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Software Developer

Job Title	Software Developer
Salary Range	18,000 - 21,000 p.a. (DOE)
Contract	3 Month Fixed Term
Hours of work	Mon - Fri, 9am - 5pm
Place of Work	Plymouth Software Limited Plymouth Science Park PL6 8BX

Summary

We're looking for a Software Developer to design, build, implement and support both new and existing web applications.

You'll collaborate with clients to understand their requirements, and work with the team using Agile processes to deliver high-quality software.

You'll use a range of technologies, but primarily you'll be working with Ruby on Rails.

You'll be involved in the full development cycle: prototyping, developing, deploying and maintaining production-quality applications.

No agencies or recruiters.

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Primary Responsibilities

Design, build and implement full-stack web and mobile software applications to meet clients' needs, primarily using Ruby on Rails.

Assist with application architecture and solving technical problems.

Support and maintain new and existing software applications developed for our clients.

Deploy and manage applications using modern tooling and hosting services, such as Docker, Heroku, Netlify and Amazon Web Services.

Work with clients to understand and interpret their requirements, propose and develop solutions.

Write test suites, perform regular code reviews, and use best-practice software development processes.

Write code that meets the highest security standards to ensure the protection of systems and data.

You'll have...

A graduate degree in a computing discipline, or equivalent experience. We also welcome placement applications if you are studying for your degree.

Experience building database-driven web applications.

Experience using a version control system (VCS) to maintain code.

Experience using web front-end languages/markup (HTML, CSS, Javascript)

Excellent communication and time-management skills.

A keen eye for detail and high coding standards.

A high level of self-motivation, a desire to learn and constantly develop your skills.

You may also have...

Experience with the Ruby on Rails and PostgreSQL.

Familiarity with Git and Github.

Some experience writing mobile applications, and using other languages such as modern Javascript.

A little bit about us...

We build, manage and maintain business applications. We primarily use the Ruby on Rails framework, and host applications on Heroku or container stacks (e.g. Docker)

We also maintain some native mobile applications, so you'll have the opportunity to write code using other languages and platforms.

We provide...

Skills development. We'll help you to build your technical skills through varied work. You'll be fully involved in the software delivery lifecycle, gaining experience using a range of technologies, and collaborating with customers.

Great facilities. We're based at Plymouth Science Park, which is perfectly situated with nearby nature parks for a peaceful lunch break, on-site showers and cycle storage. Plymouth Science Park also offer various clubs including a running club and Pilates, and there are nearby health and fitness facilities.

Opportunities. Just like you, we want to learn and grow the business, and strongly encourage your ideas and feedback. We'll hold company retrospective days, and support you in your professional development .

What we use...

Our core technology is Ruby and the Ruby on Rails framework. We usually host applications on Heroku, or a similar container environment (e.g. Docker).

We use Git and GitHub to maintain our code repositories.

To support our business and our customers, we also use other tools and technologies, including Jekyll, Netlify, Android (Java/Kotlin), iOS (Obj-C / Swift), Ubuntu, Amazon Web Services, Digital Ocean, Trello, and Slack.

How to apply...

Send your CV and covering letter to jobs@plymouthsoftware.com.