

Some of our Clients

WheresCherie.COM --- New Media / Journalism



This site was recently recommended by Yahoo! and USA Today to their readers and continues to be one of the most popular sites with their members. Cherie Sogsti, a travel writer for several magazines and news papers, needed an online presence to promote her writing and keep in communication with her fans. She also needed an easy interface to update the web site to permit her to concentrate on the creative process rather than technical details. RNS selected the web hosting company, selected a content engine, and made heavy

modifications to the engine to provide additional functionality and ensure site management was user-friendly.

Chip Express Corp --- Semiconductor / FPGA



Capacity and utilization planning were key concerns with this client, who had demanding CPU and storage requirements for chip design and simulation. RNS addressed resource issues by designing and deploying a resource utilization, sizing, and monitoring system which would help the client plan for future expansion. RNS also deployed a LSF-based grid-computing

environment needed for the clients newest chip design. Internal network bottlenecks were also impacting the client.s ability to engineer chip designs. To solve this we modernized the network architecture by deploying a gigabit fiber backbone connecting key servers together and converted the old switch architecture to a Layer-3 switched network. The ballooning problem of spam and email viruses also was one of the client.s problems. To answer this we deployed email gateways which automatically filtered out unwanted junk email as well as sanitized viruses from email attachments.

8x8 Inc --- VoIP Telephony



8x8, Inc.

8x8 was rapidly expanding and needed to scale their I.S. resources to match their companies. growth. RNS centralized the management of their network resources by deploying unified directory services. With many of their personnel on the road, secure remote access was a priority. To

meet this need RNS deployed a SecurID solution integrated with a Gauntlet Firewall/VPN. Additionally we consolidated an antiquated LAN architecture at the corporate headquarters by installing Cisco Catalyst 6500 series layer-3 switches. Finally we assisted in streamlining their internal help desk function and implemented a trouble-ticket system which lowered response times and ensured help desk requests were no longer lost.

Mediaplex, Inc --- Online Advertising



Mediaplex originally started as a handful desktop machines at a small co-location facility. The client.s sales force was selling advertising faster than their servers could provide them and they needed a new scalable architecture immediately. RNS first addressed the problem by implementing a load-balanced fault-tolerant network architecture, then proceeded to tune the web servers and applications so that the client got maximum utilization of their computing resources. Additionally RNS automated the web server installation process allowing rapid deployment of new resources. The network sustained 25 million hits daily. With their success the client prepared to IPO and needed key policies established to meet the underwriter.s requirements. RNS established client.s key I.T. operational policies, speeding and smoothing the pre-IPO audit process.



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