

# Noah Xu

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*I will help you transform your IT so you can focus on what matters!*

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## AREAS OF EXPERTISE

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- EMC VMAX/VNX/XIO/Isilon
- HP/DELL/Cisco servers
- HP/UCS blade servers
- Cisco FC directors
- DataDomain
- SpectraLogic/StorageTek tape libraries
- IBM AIX Power servers
- Epic EHR
- Microsoft messaging, database, virtualization
- Symantec NetBackup
- VMware stack
- Oracle database, PeopleSoft, licensing
- Systems architecture
- Operational and Capital budgets
- Cost benefit analysis
- RFI/RFP
- Contract negotiation
- Technology initiatives
- People management
- Strategic IT direction

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**Northwestern Memorial HealthCare - Chicago, Illinois - March 2014 - Present**  
*Enterprise Systems Manager*

- Provide centralized infrastructure design and strategic direction on major platforms
- Lead team of architects and engineers for major infrastructure disciplines
- Manage monthly and yearly budgets for all infrastructure spending

**Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine - Chicago, Illinois - September 2013 - April 2014**  
*Interim Director of Infrastructure*

- Lead project teams and manage centralization efforts

**Northwestern Medical Faculty Foundation - Chicago, Illinois - April 2010 - March 2014**  
*Lead Systems Architect (Oct. 2012 - Mar. 2014)*

- Architect of Campus Infrastructure Solutions
- Data Center Operational Manager
- Infrastructure Team Manager and Budget Management

***Storage and Server Engineer (Nov. 2011 - Oct. 2012)***

- Technical Architect of Disaster Recovery Solution
- SAN, Virtualization, and Server Engineer

***System Administrator II (Apr. 2010 - Nov. 2011)***

**Chicago Tribune Company - Chicago, Illinois - November 2004 - April 2010**  
*Senior Systems Administrator (June 2007 - Apr 2010)*  
*Desktop Support Analyst (June 2006 - June 2007)*  
*Technology Support Analyst (Nov. 2004 - June 2006)*

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## EDUCATION

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**Master of Science, Business Information Technology**  
*DePaul University - Chicago, Illinois (November 2014 with distinction)*

**Bachelor of Science, Telecommunication Management**  
*DeVry University - Chicago, Illinois (March 2003 cum laude)*

References Available Upon Request