



Java Software Engineer

Job Description

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About Boathouse Group

We believe in the power of developing standout ideas. Since 2001, we have built a team of almost 40 full-time professionals, and today our client list includes Merrill Lynch, TomTom, Caritas Christi Healthcare, EMC, Nantucket Nectars, Harvard Business School, and others.

We are aggressively changing how we work as an advertising agency. We do not want to be just another traditional advertising agency with digital capabilities slapped on as a side group. We do not want to create another digital-only agency. The future of the Boathouse Group is about creativity and technology.

We will continue to focus on standout ideas, but we will deliver them as both campaigns and experiences. Additionally, we will be spending \$4 million worth of our time and capital to launch new businesses. We work for clients and we will be the client. We will prove how good we are at using creativity and technology to create business successes.

If you have a history of defining and implementing standout ideas, we would love to connect.

Position Overview

Boathouse is looking for a talented Java Software Engineer for a 6-month contract assignment. The ideal candidate has 3 to 7 years of experience creating Web-based applications. Compensation: \$45 - \$65/hour depending on experience.

Job Responsibilities

- Work from prototype to finish on web-based applications including:
 - Social network data search startup venture utilizing Solr/Lucene search technology, MySQL database, Spring/Hibernate object-relational mapping and Spring MVC web technologies
 - Auto purchasing startup venture using Java, MySQL and Spring MVC
 - Mobile applications accessing back-end JSON APIs (iPhone, Android)
 - Coordinating API development with web developers (JavaScript, jQuery, Flash)
- Develop clean, well-documented code for both visual and data-driven applications
- Maintain organization over personal development resources, documented code, standards, etc.
- Commit to constantly improving one's skills and staying current of developments and trends in the industry
- Actively share knowledge with team members and across the company

Qualifications

Technical Experience

- 3+ years experience and expert knowledge of object-oriented software production in languages such as Java, Ruby, C++ or C#
- 2 years of hands-on experience with Java programming, including Spring and Hibernate
- 2+ years of hands-on experience with a commonly used high-level IDE such as Eclipse or Visual Studio
- Good working knowledge of common web-based technologies such as HTML, JavaScript, CSS and AJAX
- Hands-on experience designing and developing database-driven applications, using SQL and object-relational frameworks such as Hibernate or NHibernate (or equivalent)
- Experience with advanced JavaScript/AJAX frameworks such as jQuery or prototype is a plus
- Hands-on experience designing and developing database-driven applications
- Open-source competency, Unix command line experience and Web/application server administration are big pluses
- Emerging/new technology knowledge is a plus, including OpenSocial, Facebook Platform, Adobe AIR, Flex 3, Silverlight, iPhone SDK, Android SDK, etc.



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Education

- Bachelor's degree required, preferably with a computer science focus
- Additional coursework and certificate programs preferred

Additional Requirements

You must be team-minded as we work as one integrated group. Additionally, you need to be willing to fight for ideas and prove yourself within a meritocracy-based culture.

You must be authorized to work in the United States on a 1099 (CON_IND) or corp-to-corp (CON_CORP) basis.

To apply for this position please email us at jobs@boathouseinc.com and reference "Software Engineer" in the subject line.

No phone calls please, and no recruiting agencies.