

Hooja, Inc. Job Opening

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Job Title: Java and Web Engineer

Position Type: Java Developer

Description

Hooja is an early-stage, stealth-mode company set to revolutionize the way people use their mobile phones to interact with real-world information. Through a dynamic, intuitive interface, consumers will be able to capture data of all descriptions on the go and store it in an online account they can instantly access at any time, from any device.

You will make these goals a reality by working with the Technical Architect on developing advanced user interaction platform using various J2EE technologies and JavaScript / Ajax. You will also get familiar with a variety of advanced natural language processing and data mining techniques, as well as a wide range of communication protocols and technologies.

This is a unique, ground-floor opportunity to be one of the company's first employees, and work alongside a small, highly talented, and accomplished team. Hooja's funding includes some of the most recognizable investors in Silicon Valley. Our product is ready to launch on all major U.S. carriers (Verizon, Cingular, Sprint, T-Mobile). We are looking to expand the team with bright, motivated and curious people, who are looking for a challenging environment with ample opportunity for growth.

Job functions:

- . Gather business and technical requirements
- . Develop technical specifications to achieve business requirements
- . Design and provide feasibility inputs for web page mockups
- . Create and maintain application documentation (specifications, detailed designs, etc.)
- . Enable application release process
- . Debug application when necessary
- . Work with front-end UI/HTML designers, product managers, and QA.
- . Write unit tests for new features

Working Environment

Hooja's early team is exceptionally motivated, accomplished, and passionate, and the working environment is highly collaborative, collegial, and informal. For the time being, most of your programming will be done remotely. You will meet frequently with Project Manager and Technical Architect but must thrive working independently, with most contact being via email, IM, conference calls and screen sharing applications such as GoTo Meeting.

We currently hold daily conference calls and weekly meetings, and expect to move into offices in the Palo Alto area by the end of October.

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Qualifications

Preferred qualifications include degree in Computer Science or equivalent, deep knowledge of Java object-oriented principles, and experience with full software

development lifecycles. The successful candidate must be comfortable working independently, setting priorities, and developing goals and must provide a solid track record in Java EE development.

Requirements:

- . BS in Computer Science or equivalent; MS a plus
- . In-depth experience with Java
- . Experience with servlets and server side web development is essential
- . Working knowledge of leading-edge design principles
- . Knowledge of object-oriented development, threading and scalability issues
- . Experience with XML, especially Dom4j or JDom
- . Accurate time estimates
- . Comfortable with iterative development
- . 4+ years of development experience

Pluses (and big pluses):

- . XSL transforms
- . Experience with Oracle database
- . Experience with Web Services, SOAP
- . Experience using Ajax
- . Experience using Hibernate ORM a big plus
- . Enthusiasm for solving challenging problems
- . Willingness to take on new product features and responsibilities
- . Interest in working on a rapidly changing, ever-evolving system
- . Background in natural language processing, machine learning and data mining a huge plus

Required Skills

- . Programming Languages: Java, JavaScript
- . Technologies: J2EE, Ajax
- . Operating Systems: Linux
- . Scripting and Markup Languages: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, XML
- . Specific Competencies: JDK 1.5 (i.e., you use generics)
- . Databases: Oracle
- . Web Servers: Apache, Tomcat

Application Details

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