

JAMES BROMBERGER

Over 25 years with multi-national companies leading teams on web-scale technology platforms, architecting, implementing and operating services to meet global 24x7 service requirements. My communication skills have allowed me to quickly collaborate and manage global IT operational, DevOps, development and support staff.

Industry & Skills Summary

Professional Skills	Leading Enterprise technical teams across multiple sites, time-zones, and languages.
Technical Skills	Cloud; Security; Linux and Open Source; Web; System and Network Design; Security; SRE; DevOps; Technical Trainer; Senior Leader
Industry Expertise	Professional Services; Information Technology and Services; Tertiary Education; Financial Services; Advertising; State Government Departments; Mining & Energy

Employment Summary

2020 – Present	Consulting Director, Global AWS Practice Lead, Modis
2018 – 2020	Consulting Director, National Cloud Lead, Modis
2014 – 2018	Associate Director, National Cloud Lead, Ajilon (now Modis)
2012 – 2014	Security Solution Architect, AWS
2010 – Present	Founder & Trainer, Nephology

2005 – 2010	Global IT Operations Director, Vibrant Media
2003 - 2005	Systems Admin Team Manager, Fotango (Canon Europe)
2001 - 2003	Lead organiser, Linux.conf.au '03
2000 – 2002	Systems Admin, Hartley's (JDV)
1997 - 2000	Webmaster, UWA
1995 - 1997	IT Admin, UWA Student Guild

Education & Certifications

- Bachelor of Computing & Mathematical Sciences, University of Western Australia (IT, French; 1994-1999)
- Hale School, Perth (1988 – 1993)
- AWS Certified Developer – Associate
- AWS Certified Sysops Operator – Associate
- AWS Certified DevOps Engineer – Professional
- AWS Certified Solution Architect – Associate
- (since January 2013)
- AWS Certified Solution Architect – Professional
- AWS Certified Advanced Networking – Specialty
- AWS Certified Security – Specialty
- AWS Certified Database – Specialty
- AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner
- MySQL Certified Administrator

Training & Conferences

2019 Linux.conf.au – Christchurch (Presenter)
Australian Information Security Association
Perth Branch Annual Conference (Presenter)
AWS Summit – Sydney
AWS Ambassador Meetup – Seattle (Guest of AWS)
AWS Certification Workshop SME – San Francisco (Guest of AWS)

2018 Australian Information Security Association

Perth Branch Annual Conference (Presenter)
Latency Conference – Perth (Presenter)
AWS Public Sector Summit – Canberra
AWS: APN Cloud Warrior Summits
AWS Summit – Sydney (Presenter)

2017 AWS: APN Cloud Warrior Summits
AWS Summit – Sydney
AWS Public Sector Summit – Canberra (Presenter)

2016 AWS Summit – Sydney

2015	Linux.conf.au, Auckland (Papers Committee)	2007	Debian Conference, Edinburgh
2014	AUSCERT Perth 2014 Roadshow (Presenter)		FOSDEM, Brussels, Belgium
	ACS Perth Conference (Presenter)	2005	FOSDEM, Brussels, Belgium
	AWS Summit – Sydney (Presenter)		UKUUG Summer Conference, Swansea, UK
	AWS Summit – Auckland (Presenter)	2004	FOSDEM, Brussels, Belgium
	Linux.conf.au, Perth (Presenter, Papers Committee)	2003	Linux.conf.au, UWA, Perth (Organiser)
2013	Debconf 13, Geneva, Switzerland (Presenter)	2002	Linux.conf.au, UQ, Brisbane
	AWS Customer Summit, Sydney (Presenter)		Australian Debian Mini-Conf (Organiser), UQ, Brisbane
	Linux.conf.au, Canberra (Papers Committee)	2001	1 st Debian Conference, Bordeaux, France
2012	AWS Customer Event/Region Launch, Sydney		Linux.conf.au, UNSW, Sydney
	Linux.conf.au, Ballarat	2000	Apache Con Europe, London
2010	Management Skills for IT, Learning Tree, London	1999	Ausweb 1999 Conference, New South Wales

Affiliations

- Debian GNU/Linux (2000 – present)
- Perth Linux User Group (2011, 2012 President)
- Internet Assn of Australia (Founding Member)
- Linux Australia
- Electronic Frontiers Foundation (Life Member)
- Australian Information Security Association

Career Detail

2018 – Present **Consulting Director, National Cloud Lead**
Modis www.modis.com.au (formerly Ajilon)

Company Profile

In 2018, Ajilon in Australia merged into Modis, its sister brand from other geographies within the Adecco group.

