

Senior Desktop Support Analyst
University at Buffalo, The State University of New York

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Job Title	Senior Desktop Support Analyst
Department	IT Customer Service
Institution	University at Buffalo, The State University of New York Buffalo, New York
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Application Deadline	Open until filled
Position Start Date	Available immediately
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Position Summary

The **Senior Desktop Support Analyst** is responsible for providing expert level desktop support/administration for end user devices in a complex enterprise environment. This role requires strong technical knowledge, exceptional customer service aptitude, and outstanding attention to detail. The **Senior Analyst** will work with a support team responsible for providing advanced end user device technical support, including applications administration, in support of University business units, computing sites, and classrooms.

The incumbent's primary duties are:

- Work as a member of a team in Windows and MacOS environments providing technical support

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for client workstations and related technology devices.

- Provide support for department hardware and software life cycles by assisting customers with inventory and purchasing.
- Recommend and implement appropriate changes to increase system security.
- Identify opportunities for process, systems, and application improvements.
- Provide end-user assistance involving analysis, identification of problem or need, implementing solutions, and required system adaptations.
- Perform operating system and application package upgrades, installations, and reconfiguration in support of development and production services.
- Assist colleagues with technical issues as needed to foster knowledge transfer and skills development.
- Provide expert technical knowledge and advice, including installation, testing, and evaluation of new software, monitoring, and support of systems.

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Outstanding Benefits:

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Minimum Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in a technical field with 3 years of direct technical support experience **OR** master's degree in a technical field with 1 year direct technical support experience; Equivalent combination of education and experience will be considered
- Practical knowledge of MS-Active Directory, Group Policy and Endpoint devices management
- Experience developing management/monitoring scripts using Windows PowerShell, VB Script, or Python
- Direct customer support experience in a call center or field services capacity
- Experience supporting Windows and MacOS workstations
- Demonstrated proficiency to diagnose problems and perform maintenance on personal computers, notebook computers, wireless devices, application software and operating systems
- Experience implementing secure computing technologies and practices (anti-virus, firewalls, security policies, automated patching, group policy, file system permissions) as defined by the University

Preferred Qualifications

- Experience with SCCM, JAMF, Active Directory and Group Policy
- Experience supporting SaaS in an enterprise environment
- Experience supporting MS365 applications and environment
- Familiarity with DNS, TCP/IP, and Network Services
- Experience supporting end users in an educational or higher ed environment

Contact Information

Please reference Academickeys in your cover letter when applying for or inquiring about this job announcement.

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