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Beetle ForTech
Timber traceability solutions

BE OUR HEAD OF TECHNOLOGY!

We are a vision-driven start-up based in Austria, developing technologies that ensure seamless traceability of wood in an ever-changing regulatory environment. By integrating satellite-based monitoring systems and innovative in situ components into international timber harvesting and transport processes, we enable digitalized supply chain documentation and secure provenance of sustainable resources.

YOUR ROLE

We are looking for a Head of Technology to oversee the technical management in the development of Beetle ForTech's system landscape. You are a technology enthusiast with a profound knowledge of IT and computer systems. You take responsibility for technical operations, manage a team of developers to achieve business goals and implement user requirements. You are familiar with current technological trends. In combination with strategic thinking and strong business acumen, you extend Beetle ForTech's product and business portfolio. You motivate your team with great enthusiasm and together create trendsetting changes in the timber industry.

Earliest start: 01.04.2021

Workload: 160 h/month

SPECIFIC DUTIES

- Working closely with the Co-Founders to develop and deliver product vision, technical strategy, and roadmaps.
- Conceptualizing and realizing complex and resilient technical solutions by considering diverse needs of all stakeholders. You are thereby, responsible for overseeing the design, development, operation, and support of IT systems.
- Identifying technologies to further develop products and services of a growth-oriented start-up.
- Ensuring alignment of technical operations with the company's strategic vision, while adapting to changing external factors.
- You lead, scale, develop the IT engineering team and ensure that it is supported by the right structure, talents, processes, and technologies.
- You assign the right people, processes, technologies, and partners to achieve strategic and operational goals; create an operating environment that fosters agility, cost optimization, and risk minimization.
- You inspire your team and ensure spillover effects and know-how transfer.

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YOUR PROFILE

- Master's degree in Computer Science or Software Engineering, and ideally an MBA or a Business degree.
- At least 5 years of experience in personnel management and leading projects in a dynamic and fast-changing environment.
- Solid experience and proven success-record in managing all aspects of a leading technical position. This includes developing and implementing strategy, managing the department's project portfolio and core operational systems.
- You have excellent analytical skills.
- You are a strategical and conceptual thinker.
- You have experience:
 - ✔ in software development (C#, .NET, Java, ColdFusion, Python, etc.) and have great knowledge in data science.
 - ✔ in implementing comprehensive cloud solutions, such as AWS, Azure, GCC and are familiar with database systems like MSSQL, MySQL or NO-SQL.
 - ✔ working with latest technologies and respective concepts, e.g., Kubernetes, DevOps.
 - ✔ in agile project methodologies and Scaled Agile frameworks and bringing together interdisciplinary teams.
- You have excellent oral and written communication skills in German and English.
- You are tired of standing idly by, but actually want to curb climate change and illegal logging.

YOUR BENEFITS WITH US

You will work in a vision-driven young company that aims to stop illegal logging on a global scale. Innovation is our vision: you will work on developing an international tracking system for raw materials, covering everything from hand-held marking devices to earth observation systems.

We provide high-end equipment for the best results. With us, there will always be interesting projects using the latest technologies where you will have plenty of room for personal development.

Beete ForTech is where equal opportunities are provided to all staff, independently of race, sex, age, color, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, gender identity, genetic information or any characteristic protected by law.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Has this position awakened your interest, and you want to join the fight against illegal logging? Apply now!

Send the application to Matthias Sammer (matthias.sammer@beetlefortech.com).

Your application should include:

- ✔ Cover letter
- ✔ Curriculum vitae
- ✔ Link to your LinkedIn and Github profile