

Full Stack Developer (JavaScript/ PHP)

Location: Amsterdam, the Netherlands

The organisation

Hamster is a global social community platform for the growth company industry. A multi sided market place that brings together investors, companies in all growth phases and organizations in the periphery and provides them with an actively engaged community. Hamster is a platform where companies can professionally promote their companies and, share information, ask questions, identify partnerships and collaborations and to get introduced to potential investors.

The Hamster Platform aims to become the industry eco-system that provides investors, accelerators, incubators and innovation centres with a steady stream of high quality opportunities to review that match the types of opportunities they are looking for, as well as provide summary information about opportunities to minimise the amount of time and effort required to shortlist potential investment opportunities.

Hamster is a well-funded start-up based in Amsterdam, one of the main global start-up hubs. The first planning and development started in June 2019 and the release of the first commercial platform was on March 1st 2020.

Hamster is rapidly building a solid community and expanding its services and team. Therefore we are looking for our next colleague.

Position: Full Stack developer

Description of the role

As a Full Stack Developer, you will be working on responsive web applications in an empowered team of highly skilled software developers and QA engineers.

You will provide the best possible user experience, obviously securing cross-browser compatibility. We love a clean, testable, and maintainable code as we are building a product that is continually evolving. You are part of a multidisciplinary team being end-to-end responsible for delivery, from concept to production-ready software.

Main tasks and responsibilities

- You develop clean, high-performance code that facilitates and inspires our customers, partners and colleagues
- You find and implement ways to make solutions scalable and future-proof
- You help your team grow and team up with business stakeholders to ensure that solutions add customer value

- You take full, end-to-end ownership over all team solutions
- You experiment with cutting-edge tooling – including tooling you add to the stack.

Work experience and knowledge

- Bachelor or Master degree in Computer Science, or similar technical field of study or equivalent practical experience
- 4 years + experience with frontend and backend software development in JavaScript, PHP, AngularJS, NodeJS, jQuery
- 2 years + experience with SCRUM/ Agile development
- 2 years + experience with Object Oriented Programming (MVC)
- Hands-on experience working with AWS, SQS, STS, Cognito, API, deployment
- Relational and NoSQL databases (MongoDB, ElasticSearch)
- Experience with container development with Docker and Kubernetes
- Version control system like GitHub
- Debugging Tools (Chrome Dev Tools, Firebug, etc.)
- Unit testing experience
- Excellent written and oral communication in English (Key requirement)

You'll earn bonus points if you

- Have experience with DevOps, CI/ CD
- Have experience in a start-up/ scale-up company
- Like a drink (or two)

Personal attributes

- Highly energetic, adaptable, self-starter, team player
- Problem solver, takes responsibility
- Being persistent in writing great code
- You are OK with making mistakes and willing and able to learn from them
- Ability to work under pressure, with attention to detail

Salary and compensation

We are a well-funded start-up and therefore offer you:

- Market conform salary
- 25 paid holidays per year
- Annual education budget (50% of one gross monthly salary per year)
- Travel allowance
- Working from home is possible
- You will work with the latest gimmicks and technologies
- Unlimited Nespresso coffee

- Truly international working environment

If you are currently not living in the Netherlands please do apply. Hamster can assist you (if necessary) with visa applications and a smooth transition to the Netherlands and your new job.

If you think this sounds like we are talking about you and that this is the challenge and opportunity you were waiting for, then join the Hamster team!

If this is your role, please send us your cv and short motivation to hello@hamsterconenct.com.

You can also join us at:

