

## Python Engineer

We're looking for a skilled, curious and passionate Python Engineer who wants to make a difference.

Dubai, UAE

Engineering

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### What responsibilities will you get when working with us?

Liaises with the other back end and front end engineers within your product stream, the QA team, the design team and your Tech Team Leads. As a Backend Engineer, you will be responsible for advancing our development stack and ensuring scale as we grow to millions of monthly active users across many countries.

### What will you need to be successful in this role?

- Backend Engineers build and maintain robust APIs - from the service that powers them right down to the line of code that perfects them.
- They ensure all our services are healthy, monitored, automated, and designed to scale.
- You'll work closely with other teams from the early stages of design all the way through identifying and resolving production issues.
- You will support a wide range of products focusing on automation, availability and performance, and above all reliability as well as supporting mobile engineers and business intelligence leading up to, during and after each sprint.
- You will live true to our ambitions of building an industry leading platform which is relentlessly focussed on innovation.
- Inside-out knowledge of free and open-source web application frameworks, e.g. Django, Flask and Bottle;
- In-depth understanding of Python; Meta-classes, decorators, descriptors, list comprehensions and multiple inheritance/mixins should be commonly used paradigms;
- In-depth knowledge of database management technologies, preferably MySQL, PostgreSQL and understanding of NoSQL databases
- Understanding of Agile Methodologies such as Kanban, Scrum and XP;
- Driven to gain insight into different new and old technologies;

- Experience working on high-traffic and large-scale web products;
- Experience with web infrastructure, distributed systems, performance analysis, search infrastructure;
- Must have experienced the whole development cycle from start to finish;
- Experience with various queuing system/message bus technologies such as RabbitMQ, kafka, etc;
- Should have good working experience with AWS technologies such as Elastic beanstalk, Elastic cache, RDS, Kinesis, etc;
- Exposure to deploying and managing *Docker containers*

### **Qualifications & specialist skills**

- 3+ years of experience with Python;
- 3+ years of experience in analysis, design, coding and implementation of next generation web applications in Python and Django;
- 2+ years of experience in API based architectures (eg SOA, micro-services);
- 1+ years of experience in AWS technologies;

### **Inspired and interested in the job? Apply!**

Are you ready to live your dream and apply for this role? It only takes a few minutes to apply using our simple application template. Once you've it out submit it online and our talent scouts promise to give it serious consideration. We will try to get back to you within the next two weeks but we have to admit, sometimes it takes a bit longer than that. If it does please don't worry we will respond to your application no matter what.

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