# ADAM SHERO

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### **EXPERIENCE**

### Lead Platform Engineer

#### Audacy

- # 06/2023 Present ♀ Remote
- Coordinated a ten-month effort migrating services from Opsworks to AWS EKS.
- Designed solutions in GCP including Gemini, Kubeflow Pipelines & Vertex Al.
- Deploy solutions on GKE supporting podcast/audio language learning models.
- Improved cloud costs in 2024/25 by -\$2.7M through rightsizing & consolidation.
- Uses most AWS services + Slack/Jira/GitLab/Grafana/Datadog/FluxCD/Terragrunt.
- Supporting 45+ AWS accounts, 20+ GCP projects, 15 EKS clusters, 2 GKE clusters, audacy.com with a 200 million monthly reach & 40 million monthly active users.

### Principal DevOps Engineer

#### **Campspot**

- **m** 01/2022 05/2023 Remote
- Migrate EC2 & ECS-Based services to AWS EKS + Redis or PostgreSQL backend.
- Designed a cross-account public API solution that is secure & scalable using WAF, API Gateway, and AWS PrivateLink.
- Replaced Terraform workspaces & with standardized Terragrunt & central modules.

## Senior DevOps Engineer

#### **Audacy**

- Deployed 50+ services on AWS Elastic Kubernetes Service using FluxCD and Helm.
- Build/Migrate over 250 Bitbucket repositories/Jenkins pipelines to GitLab.
- Develop repeatable Terragrunt infrastructure patterns for Dev teams to consume.

### Senior Cloud Platform Engineer

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- **=** 05/2020 02/2021 Remote
- Created reusable CloudFormation patterns for developer teams to consume.
- Evangelize best practices for CloudFormation and AWS infrastructure.
- Centralized the use of core AWS services (IAM, CodePipeline, etc.) for dev teams.

### Senior Systems Engineer

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- **m** 03/2018 05/2020
- Greenwood Village, CO
- Built. & automated the next gen candidate profile ingestion/aggregation pipeline.
- Embedded alongside developers, product owners, and scrum masters.
- Regularly used Elasticsearch, CloudWatch, EC2, ECS, SNS, SQS, IAM, CodePipeline, CodeDeploy, NeptuneDB, DynamoDB, InfluxDB, Grafana, Cerebro, and Nginx.

## Senior Specialist, Cloud Systems Engineer

### **DIRECTV**

- **m** 02/2017 03/2018
- Greenwood Village, CO
- Build and manage infrastructure in VMware using Cisco CloudCenter.
- Participated in activities using Docker/Rancher to exploit a micro-services approach.
- Build and manage infrastructure in AWS using Terraform.

### IT Senior Analyst 2, Service Management

### DIRECTV

- **ii** 10/2013 02/2017 Greenwood Village, CO
- IT Service Management Ops specialist (ITIL) & HP Service Manager Developer

## IT Analyst 2, Systems Administrator

### **DIRECTV**

- **=** 11/2005 09/2013
- Tulsa, OK

## IT Analyst I, Desktop Technician

### **DIRECTV**

- **=** 07/2004 11/2005
- Tulsa, OK

### **EDUCATION**



## **B.Sc. Information Technology**

### **Northeastern University**

- Boston, Massachusetts, United States
- Lowell Scholar
- · magna cum laude

### HIGHLIGHTS

// Eleven years working with Windows server family, interfaces, storage, and backup systems or various Linux distributions; typically RHEL & Ubuntu.

// Eight years working with Terragrunt (6) or CloudFormation (2) for infrastructure as code (IaC)

// Seven years creating architecting highly available solutions in AWS.

// Six years building AWS Cloud solutions using many of its core services.

// Six years building repeatable IaC patterns that scale using Terraform modules & Terragrunt

## CERTIFICATIONS/COURSES

### **Developing Data Products**

Johns Hopkins University / Coursera

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**HDI Certified Professional: KCS Fundamentals v5.3** 

**Microsoft Certified Systems Administrator (MCSA)** 

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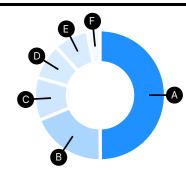
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## ACCOMPLISHMENTS/AWARDS

- Patent: 6235771 (United Kingdom)
- Patent: US D1,004,693 S (United States)
- Patent: 009201734-0001 (European Union)
- - **Dice.com WOW Award**
  - **DIRECTV Excellence in Service**

### **MY TIME**



- Planned Initiatives
- Unplanned Work

GPA

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- **Developer Support**
- Infrastructure Maintenance
- **Proactive Development**
- Cloud Cost Reviews