turbo**

May 2019 - Present

(EVERSOURCE, United States) (SCANIA, SWEDEN)

(AND)

- Migration of all the backup environment previously running on IBM TSM tool and Data Domain to Converged Cohesity tool.
- Installation, Configuration & Upgradation of backup software and hardware to protect customer data.
- Working Experience on VERITAS NETBACKUP, COHESITY,IBM TSM, Experience on Data domain.
- Manage and troubleshoot the APPLICATION backups and restores; doing the refresh activity with the help of application team; applications as ORACLE, MS-SQL, MY SQL, MS-EXCHANGE, VMWARE and NDMP
- Troubleshoot Backup & Replication, Disk, RAID, and PSU failures
- Managing EMC VPLEX, XTremelIO ,ISILON and Huawei Arrays ( OceanStore 18500v3 & Dorado 5000 &9000) day to day operations.
- Tiered storage allocation and re-allocation to effectively use cache.
- SAN switches and controller Firmware upgrades, and planned maintenance.
- Isilon NAS cluster administration and handling all user cases.
- Execute across-site replication of significant DR data (Vplex Metro & Huawei Hyper Metro).
- Handling Client escalations and reporting .
- Conduct bottleneck evaluation to identify performance issues.

### **Amdocs**

Nov 18- May 19

(DEXYP, United States)

- Day to Day Storage operations on IBM XIVs, SVC,EMC, Infinity ,PURE storage devices .
- Tiered storage allocation and re-allocation to effectively use cache.
- Handling Client escalations and reporting .

## **Job Titles Held**

- PROJECT LEAD (MIGRATION)
- TEAM LEAD
- SPECIALIST
- ASSISTANT MANAGER
- IT ANALYST
- SENIOR ANALYST
- GRADUATE ENGINEER TRAINEE

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

- LEADING A TEAM FOR TSM TOOL TO COHESITY BACKUP MIGRATION PROJECT. (LTI)
- WORKING WITH LARGE DATA CENTERS
- VAST TECHNICAL KNOWLEDGE
- CROSS FUNCTIONAL DOMAIN HANDS ON EXPERIENCE (STORAGE, BACKUP, CLOUD, VMWARE)
- GLOBAL CLIENT-FACING ROLE FOR VARIOUS REGIONS IN THE WORLD

### **Vodafone Shared services , Qatar**

Mar 17 - Oct 18

- Responsible for managing, entire enterprise storage environment including complete ownership of Vodafone Qatar .
- Effective change management of SAN storage arrays and switches/ directors .
- Day to Day operations ,maintenance, troubleshooting ,Vplex , RPA (Recover Point Appliance) and VNX(Unified) VNX5300,VNX5200 ,(VNX2), HP 3PAR T8000
- Took KT and did transition for VSSI from Qatar team.

### **Tata Consultancy Services**

Sep 14 - Mar 17

#### **(Virgin Atlantic Airways, UK)**

- Responsible for managing Symantec Netback up and Backup exec tool.
- Administration of UNIX servers which includes flavor Solaris 10 and 11, RHEL. Also, ESX and Windows Servers
- Providing SAN data migration solutions that include Replication manager and SANCOPY.
- Day to Day operations ,maintenance, troubleshooting RPA (Recover Point Appliance),Replication manager and VNX(Unified) VNX5300,VNX5200 and (VNX2).
- Server application backup, Unix Systems Engineering & Administration.
- Manage and troubleshoot the APPLICATION backups and restores; doing the refresh activity with the help of application team; applications as ORACLE, MS-SQL, MY SQL, MS-EXCHANGE, VMWARE and NDMP.

#### **(Horizon Blue Cross Shield, New Jersey )**

- Perform Day to Day Storage operations on IBM XIVs, SVC,EMC, VNX , storage devices
- Daily Detailed Health Checks for the environment and Execute FC zoning for development and production servers.
- Handling Client escalations and reporting .

### **HCL-Global IT**

Sep 14 - Mar 17

- Perform Day to Day Storage operations on EMC2 Symmetrix VMAXAF, VMAX, DMX4 via Unisphere & SE Solution Enabler.
- DC hands and feet support for installation and configuration of SAN devices.
- Responsible for managing the entire enterprise storage and backup environment including complete ownership of Americas and Europe.