

Principal Security & Networking Architect

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Jonathan is a Principal Security & Networking Architect at Advatek, boasting proficiency in routing and switching, with a rich blend of expertise in Cisco, HPE/Aruba, and Juniper technologies, as well as Check Point and Cisco firewalls. His career spans a broad spectrum of clients, from small businesses to complex infrastructures at large banks, hospitals, and airports. Jonathan upholds the principle of aligning network architecture with the customer's business objectives, ensuring every design fosters their success.

Accomplishments

Jonathan's qualifications, including Cisco's CCNP in Enterprise and Security, Meraki CMNA, Devnet Associate, ITIL v3 Foundation, Check Point CCSE, and Juniper's JNCIA-Junos, attest to his technical prowess across a broad spectrum of technologies and services.

As an Enterprise Architect, he has led pivotal projects, such as a data centre migration for a major hospital, showcasing his strategic acumen and commitment to maintaining operational continuity under pressure. His expertise was further proven during the recovery from a cybersecurity breach at a global firm, where he adeptly implemented stringent security protocols and two-factor authentication.

Jonathan's career is marked by his deep understanding of network and security principles and a dedication to ensuring that technological deployments advance strategic business goals.

Interests

Outside the office, Jonathan enjoys tennis, delves into history books, and appreciates long walks and the complexity of piano music. With an exciting personal milestone on the horizon, he and his partner are planning to start a family in the coming year.

Advatek Solutions & Services Team

In close collaboration with clients, Jonathan and the Advatek team dedicate time to thoroughly comprehend client needs. This allows them to craft tailored, vendor-agnostic solutions that not only meet but exceed business objectives. The team prides itself on its ability to design, configure, and implement both tactical and transformational strategies, ensuring solutions are innovative, effective, and harmonious with a range of technologies.

Qualifications & Accreditations

- Cisco CCNP Enterprise
- Cisco CCNP Security
- Cisco Meraki CMNA
- Cisco Devnet Associate
- ITIL v3 Foundation
- Check Point CCSE
- Juniper JNCIA-Junos

Key Areas of Expertise

- Cisco SD-Access
- Cisco ACI
- Cisco ISE
- Cisco Umbrella
- Cisco ASA/Firepower Security
- Cisco Catalyst 2K/3K/4K/6K/9K
- Cisco Nexus 2K/3K/5K/7K/9K
- Cisco Routing ISR/ASR
- Cisco Wireless
- Meraki SD-WAN
- Meraki Wireless
- Meraki Networking & Security
- HPE Networking
- Juniper networking
- Methodical troubleshooting
- Pre-sales and Post-sales
- HLD, LLD, SOW, Best Practices
- Solution presentations
- Network & Cyber Security auditing

Sector Experience

- Aviation
- Central government
- Charity
- Education
- Energy
- Finance
- Healthcare
- Legal
- Local government
- Retail
- Public Sector
- Services industries