Job Posting:174965 - Position: W26 Photonics Program Management Co-op 174965

Co-op Work Term Posted:	2026 - Winter
App Deadline	11/14/2025 09:00 AM
Application Method:	Through Employer Website
Posting Goes Live:	10/31/2025 12:51 PM
Job Posting Status:	Approved

ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

Organization	Ciena Canada
Country	Canada

JOB POSTING INFORMATION

Placement Term	2026 - Winter
<b> Job Title <b>	W26 Photonics Program Management Co-op 174965
Position Type	Co-op Position
Job Location	Ottawa, ON
Country	Canada
Duration	4 months
Salary Currency	CAD
Salary	25.0 per hour for 0 Major List
Salary Range $	$25.00-34.00
Job Description	

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Job ID: R029343
As the global leader in high-speed connectivity, Ciena is committed to a people-first approach. Our teams enjoy a culture focused on prioritizing a flexible work environment that empowers individual growth, well-being, and belonging. We're a technology company that leads with our humanity-driving our business priorities alongside meaningful social, community, and societal impact.
How You Will Contribute:
Reporting to the program management team, you will be working with software engineers and test engineers to track the deliverables for RLS or Waveserver releases.
• Participate in release management activities and scrum meetings
•Trouble shoot automated sanity issues, raise Jiras to track them
•Design and develop scripts to assist automated sanities.
The pay range for this position is $25.00-$34.00
Pay ranges at Ciena are designed to accommodate variations in knowledge, skills, experience, market conditions, and locations, reflecting our diverse products, industries, and lines of business. Please note that the pay range information provided in this posting pertains specifically to the primary location, which is the top location listed in case multiple locations are available.
In addition to competitive compensation, Ciena offers students access to the Employee Assistance Program (EAP), company-paid holidays, paid sick leave, and vacation pay as required by applicable laws.
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At Ciena, we are committed to building and fostering an environment in which our employees feel respected, valued, and heard. Ciena values the diversity of its workforce and respects its employees as individuals. We do not tolerate any form of discrimination. Ciena is an Equal Opportunity Employer, including disability and protected veteran status.
If contacted in relation to a job opportunity, please advise Ciena of any accommodation measures you may require.

Job Requirements

The Must Haves:
• Enrolled in bachelor's degree in Computer Science / Engineering or equivalent degree
• Excellent analytical, problem solving and programming skills (Python)
• Excellent communication and technical documentation skills.
• Excellent organization skills to manage time, resources, and priorities.
• Familiarity with Linux development environment and devops
• Comfortable in a team environment while still taking accountability and working independently as needed.

Assets:
• Good understanding of micro-service architecture and real-time systems.
• Experience with building APIs and services using CLI, REST, YANG, NETCONF.
• Experience with automated test frameworks such as Jenkins
• Experience with Scrum/Agile development methodologies.
• Experience with design and development tools such as Bitbucket, Eclipse, JIRA, GDB, Confluence

Citizenship Requirement   N/A

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Application Procedure   Through Employer Website

Cover Letter Required?   Optional

Special Application Instructions

Application Link:

https://ciena.wd5.myworkdayjobs.com/en-US/Careers/job/Ottawa/Photonics-Program-Management-Co-op---Winter-

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