

# Brett Ferring

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## Professional Summary

Experienced Senior Systems Engineer with a proven record designing, deploying, and supporting secure, scalable server and network infrastructure across both on-premises and cloud environments. Expert in troubleshooting, infrastructure automation, and delivering reliable solutions for mission-critical systems. Recognized for leadership in complex projects, optimizing system performance, and ensuring business continuity.

## Work Experience

### Senior Systems Engineer

Enterprise Technology Group — Allison Park, PA

August 2022 to Present

Enterprise Technology Group is a subsidiary of Enterprise Financial Services Group.

- Promoted from Senior Systems Administrator based on technical and project leadership.
- Leads end-to-end management of on-premises and Azure cloud infrastructure for all Enterprise Financial Services subsidiaries and clients.
- Designs, implements, and supports scalable server, network, and backup solutions to meet demanding uptime and security requirements.
- Provisions and manages virtual environments (VMware vSphere and Azure), including Windows Server, Linux, and FreeBSD systems.
- Serves as lead Veeam engineer for disaster recovery and ransomware response, reducing risk and improving recovery time objectives.
- Administers and maintains enterprise Active Directory forests/domains, including DNS, DHCP, OU design, Group Policy, email, and access management.
- Maintains and optimizes SAN (HPE Nimble) and NAS (TrueNAS) storage platforms for critical business data.
- Architects, deploys, and manages Azure cloud infrastructure, supporting hybrid and cloud-first solutions.
- Manages Citrix environments (NetScaler, DaaS, Workspace, Citrix Cloud), driving secure remote access and virtualization.
- Administers a diverse technology stack: Microsoft 365, Mimecast, SharePoint, Teams, Meraki, Ubiquiti, and pfSense.

### Business Systems Analyst II

F.N.B. Corporation — Pittsburgh, PA

March 2021 to August 2022

- Promoted from Business Systems Analyst I based on results and subject matter expertise.
- Identified and implemented technology improvements to enhance business operations and efficiency.
- Installed application updates to eliminate vulnerabilities and strengthen system security.
- Troubleshoot and resolved server/application issues, ensuring business continuity and minimal downtime.
- Provisioned new software in line with strict security standards and business needs.
- Served as subject matter expert for seven mission-critical banking systems.
- Supported daily client/server operations, resolving incidents across a complex IT environment.

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## Business Analysis Consultant

PNC — Pittsburgh, PA

October 2018 to March 2021

- Promoted from Business Analyst based on performance and technical contribution.
- Designed and built dynamic content and web server solutions in SharePoint, following industry best practices.
- Solved complex design challenges and created user-friendly, visually engaging applications.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams and vendors to deliver successful projects.
- Independently designed, developed, and tested custom code to fulfill business requirements.

## Education

### Master of Science, Information Technology Management

Western Governors University

January 2023 to May 2023

### Bachelor of Science, Business Administration

Clarion University of Pennsylvania — Clarion, PA

2011 to 2014

## Certifications

- Microsoft Certified: Azure Fundamentals
- CompTIA Server+

## Technical Skills

- Infrastructure Architecture: on-prem & cloud
- Virtualization: VMware vSphere, Azure, Proxmox
- OS: Windows Server, Linux, FreeBSD
- Cloud: Azure, Microsoft 365, Citrix Cloud
- Networking: Meraki, Ubiquiti, pfSense, DNS, DHCP
- Storage: SAN (HPE Nimble), NAS (TrueNAS), DFS Replication
- Security: Veeam, Mimecast, Gradient, CrowdStrike, SentinelOne
- Directory Services: Active Directory, Group Policy
- Collaboration: SharePoint, Teams
- Scripting & Automation: PowerShell, Bash, Batch

## Links

- Resume Website - <https://ferringer.me>
- LinkedIn - <https://www.linkedin.com/in/brettferringer>
- GitLab Profile - <https://gitlab.ferringer.me/brettferringer>