Recommendations:

"Linc is one of the most professional administrators I have had the pleasure of working with. He is hard-working, dilligent, and never resists the urge to extol the benefits of Linux to anyone who will listen." August 26, 2009

• Andrew Gliddon, System Administrator, Thomas Jefferson University worked directly with Linc at Thomas Jefferson University

"I having worked with Linc for the past two years, I am continually impressed with the breadth and depth of Linc's Linux technical knowledge, customer service focus and ability to convert abstract business requirements into sustainable technical solutions." August 19, 2009

 David Reis, Director of IT Security and Policy, Thomas Jefferson University worked with Linc at Thomas Jefferson University

"Linc is a detail-oriented production Sys Admin. Since Linc's arrival, the reliability of our Linux environment has improved dramatically. Our team can rely on Linc to manage and maintain his systems without error. Also, those of us with lesser Linux skills look to him for advice and assistance. I look forward to learning more under Linc's excellent tutelage!

Linc is also a superb PHP coder. As Operations Manager, I am responsible for the layout and maintenance of our datacenter. When I took on this responsibility, I searched for an application that could track all of the things I needed to manage - physical location of hardware, power, heat, etc. Finding nothing suitable, I turned to Linc for help and described what I needed. Linc created, from scratch, a datacenter management application called Rackspace that manages all of these things. Today, Rackspace is an integral part of our datacenter management toolset." August 18, 2009

• Tom Parker, Operations & Projects Manager, Thomas Jefferson University managed Linc indirectly at Thomas Jefferson University

"I'll make this short and sweet. Lots of people 'sort of' know Linux. Linc really knows Linux. If you need a Linux expert, he's your man." August 20, 2009

• Steven Vaughan-Nichols, Owner, Vaughan-Nichols & Associates was with another company when working with Linc at The LinuxLink TechShow

"Linc is a positive, get things done sort of person. He can take your vision to places you never imagined with Free and Open Source software." August 18, 2009

• Beth Lynn Eicher, Board member, Ohio LinuxFest Corporation was with another company when working with Linc at The LinuxLink TechShow

"Linc did some of the most thorough and insightful interviews regarding Neuros. Sometimes there were hard questions, but I have always enjoyed being on the show and always felt the interviews gave the listeners something interesting." August 18, 2009

• Joe Born, CEO, Neuros Technology Intl, LLC was with another company when working with Linc at The LinuxLink TechShow

"Linc is a consummate professional and open source advocate. He can save your company money by implementing a open source solution that will not only work, but work well. Your company will not regret hiring Linc." September 23, 2009

• Joel McLaughlin, System Admin, CSCC worked directly with Linc at Linux/unix F/OSS

"Linc has been a consummate professional in all things related to the Linux Link Techshow. From developing and running the main website to working with people and companies in the industry Linc has proven his technical and social skills time and again. Should I need a task completed I would never hesitate to seek Linc's assistance." August 18, 2009

• Daniel Washko, PHP Developer, Dominion Enterprises worked directly with Linc at The LinuxLink TechShow

"Linc is co-host of one of the most popular streaming audiocasts that I am aware of on the Internet, where Free/Open Source Software are concerned. He works hard to understand the numerous technologies with which he works and about which he and his co-hosts report. I have met Linc in person and know him to be personable, insightful and witty, which is in keeping with his role on the Linux Link Tech Show. He and his co-hosts go to great lengths to produce a show that is informative, relevant and humorous." August 18, 2009

• Don Parris, Owner/Publisher, Blue Gnu Media & Technology was with another company when working with Linc at The LinuxLink TechShow

"Linc is very knowledgeable and brings a wealth of experience with various computer systems and applications. He's very professional and brings a lot to the table. He has many years as systems admin and programmer." August 19, 2009

• Patrick Davila, Co-host, The Linux Link Tech Show worked directly with Linc at Linux/unix F/OSS

"Linc is extremely knowledgeable regarding many things Linux/Unix. As a former cohost of The Linux Show webcast, I appreciate the work he has done on the Linux Link Tech Show. It is difficult to stay up on both the technologies produced by the Free/Open Source software movement as well as the living community which creates those technologies, but Linc has done an admirable job of both. Linc is an excellent choice for companies wanting to step above "just another coder" to someone who has displayed a much deeper understanding of how F/OSS software is created and grows organically within the market. His experience as a communicator within the F/OSS community also puts him in a place above many of his contemporaries." August 18, 2009

• Russell Pavlicek, Senior Editorialist, The Linux Show worked with Linc at Linux/unix F/OSS

"Programmer and system administrator, Linc Fessenden is truly a Linux expert -- and an adamant supporter of the Open Source community. Author of BashPodder, a free and simple podcatching client for Linux/Unix systems, Linc is also founder and co-host of the LinuxLink TechShow. On this weekly webcast, he often demonstrates his Linux expertise. He is also the founder of the Lehigh Valley (Pennsylvania) Linux User's group. In the spirit of Open Source, one of Linc's current projects is FreeLinuxBox.org, which matches donors of discarded, but operational computers with individuals in need of them.

Linc's advice and expertise have been instrumental in helping me to learn Linux to the point that I provide support for new Linux users myself. His knowledge and inspiration have helped me to be a regular guest Linux expert on a tech radio show, and the creator and host of my own Linux webcast. Thanks Linc!" August 18, 2009

Top qualities: Personable, Expert, Creative

• Larry Bushey hired Linc as a IT Consultant in 2006, and hired Linc more than once