



Application Architect

Location: Toronto, Ontario (Liberty Village)
Compensation: TBD: dependent on experience
Status: Full Time
Start Date: Immediate

We are looking for an application architect. You should have at least 8 years of experience in creating web applications.

Filemobile enables next generation user generated content, social networking and broadband video services for Canada's top media companies and brands. We are a Toronto based, start-up company with a strong management team. Visit our site for details: www.filemobile.com.

Our vision is to offer our clients the broadest and best set of tools to enable user generated content, social networking and broadband video.

Filemobile is a web application platform, powering hundreds of social networking sites and providing web services to 3rd party sites. It is built using mainly PHP5, MySQL 5 and Memcached on a dozen Linux servers. It is expected you have experience implementing these technologies on a medium to large scale. Experience with multi-master setups and database sharding is a huge plus.

About 50% of the job will be coding. You'll need to have experience with application development within a team, and the ability to write legible code. You should be aware and have experience with the "Gang of four" design patterns, but not love them. You should be a pragmatist and have an affinity with simple design. You should prefer interface over implementation or be able to convey why you don't.

You'll be closely working with a development team and management team, which constitutes the other 50%. Therefore we expect you to have very strong communication and documentation skills and be a team player.

Requirements

- 8+ years demonstrated development experience in web application development.
- 4+ years experience with PHP.
- Strong MySQL skills, including advanced features such as replication, optimization and storage engines.
- Fluent in speaking and writing English.
- Strong communication skills.

Additional Skills

- Experience with PHP5 Object Oriented Programming.
- Experience with Javascript frameworks, such as Prototype, Scriptaculous or JQuery.
- Flash application integration into an HTTP backend.
- Creating and consuming web services (xml, soap, rest, json, amf).
- Profiling / Benchmarking web applications
- Video distribution experience.
- Amazon EC2/S3 experience.
- Experience with unit-testing.
- Excels in ability to deal with people at all levels and build trust and confidence with management and employees.

Please send your resume to talent@filemobile.com. Thanks in advance to all who reply. Only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.

