

Shon Myers

at Verizon

Summary

Self motivated, experienced network professional with a proven history of successfully leading the development, implementation and management of high profile nation-wide corporate initiatives. Possess strong leadership and successful team building capabilities as well as excellent technical, communication and presentation skills. Resourceful problem solver with ability to bring sound resolution to multiple simultaneous challenges while building strong, lasting working relationships.

Experience

Distinguished Member Technical Staff - Corporate Technology at Verizon

November 2003 - Present (12 years 2 months)

Serve as Technical Manager/ Vendor Manager for the Alcatel GPON platform. Responsible for the technical evolution and the successful introduction of new software and hardware. Lead multiple large Cross Functional Teams that resolve technical issues, develop/ implement various network strategies, interface with Verizon/ Alcatel/ lab facilities, develop IT solutions, etc. Introduce new services and network initiatives that utilize the Alcatel GPON platform. Directly responsible for the success of the platform that provides service to 2.5 million FiOS customers. Led and directed the Fiber to the Premises (FTTP) First Office Application National Footprint Teams utilizing the Tellabs BPON platform. This included the strategy, preparation, launch, execution, evaluation and exit of the FOA efforts. Teams were comprised of (120) Executive Directors, Directors, Managers and Specialists representing the FTTP Program Management Office, Network Planning, Retail Markets, Network Services, Corporate Network Technology, Network Operations and Information Technology

Skills & Expertise

Network Design

Cross-functional Team Leadership

Optical Fiber

GPON

Computer Network Operations

Telecommunications

Networking

Network Engineering

VoIP

IP

Wireless

Vendor Management

DSL

Education

University of Missouri-Columbia

BS, Industrial Engineering, 1982 - 1987

Activities and Societies: Sigma Tau Gamma National Fraternity

Honors and Awards

2007 Technology Achievement and Recognition Award 2006 Technology Achievement and Recognition Award 2004 Verizon Excellence Award – FiOS Leadership Team 2004 Verizon Excellence Award - FiOS FOA Team 2002 Verizon Excellence Award – Digital Companion Team 2001 NPSPD Excellence Award 2000 ATM over ADSL Platform Deployment Award 1998 National Engineered Projects Award 1996 ISDN Deployment Award 1992 Presidents Quality Award Nomination 1990 Customer Operations Most Improved Work Group Award

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