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IoT Specialist

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QUALIFICATION

B.Tech in Computer Science and 2013-17 Engineering Calicut University, Kerala, India

CERTIFICATIONS & MEMBERSHIPS

- Member of IFGICT 2025
- > IFGICT Smart City Certification
- > AI Certified 1 Million Prompters 2025 Program (Dubai Future Foundation)
- NVIDIA: Basics to GenAI **Practice** 2025
- > Advantech IoT Certifications 2025
- > UL SPIRE Qualified Assessor for **Smart Buildings** 2024 (UL Solutions)
- ➤ Industrial Internet of Things (IIoT) (University of Michigan-Coursera)
- ➤ IoT Wireless and Cloud Computing **Emerging Technologies** (Yonsei University -Coursera)

- Foundation of Project management (Google-Coursera)
- > Technical Support Fundamentals (Google-Coursera)
- Cisco Certified Network Associate
- Microsoft Certified Solutions Expert

LANGUAGES

English Hindi Tamil Malayalam

OBJECTIVES

IoT and IIoT specialist with 8 years of experience in ICT, Smart City integration, and emerging AI technologies. Skilled in end-to-end solution design, business development, and deployment of smart building, utility, and infrastructure systems, driving digital transformation through intelligent, connected, and data-driven solutions.

EXPERIENCES

IoT Specialist

03/2025-Present

Topnet Distribution FZCO, Dubai, UAE

- Lead IoT and Industrial IoT (IIoT) business development within the ICT distribution ecosystem, focusing on smart buildings, smart utilities, smart city integration, and connected infrastructure projects.
- Represent and promote a diverse portfolio of 20+ global brands covering IoT sensors, gateways, structured cabling, surveillance, industrial networking, and data centre solutions.
- Drive solution design and integration by collaborating with IoT platform vendors and cloud providers to ensure seamless connectivity and interoperability of third-party sensors, gateways, and applications.
- Design end-to-end IoT architectures utilizing protocols such as LoRaWAN, NB-IoT, MQTT, and Modbus to enable secure, scalable, and reliable data communication for industrial automation and remote monitoring.
- Introduce and promote AI-based video surveillance and analytics solutions, expanding Topnet's offerings into intelligent monitoring, facial recognition, and behavioural analytics.
- Identify, evaluate, and onboard new IoT and AI technology vendors to enhance the company's product portfolio and maintain competitiveness in emerging technology markets.
- Collaborate with system integrators, consultants, and OEMs to design and deliver tailored IoT and ICT solutions aligned with customer requirements and budgets.
- Conduct proof of concepts (PoCs), technical workshops, and partner enablement sessions to demonstrate solution performance, interoperability, and ROI.
- Coordinate with IoT manufacturers and platform providers such as Advantech for solution alignment, project registration, and joint go-tomarket initiatives.
- Hold Advantech Certified IoT Distribution Specialist accreditation, covering hardware, platform integration, and partner enablement training.
- Support tender and bid management for large ICT and IoT projects by preparing detailed techno-commercial proposals and ensuring compliance with specifications.
- Provide strategic market insights, product positioning, and competitive analysis to guide vendor onboarding and channel growth strategies.
- Enable sales and partner teams through training, solution bundling, and technical support, positioning Topnet as a value-added distributor and trusted IoT technology enabler.
- Member of IFGICT (International Federation of Global & ICT) and completed IFGICT Smart City Certification, demonstrating expertise in Smart City technologies and digital infrastructure.

Lead IoT Solutions Engineer

Operon Middle East, Dubai, UAE

- ➤ Collaborated with **facility managers**, **building owners**, **and stakeholders** to assess operational needs and identify IoT deployment opportunities.
- > Designed and implemented **tailored IoT solutions** that optimized energy consumption, enhanced operational efficiency, and improved occupant comfort in smart buildings.
- > Integrated **IoT sensors and devices** with existing infrastructure HVAC, lighting, and access control systems to enable seamless automation.
- ➤ Developed **real-time analytics dashboards** tracking energy usage, indoor air quality, and occupancy metrics.
- > Implemented **predictive maintenance algorithms** to detect potential equipment failures, optimize maintenance schedules, and reduce downtime and costs.
- ➤ Led **energy and carbon emissions reduction initiatives** via IoT-driven systems aligned with green building standards.
- Ensured compliance with **data privacy, cybersecurity**, and **environmental sustainability standards** across all IoT deployments.
- > Provided **technical support and training** to facility management teams for system operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting.
- ➤ Worked cross-functionally with **software developers**, **data scientists**, and **project managers** to deliver integrated IoT solutions on schedule and within budget.
- ➤ Collaborated with the **CAFAM team** to integrate devices, monitor daily performance, and produce monthly efficiency reports.
- > Prepared **detailed techno-commercial proposals** aligned with project requirements and client expectations.
- > Negotiated **vendor agreements** to secure competitive pricing and favourable terms, achieving significant cost savings.
- > Partnered with **senior management** to finalize project budgets that met organizational objectives and profitability targets.
- ➤ Undertook UL SPIRE assessments for EGC compliance.
- > Coordinated with **third-party integration teams** to meet client-specific application and platform requirements.

