

GAURAV YADAV

Production Support | Reliability Engineer



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SUMMARY

Reliability-focused engineer with 3+ years of experience supporting large-scale distributed systems and handling high-severity production incidents in 24x7 environments. Strong hands-on exposure to observability, incident management, and automation, with practical experience building cloud-native DevOps and Kubernetes platforms through production-aligned projects. Proven ability to reduce MTTR, improve monitoring quality, and collaborate closely with engineering teams.

WORK EXPERIENCE

CARS24 Services Private Limited

(April 2022 - October 2025)

Technical Support Analyst III

- Supported production reliability for distributed microservices using Datadog metrics, logs, traces, dashboards, and flame graphs.
- Led end-to-end incident response for high-severity production issues, including triage, mitigation, stakeholder communication, and RCA.
- Identified performance and reliability bottlenecks and partnered with Engineering and DevOps teams to implement preventive and scalable fixes.
- Built Python and Bash automation scripts to reduce operational toil and accelerate root-cause identification.
- Tuned alert thresholds and escalation workflows, reducing alert noise and improving on-call effectiveness.
- Authored runbooks, incident reports, and postmortems in Confluence; managed incidents, problems, and changes using JIRA.

SKILLS

Cloud, Systems & Networking : AWS (EC2, S3, RDS, VPC, IAM, EKS), Linux, Networking

Containers, Orchestration & CI/CD : Docker, Kubernetes, ArgoCD (GitOps), Jenkins, Git, Istio, Helm

Infrastructure as Code & Automation : Terraform, Ansible, Python, Bash

Security & DevSecOps : Kyverno (Policy-as-Code), Secure CI/CD Practices, Artifact & Dependency Scanning

Observability & Reliability Engineering : Datadog (APM, Logs, Monitors, Dashboards), Prometheus, Grafana

Data & Incident Management : SQL, JIRA, Confluence, Slack

KEY STRENGTHS

Incident Management | Troubleshooting | On-Call Management | Cross-Team Collaboration

SLOs/SLIs | Error Budgets | MTTR Reduction | RCA & Postmortems

EDUCATION

BRCM College of Engineering and Technology

Bachelor of Technology (2012 - 2016)

PROJECTS

Cloud-Native Portfolio & Serverless Platform

Architected and deployed a secure, highly available serverless portfolio application with automated delivery, Infrastructure-as-Code, and resilience-focused design.

Kubernetes Cluster Operations & CI/CD

Provisioned and operated a Kubernetes cluster to practice container orchestration, application deployment workflows, and CI/CD integration.

Cloud-Native DevSecOps Platform | Kubernetes

Built a production-aligned reference platform to simulate secure delivery pipelines, GitOps deployments, reliability patterns, and incident-response workflows.

CERTIFICATIONS

AWS Certified CloudOps Engineer - Associate (SOA-C03)

AWS & Devops Professional Training - Ducat Institute