POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

Join one of the premier continuing and online education organizations in the nation to lead a development team building sophisticated programs across multiple enterprise systems. The University of Wisconsin-Extension, division of Continuing Education, Outreach and E-Learning (CEOEL) is currently seeking a Software Development/Engineering Manager to manage a technical team developing applications and services that push the boundaries of technology to enhance the student experience. The Software Development/Engineering Manager will lead new cutting edge Salesforce development of a customized Student Information System. He/she will have an opportunity to exercise their dev skills and manage the overall software development life-cycle. The Software Development/Engineering Manager serves as the primary contact with partner campuses, software vendors, and internal colleagues to lead innovative, agile development to meet the changing demands of our technology needs.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Lead and mentor a team of 7 engineers (Salesforce, PeopleSoft Campus Solutions, Enterprise Application Integration (EAI)) to develop the best technical design and approach for a highly scalable platform.
- Ensure integration testing and code reviews are completed for functionality and performance to maintain quality, assess team member skills and confirm compliance with best practices.
- Collaborate with Enterprise Architect and Business Analysts to create, prioritize, and deliver business objectives into delivered solutions.
- Create standards for development practices with the development team focusing on continuous improvement.
- Ensure the team meets delivery deadlines, quality goals and collaborate with other teams to help define the product backlog.
- Determine development priorities throughout the organization and establish processes across the entire development life cycle.
- Foster culture of continuous development improvement through coaching and metrics.
- Serve as product owner for Salesforce.
REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Bachelor’s degree in Computer Science, Engineering, Math, Physics or related field of study.
- 4 years of software developer experience.
- Experience as a team lead or manager of a development team.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Master’s degree in Computer Science, Engineering, Math, Physics or related field of study
- Experience with iOS or Android application development
- Experience with Meteor
- Experience with SaaS applications (e.g. Salesforce, Java, .NET, APEX, JavaScript)
- Experience with Oracle, PeopleSoft and student information systems
- Experience in delivering solutions that incorporate clouds services (e.g. AWS, Azure)
- Actively seeks new skills and knowledge to keep up with the latest technology trends

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES

- Technical expertise and demonstrated experience with multiple modern object-oriented and mainstream scripting languages and testing practices.
- Experience with Agile methodology and how it can be customized to fit a project team and achieve organizational goals.
- Experience with Enterprise Application Integration (EAI).
- Experience building or working with a team developing high-performing software.
- Practical experience with performance analysis and testing.
- Strong communication skills and the ability to bridge the gap between technical and business teams.
- Strong interpersonal and creative problem solving skills.

HOW TO APPLY

A complete application will include the following:

1. A letter of interest addressing the applicant’s qualifications and experience as they relate to the responsibilities of the position.
2. A professional resume.
3. Names, email, addresses, and telephone numbers of three professional references including at least one current or past supervisor.

Click HERE to apply
If you are a current UW Employee, please make sure to click on the Advanced Search link and enter 12399 into the Job Opening ID field.

Please direct requests for information to:

Amy Kiska, Human Resources Specialist
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TO ENSURE CONSIDERATION

For assured consideration, complete applications must be submitted by Monday, October 24, 2016.

ORGANIZATIONAL SUMMARY

UW-EXTENSION

University of Wisconsin-Extension is an Institution within the UW System that provides access to resources from all 13 four-year universities, 13 freshman-sophomore UW Colleges campuses and statewide UW-Extension allowing prospective learners the ability to learn, grow and succeed at all stages of life.

CONTINUING EDUCATION, OUTREACH AND E-LEARNING

Continuing Education, Outreach and E-learning (CEOEL), a division of University of Wisconsin Extension, provides system-wide leadership, advocacy and support for lifelong learners and creates innovative ways for all learners to access and connect with the University of Wisconsin. As a national leader in providing innovative, engaging, and highly effective online programs and student services, CEOEL staff support fully online associate, bachelors, and master’s degree programs offered through the 26 campuses in the University of Wisconsin System. To learn more about CEOEL, visit http://ce.uwex.edu/.