

Role: Senior Web Applications Developer

Job Type:	Permanent, based in our offices in Reading
Hours:	40 hours per week over 5 days (Monday – Friday)
Salary:	£35-45k base salary depending on experience plus car allowance
Benefits:	Life Insurance & Critical illness

Introduction to Opsera

Opsera helps companies take advantage of high quality Open Source software to achieve their business vision. We are Open Source experts, providing both products and services to deliver an overall solution at lower cost than proprietary approaches.

We provide two products - Opsview, an award winning open source system monitoring and management application and OpsMailmanager, an email management application that works with Alfresco to improve collaboration by securely storing emails and their attachments in a shared content management system.

We are seeking an experienced Developer who is capable of working effectively within small teams as a team member or team leader as well as liaising directly with clients. This new role provides a real opportunity at the start of an exciting period of growth where your dynamism and vision could have a direct influence on the success of our Opsview business.

Role Description:

The role is predominately focused on our Opsview product suite. You will be responsible for developing the product and assisting clients with requests for specific feature development whilst providing expert technical guidance and dealing with technical issues and queries. Occasionally you will also assist in pre-sales and post-sales support activities working with the Product Manager and Architect, as well as providing input to the Opsview development process.

Training will be provided in Opsview and other open source tools, but prior knowledge of these or similar products would be advantageous.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Reviewing and contributing to functional specifications and detailed technical designs
- Developing and unit testing to these detailed designs
- Testing and QA
- Validating development estimates and timescales, and taking responsibility for meeting the resulting deadlines
- Working as directed with Open Source projects and contributing as required.
- Maintaining current technical documentation at the code and design levels
- Working with service developers and operational staff to package, deploy and maintain a reliable support service based on the developed software
- Maintaining and developing the software on an ongoing basis

Required skills:

- 3+ years of software development experience
- First/2.1 in Computer Science, Mathematics or similar degree
- Experience in browser based technologies such as JavaScript, HTML, CSS, AJAX, REST, JSON
- Experience with Java Web technologies

- Experience with writing SQL queries for Oracle or MySQL

Desired skills:

- Prior experience of working in small teams
- Experience in version control systems, such as Subversion and Git
- Experience in Nagios
- Experience in Perl and bash
- Experience in Ext JS framework
- Experience in writing web applications in the GWT framework

You must be a high energy self-starter, able to work with minimal supervision and comfortable working within a framework of objectives without the need for day to day guidance and direction. This position will involve occasional travel to client offices both within and outside the UK. A genuine desire to help create and participate in developing our company, culture and future success will be a pre-requisite.

For the successful candidate, we offer a competitive salary with an attractive benefits package.

To register your interest in the role and for an initial conversation, please send your CV to peter.finnan@opsera.com

More information about Opsera can be found at www.opsera.com and about Opsview at www.opsview.com

Closing date for Applications: 5th August 2010