IoT Projects/POCs:

- ➤ Implemented IoT device installations across diverse facilities, such as WASL Properties, Emirates Golf Club, and Abu Dhabi Equestrian Club, enabling remote monitoring and maintenance to enhance operational efficiency and reduce downtime.
- ➤ Enhanced energy efficiency and enabled remote monitoring of Fresh Air Handling Units (FAHUs) at WASL Properties.
- ➤ Led and managed the **implementation of Smart Manhole Sensor devices** in collaboration with Dubai Municipality, demonstrating expertise in advanced IoT solutions.

IoT Solutions Engineer

10/2018-12/2023

iWire Connect LLC, Dubai, UAE

- **Coordinate internal resources and third-party vendors** for seamless project execution.
- Manage projects from award through to closure, ensuring timely delivery and meeting client expectations.
- **Prepare solution proposals** for clients, including technical discussions and product presentations.
- **Conduct site surveys** to gather information and requirements before proposing designs.
- Manage the sales bid process by responding to RFQs and RFPs.
- > Collaborate closely with sales and technical teams to ensure the successful closure of the sales process.
- ➤ Maximize network performance (Sigfox, NB-IoT, LoRa WAN) by monitoring, troubleshooting, and resolving network issues and outages.
- > Provide remote support to on-site engineers and customers during installation.
- > Involved in RF planning and simulations for global networks (UAE, India, Jordan, Kuwait, Bahrain, KSA, and Turkey).

- ➤ Monitor and maintain 175 Sigfox base stations in the UAE, ensuring 100% network availability.
- ➤ Configure callbacks and API setups for data parsing to build user interface platforms.
- ➤ Configure and install IoT devices for major clients like Siemens, Dubai Municipality, DEWA, NPCC, ADNOC, and EGA.
- > Provide **backend support** including site creation, base station and device registration, upgrades, and device data monitoring.
- ➤ Handle device support for projects in various countries (KSA, India, Qatar, Indonesia, Jordan).
- Act as a **technical consultant**, proposing solutions that align with client needs and budget.

IoT Projects/POCs:

- Smart Manhole Devices: Dubai Municipality and Dubai Police
- > Smart Energy and Water Meter: Siemens
- **Busbar Temperature Monitoring Sensor**: EGA
- > Smart Athlete and Vehicle Tracking: Special Olympics 2019, Abu Dhabi
- > Smart Street Lighting: Fujairah Municipality and MOID
- > Asset Tracking: FieldCore
- > Smart IoT Devices: Tahaluf Al Emarat
- > Smart Irrigation: Concordia
- > Smart Indoor Air Quality Monitoring: ENBD and Siemens
- > Smart Gas Metering: ADNOC & Emarat
- > Smart Tracking: NPCC

System Administrator

10/2017-07/2018

Codinoz Technologies, Kerala, India

- Monitored, maintained, and supported computers, laptops, Macs, printers, and scanners.
- ➤ **Installed, configured, and optimized** Windows operating systems (7, 8.1, 10).
- > Provided 1st level support for CCTV and access control systems.
- > Created, configured, and maintained mail accounts.
- ➤ Configured and troubleshooted MS Outlook, MS 365, and third-party software.

SKILLS

Technical Skills

- > IoT Network Design & Optimization LPWAN (Sigfox, NB-IoT, LoRaWAN), RF planning, network performance tuning
- ➤ **IoT Device Deployment** Configuration, sensor integration/calibration, system upgrades, retrofits
- > Platform & Analytics IoT platform setup, data parsing via APIs, dashboard design, real-time monitoring
- > ICT: Industrial networking, structured cabling, data center solutions
- > Standards & Certifications: UL SPIRE, IFGICT Smart City, Advantech Certified IoT Specialist
- ➤ Wireless Technologies 4G/5G, LPWAN, Sigfox base-station maintenance & monitoring
- ➤ AI & Analytics: Video surveillance, facial recognition, dashboards

Professional Skills

- **Business development** for IoT, IIoT, and Smart City solutions
- > Strategic market insights, product positioning, and competitive analysis
- > Training and mentoring of sales and partner teams
- > Project Management Coordinating resources/vendors, delivering projects on time and within budget
- > Client Consultation Requirements gathering, technical proposals, solution presentations
- > Troubleshooting & Technical Support Remote and on-site support, system issue resolution
- > Energy & Sustainability Solutions Smart-building energy management, green-tech integration
- > Communication & Collaboration Cross-functional teamwork, stakeholder engagement

References will be provided upon request