

## Application Developer

- Reports to: Director of Product Technology
- Salary Range: \$70,000 - \$80,000
- Location: Midtown, NYC
- Department: Digital

### Position Function

The Application Developer is a hands-on, head-down coder. Your primary role in this position is turning ideas into solutions, this may be done solo on smaller projects or as a team member on larger projects, providing both hands-on coding as well as participation in code reviews and architectural planning with other members of the team. While the position is primarily focused on new projects, it is also involved in bug-fixing and maintenance of existing, in-place, tools and solutions.

### Duties/Responsibilities

The Application Developer is expected to be a hungry technologist, looking for guidance on better understanding and utilizing existing technologies, as well as guidance on new technologies to investigate and learn. They should be a self-starter, working with a team to understand a project and begin implementation on it. The Application Developer play a key role in understanding the architecture of a solution and being the key implementor of that solution.

All Application Developers must have a thirst for new technologies, paradigms and architectures. As we migrate from our somewhat old and stale solutions, we need fresh minds to push us into more robust and more savvy applications. Interested in NoSQL, cloud-computing, high-availability infrastructure? So are we, come help us design and deploy our new systems using these technologies.

### Qualifications

#### Platforms

- Linux (Redhat, CentOS or Ubuntu: Server Platform)

#### Languages/Tools

- PHP5
- Javascript, JSON (preferably using jQuery)
- LAMP Stack (Apache, PHP, MySQL)
- Version Control (Subversion, Mercurial)
- Zend Framework (or another PHP-based MVC framework)

#### Technologies

- MVC Software Architecture
- Object-Oriented Software Development (in PHP & JavaScript)
- Database Schema Development and Optimization
- Ajax-based application development
- Content Management Systems (eZ Publish or Drupal preferred)

#### Knowledge, Skills & Abilities

- Ability to work within a team
- Should be able to translate and architectural plan and actual implementation
- Willingness to speak up when an idea is bad and work to provide alternatives

Work Experience: 3+ years

Education: Degree in Computer Science, or equivalent work experience

Certifications: N/A

Travel Requirements: None

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