Assignments

2019: Woodside Energy
2018-present: AWS APN Cloud Warrior & AWS Ambassador
2014-present: AWS Global Partner Alliance Lead
2018: WA Department of Education, WA Department of Transport
2014 – present: Landgate (WA) and Advara (<https://advara.com>)

Responsibilities

As Modis Consulting Director, James specialises in managing the Cloud practice nationally. James' leadership provides technical direction and assurance implementing AWS-based cloud solutions delivered to clients. He personally delivers on multiple client projects, providing critical long-term delivery quality, modernisation and security with large cloud-based teams, including Landgate. James frequently presents at various industry associations, conferences and User Groups throughout Australia and New Zealand on Cloud, Security, Linux, and Open Source, as well as organising many private customer and public events. He has written and delivered training material on encryption and web security focusing on up-skilling staff to ensure successful customer delivery.

James also spearheads the company's interactions with Australian Signals Directorate (ASD) Managed Services Provider Partner Program (MSP^3), ensuring current cybersecurity awareness is a core element of IT service delivery.

2014 – 2018 **Associate Director, National Cloud Lead**
Ajilon www.ajilon.com.au (now Modis)

Company Profile

Ajilon provides program and project management, bespoke development, analysis, architecture, testing & QA, services, as a part of the Adecco group. Its customers are large enterprises and government agencies.

Assignments

2017: AWS APN Cloud Warrior

2014 – 2018: AWS Partner Alliance Lead/Manager

2017: RAC (www.rac.com.au)

2017: Dept Training & Workforce Development

2017: Education Dept WA

2017: Racing & Wagering WA

2014 – 2017: **Landgate** (www.landgate.wa.gov.au). Land Title Registry Transformation Project – migration to AWS Cloud-based infrastructure of the Western Australian Land Titles processing and the creation of Land Registry as a Service platform, Advara.

2015: Woodside (www.woodside.com.au)

2012 – 2014 **Solution Architect**
Amazon Web Services aws.amazon.com

Company Profile

Amazon Web Services provides computing services that make up the world's leading Cloud Computing platform.

Responsibilities

Along with a regional sales manager, I opened the Perth office of Amazon Web Services in June 2012, as the technical face of AWS to customers in Western and South Australia, and Security specialist across Australia & NZ.

- Delivered AWS's formal training and education program across multiple states
- Contributed to whitepapers & AWS Global Certification
- Undertaking a technical depth in Cloud Security
- Delivered public customer presentations, including Security presentations at AWS Customer Summits.

2010 – Present **Founder**
Nephology www.nephology.net.au

Company Profile

Providing Linux, Open Source, Cloud expertise to local and international clients.

Responsibilities

- Advanced Security and Operations on AWS training; content, delivery
- Web Security; content, delivery

2005 – 2010 **Global Network Operations Manager**
Vibrant Media www.vibrantmedia.com London

Company Profile

Vibrant Media is a web advertising platform linking context-relevant advertising into content.

Responsibilities

Joined when 28 people in 3 offices (server footprint ~20 hosts); managed data centre growth across US and Europe, with ~800 physical servers delivering content to 50% of the US Internet. Responsible for service delivery to hundreds of staff in 13 offices, across 4 countries – a growth of over 1,000% over three years (Deloitte Fast 50, Inc500 fastest Growing Companies).

- Service Delivery Manager for global Internet-scale advertising platform (incl. budget & purchasing)
- Operating advertising delivery infrastructure from multiple data centres globally

2005 – 2005 **Historical Roles**

- Fotango/Canon Europe NV (London)
- Hartley Poynton/JDV (Perth)
- University of Western Australia (Perth)
- RTR FM (Engineering Volunteer, ~1995)

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