



Job Specification:

Position: JUNIOR SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Responsible To: Technical Team Lead/IT Manager

Background:

Seopa Ltd is a leading provider of financial price comparison engines. As well as providing this software and systems for other companies, we also operate our own insurance comparison brands - Quotezone.co.uk and CompareNI.com, which generate over 2,000,000 quotes per year.

Our systems enable insurance companies to place business with customers from their target markets and enable consumers to easily find providers who can meet their financial product requirements at market leading prices. Additionally, our affinity partnership arrangements enable other companies to use our quote engines to increase the range of services offered (and revenue generated) by their websites.

With over 400 financial partners in the insurance industry including those that provide quotes both online and offline, and numerous affinity partners who use our powerful technologies, we are a trusted, respected, successful and profitable company. Our success has been recognised by a series of awards including three Deloitte Technology Fast 50 awards and a Deloitte EMEA Technology Fast500 award in 2013.

Based in Belfast, with offices in Romania, we have over 50 staff engaged in Software Development, Account Management, Sales, Marketing and Business Development. Once again, we are expanding our workforce to enable us to further increase our mutually beneficial relationships with other businesses. As part of this expansion we are seeking to appoint an energetic and enthusiastic technologist capable of defining and leading the implementation of Seopa's future software architecture.

Role Description:

This is an exciting opportunity to learn and build your experience as Seopa aim to build on the success achieved to become a significant European player. The role involves developing web applications to support future business growth and improved system performance. This is a hands-on role requiring the successful candidate to be actively involved in all current and future development projects.

Key Requirements:

- Experience of web development technologies such as Java, PHP, MYSQL, HTML and JavaScript.
- Strong problem solving, analytical skills and programming ability
- Clear, accurate and concise written and verbal communication skills
- Excellent attention to detail
- Highly organised with the ability to prioritise own workload and adhere to deadlines



Duties and Responsibilities:

- Develop Seopa's leading edge web comparison systems
- Ensure that all software developed meets business requirements and follows Seopa standards and processes
- Provide content for functional and technical documentation
- Review and constructively comment on the software, testing and documentation of peers
- Apply technical expertise to investigate and resolve customer software issues
- Work closely with the business and QA teams locally and globally