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As a PHP Developer for uAfrica, you will help to develop, implement and support one or more of the SaaS solutions that we currently offer. You are a hands-on developer who isn't afraid to put their ideas forward while working collaboratively in a team environment.

uAfrica operates in the eCommerce space and is well-known for providing shipping and fulfilment solutions. We love working with cutting-edge technology and focus on getting the job done using the best tools available.

REQUIREMENTS:

- Degree in Computer Science or Engineering or equivalent experience.
- Proficiency in working with PHP MVC frameworks.
- Experience using continuous integration and deployment tools.
- Exposure to AWS cloud infrastructure is preferred.
- Fluency in English is essential.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Develop and test software for SaaS-based applications.
- Work closely with the development team in completing features.
- Troubleshoot and fix any issues relating to PHP applications.
- Ensure smooth operations and scalability of web processes and infrastructure.
- Create scripts to facilitate SaaS-based systems to meet performance and objectives.
- Produce results effectively and within set deadlines.
- A strong focus on back end development.

SKILLS REQUIRED:

- You will be working with the following technology stack:
- PHP (CakePHP 4.1)
- Rest APIs
- React
- JavaScript
- MySQL
- GitHub
- RabbitMQ
- AWS cloud infrastructure

ATTRIBUTES/EXPERIENCE:

- Proven experience as a PHP developer in a competitive environment.
- Strong knowledge of PHP coding and web-based applications including MVC frameworks.
- Good understanding of website integration and software creation.
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills.
- Able to follow clear instructions according to the team's requirements.
- Strong analytical and problem-solving skills.
- Good team player that is enthusiastic about delivering results.

THE VIBE:

- uAfrica employees are dynamic, smart, customer-centric and fun, with a self-starter attitude.
- We work hard and play hard, enjoy creating solutions as a team, and are always open to new ideas.
- The office is a comfortable space with fantastic coffee, free drinks and snacks. There is no set dress code, flexible leave and many opportunities for personal and professional growth.
- You will have the opportunity to be part of a talented team that is open to sharing ideas allowing you to learn within an environment that encourages growth and personal development.

*Preference will be given to candidates based in Pretoria, South Africa.