

VACANCY -2453

REFERENCE NR : VAC00884

JOB TITLE : Advanced Software Developer

JOB LEVEL : D3

SALARY : R 760 490 - R 1 140 736

REPORT TO : Technical Manager

DIVISION : Application Development & Maintenance

DEPARTMENT: AM: Digital Services

LOCATION : SITA Centurion

POSITION STATUS: 24 - Months - Fixed Term Contract (Internal & External)

Purpose of the job

To develop, test, implement, debug, document, release, maintenance and enhancement of integrated software applications, in accordance with ICT standards and the enterprise architecture for Government.

Key Responsibility Area

- Lead the development of functional requirements that articulate clear and concise project deliverables that are compatible with user expectations.
- Deliver feasibility and cost-benefit analysis, including choice of application architecture to enhance the overall application development process.
- Lead and execute complex software development and customisation projects spanning multiple environments to ensure that it is successfully delivered.
- Lead and develop/ customise complex applications services solutions by studying information needs; consulting with clients, studying systems flow, data usage and work processes; investigating problem areas; following the software development lifecycle using SITAs software development stack/ development framework.
- Lead and execute maintenance of integrated IT software components using SITAs software development stack/ development framework.

Qualifications and Experience

Minimum:3-year National Diploma in IT / Degree in Software Engineering/ Computer Science /Information Technology or relevant qualification equivalent to NQF Level 6.

Certification: Vendor certification for applications will be an added advantage.

Experience: A minimum 7 years' experience with full software development lifecycle (SLDC), including solution development, operational responsibility in a large corporate/public sector organisation.

The experience must include:

- Experience in solution analysis, and development for the development, implementation and maintenance/enhancements of systems within the corporate/public sector, including:
- o Successfully developed and implemented applications
- o Software development team leadership competency
- o Software development deliverable effort planning, estimations and execution management
- o Developed efficient and effective IT solutions to diverse and complex business problems.

- o Extensive experience with a wide variety of database management systems and maintenance.
- o Extensive experience with a wide variety of programming languages and technologies.
- o Extensive experience with working on multiple tasks and report status. Experience in interacting with customers.

Technical experience: Comprehensive knowledge and experience with.NET Framework, one or more of the major programming languages, C#, ASP.NET MVC, HTML. Comprehensive knowledge and experience with one or more of the major database systems, MySQL, MsSQL, Oracle, MS Access, etc Comprehensive Teamworking experience. Strong knowledge of source control and version control tools.

Technical Competencies Description

Knowledge of: ICT Governance and Compliance. Extensive knowledge to design test plans according to the software requirements specification. Extensive knowledge of the software development process and its technologies. Programming Languages. Development, Implementation and Integration Methodologies, including Testing, Packaging and Release. IT Quality Management. Business Process Management. General Management, including Business, Human Resource. Management and General Financial Management. ICT Procurement practices. IT Security and ICT Standards. COTS (Commercial of the Shelf) Products. OSS (Open Source Software) Products. Application Maintenance and Support. Enterprise architecture framework (TOGAF, Zachman, FEAF, MODAF, GWEA Framework, MIOS). Extensive knowledge of user interfaces designs. Extensive knowledge of solution Integration strategies and tools Comprehensive knowledge of Cloud Computing Extensive knowledge of source control and version control tools like Git and SVN Comprehensive knowledge of virtualisation and containerisation Comprehensive knowledge of DevOps (Continuous Integration, Continuous Delivery, Continuous Testing, Continuous Monitoring Infrastructure as Code, Config Management) Comprehensive knowledge of Agile Methodologies (Feature-Driven Development, Test-Driven Development, Scrum, Extreme Programming) Extensive knowledge of coding Extensive knowledge of software testing techniques and tools Extensive knowledge of software team leadership.

Other Special Requirements

N/A

How to apply

To apply please log onto the e-Government Portal: www.eservices.gov.za and follow the following process;

- 1. Register using your ID and personal information;
- 2. Use received one-time pin to complete the registration;
- 3. Log in using your username and password;
- 4. Click on "Employment & Labour;
- 5. Click on "Recruitment Citizen" to create profile, update profile, browse and apply for jobs;

Or, if candidate has registered on eservices portal, access www.eservices.gov.za, then follow the below steps:

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For queries/support contact egovsupport@sita.co.za OR call 080 1414 882

CV`s sent to the above email addresses will not be considered

Closing Date: 12 August 2025

Disclaimer

SITA is an Employment Equity employer and this position will be filled based on the Employment Equity Plan. Correspondence will be limited to shortlisted candidates only. Preference will be given to members of designated groups.

- If you do not hear from us within two months of the closing date, please regard your application as unsuccessful.
- Applications received after the closing date will not be considered. Please clearly indicate the reference number of the position you are applying for.
- It is the applicant's responsibility to have foreign qualifications evaluated by the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA).
- Only candidates who meet the requirements should apply.
- SITA reserves the right not to make an appointment.
- The appointment is subject to getting a positive security clearance, the signing of a balance scorecard contract, verification of the applicants' documents (Qualifications), and reference checking.
- Correspondence will be entered to with shortlisted candidates only.
- CV's from Recruitment Agencies will not be considered.