ALEXANDER DOVNAR

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POSITION

Looking for a role as **Senior / Lead / Architect** where I can combine technical depth with leadership skills.

CORE SKILLS

Cloud: AWS (expert), Azure, GCP, Oracle Cloud, Yandex Cloud, VK Cloud

Automation & IaC: Terraform / OpenTofu, Terragrunt, Helm, Helmfile, Ansible, Packer

Containers & Orchestration: Docker, Kubernetes

CI/CD: GitHub Actions, GitLab CI, Jenkins, Travis CI, ArgoCD

Monitoring & Logging: Prometheus, Grafana, Loki, Victoria Metrics, OpenSearch

Scripting & Automation: Python, Bash

OS & Networking: Linux (advanced), Windows (basic)

AI: LLM, Cursor, Prompts, MCPs

ABOUT ME

DevOps and cloud engineer with 10+ years of experience in AWS, Azure, GCP, and other cloud platforms. Strong in Infrastructure as Code (Terraform, Terragrunt, Helm), Kubernetes, CI/CD, and monitoring.

Worked as a hands-on engineer and as a tech lead. Designed cloud architectures, launched new projects, supported production systems, and helped other engineers. Took part in 10+ projects end-to-end.

EXPERIENCE

TECH LEAD / SENIOR DEVOPS ENGINEER • NAVITEQ LTD • JAN 2022 – PRESENT

Worked on 10+ client projects: full cycle from design to production.

Designed and deployed AWS infrastructure: high availability, security, cost optimization (saved up to 40%).

Built and standardized Terraform/Terragrunt templates and CI/CD pipelines.

Managed Kubernetes clusters, wrote Helm charts, improved deployments.

Set up monitoring and logging with Prometheus, Grafana, Loki, OpenSearch.

Supported other engineers with code reviews, mentoring, and architecture help.

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EDUCATION AND MORE

EXPERIENCE

EDUCATION

Bachelor's degree - BSUIR — Information Technology and Systems Management

CERTIFICATIONS

AWS Certified Solutions Architect — Professional

AWS Certified Security — Specialty

HashiCorp Certified: Terraform Associate

Cloud Native Linux Foundation - Kubestronaut (In progress)

Cisco CCNA

PUBLIC ACTIVITIES

DevOps Kitchen Talks —co-founder and host of a well-known Russian-speaking DevOps podcast (since 2020, 70+ episodes, 300k+ views/listens).

Slurm.io - author and trainer in DevOps/SRE educational platform.

Different online and offline meetups participation as the speaker

SENIOR DEVOPS ENGINEER • ONESOIL • AUG 2021 – MAY 2022

Designed AWS multi-account architecture.

Applied AWS best practices for security and scalability.

Reduced costs by ~30% with no performance loss.

Built Kubernetes platform for scalable deployments.

Added monitoring with Prometheus and Grafana.

LEAD SYSTEM ENGINEER • EPAM SYSTEMS • APR 2016 – AUG 2021

Grew from junior to lead engineer.

Designed AWS infrastructure and automated it with Terraform and Ansible.

Built and maintained CI/CD pipelines with GitLab CI and Jenkins.

Worked as team lead / tech lead: assigned tasks, reviewed solutions.

Migrated enterprise systems to the cloud (AWS, Azure).

Took part in several international projects (fintech, retail).

SENIOR NETWORK ENGINEER • RUE BELTELECOM • MAR 2011 – APR 2016

Supported clients consuming Internet, VoIP & IPTV services.

Supported backbone network and corporate clients (VPN, Ethernet, SHDSL).

Automated network equipment maintenance with custom scripts.

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