Senior PHP Developer

Location: Los Angeles, CA potentially remote.

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Job Description

We are looking for a passionate Senior PHP Developer to join our backend team. The ideal candidate will be an enthusiastic developer eager to learn and grow his/her skills in the field. Telescope is a small company which is growing rapidly with huge growth potential for skills and projects.

Skills & Requirements

Minimum Qualifications

- 5+ years of JavaScript, PHP, and MySQL backend experience
- Strong HTML5 and CSS3

Preferred Qualifications

- Object-oriented application building experience in a professional Agile/Scrum environment
- Thorough understanding of relational databases such as MySQL or similar technologies
- Excellent coding skill in PHP, Node.js, Java, and/or C++
- Proficiency in Linux environment.
- Expert knowledge with MVC frameworks: CakePHP, Zend, Laravel, Symfony, etc.
- Experience with Sass and/or Less
- Understanding of User Interface workflows
- Knowledge working closely with git
- Excellent communication skills and being able to work independently or in a full team
- Experience in test automation and test-driven development
- Experience with AWS/EC2, or other cloud services
- Experience in CakePHP

Perks

- 16 paid days off per year
- All national holidays paid per year
- Comprehensive medical, dental, vision, life insurance, and 401k (up to 100% of 6%)
- Occasional catered lunch
- Free parking (or stipend depending on location)
- Partially paid cell phone coverage
- Fully stocked kitchen with snacks, drinks, and Starbucks coffee

- Two holiday parties per year for all employees
- Casual work attire

Current project examples:

- Continually improve the performance of our APIs to support high volume voting shows such as "The Voice" which processes up to 12,000 requests per second.
- Create new APIs to our existing platform to support various products/services.
- Re-design the database and refactor systems to support a new social-media platform such as SnapChat, so the audience may vote by submitting videos.
- Be constantly involved in design and development of new and exciting micro-features to add to the current product offerings.

About Telescope

The work environment at Telescope is exciting, engaging, and constantly dynamic. We have major media clients who depend on us year over year to deliver amazing products and support their live TV vote shows. We also have close partnerships with social networks such as: Facebook, Twitter and Instagram to which we deliver fan engagement products.

Telescope Inc. has been responsible for the most successful television and live media participation shows in the last decade: *American Idol, The Voice, Dancing with the Stars, So You Think You Can Dance, AMA, VMA.* We also work with Coca Cola, NASA, Project Greenlight, and others. We create the software that handles all parts of the voting, and now we are going after social as well. We work with massive scale, big data, and cutting edge technology. Our technical environment is full of passionate programmers who enjoy what they do every day.

Telescope Inc. is an equal opportunity employer which does **not** discriminate against: race, color, religion, national origin, age, sex, pregnancy, citizenship, familial status, disability, veterans, or any other protected class.

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