

Ren Buckland

Chief Operating Officer (COO), Connected Technologies, LLC

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Professional Summary

Seasoned Chief Operating Officer with over 25 years of experience in managing IT operations, strategic planning, and business development. Proven track record of enhancing operational efficiency, driving growth, and delivering high-quality IT solutions. Adept at leading cross-functional teams and implementing innovative technologies to support business objectives.

Professional Experience

Connected Technologies, LLC

Athens, GA

Chief Operating Officer (COO)

January 1997 – Present

- Oversee daily operations and strategic initiatives to ensure alignment with company goals.
- Lead a team of IT professionals in delivering comprehensive IT support, managed services, and network solutions to a diverse client base.
- Implement best practices for proactive IT management, reducing downtime and enhancing system performance.
- Drive business growth through client acquisition, relationship management, and service innovation.
- Ensure compliance with industry standards and regulatory requirements.

Certifications

- **FCC PG - General Radiotelephone Operator License**
 - Credential ID PG00066976
- **State of Georgia - Low Voltage-Telecommunications Electrician**
 - Credential ID LVT305499
- **State of Florida - Certified Specialty Electrical Contractor: Limited Energy Systems**
 - Credential ID ES12001498

- **State of North Carolina - Electrical Contracting Special Restricted Fire Alarm/Low Voltage Classification**
 - Credential ID SP.FA/LV.31284
- **State of Tennessee - Licensed Contractor S-Low Voltage**
 - Credential ID 69647
- **State of California - C-7**
 - Credential ID 1080839
- **State of Virginia DPOR Electronic / Communication Service (ESC)**
 - Credential # 2705166565
- **State of Washington**
 - License # CONNETL771DA
- **State of Louisiana**
 - License #61726

Key Skills

- IT Operations Management
- Strategic Planning
- Business Development
- Team Leadership
- Network Security
- Managed IT Services
- Client Relationship Management
- Project Management
- Regulatory Compliance
- Over 15 years of extensive experience in RF, specializing in Cable TV plants and headends, Wi-Fi RF design and installation, ERCES and cellular DAS system installations.

I am dedicated to leveraging technology to drive business success and operational excellence. My extensive experience and commitment to quality make me a valuable asset to Connected Technologies, LLC and its clients.