

Mobile Industries PLC

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Role: Sandwich Year Software Tester

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About The Job

Mobile Industries PLC is looking for several people to join its in-house software testing team to help deliver great quality to its customers.

We have openings for a limited number of people who will work alongside our permanent developers and testers during their industrial placement year, as part of our project teams.

Our testing team gets to see all new software before it is released, and is fully involved in any post-mortems, making this an excellent opportunity to learn more about what makes for successful software - and what to avoid when creating software.

As well as the great education we're offering, we will sponsor you to sit the ISEB Foundation Certification in software testing. In the past, we have also offered to sponsor exemplary candidates during their final year at university with a view to offering graduate tester roles after graduation.

Required Qualifications

To be considered for this role:

- you must be studying for a degree in Computer Science, Software Engineering, or other relevant science or engineering degree;
- you should be on-track for a 2:1 or first class degree.

Required Experience

The following list should give you an idea of the skill set we're looking for. Don't be alarmed if you don't feel your knowledge of these areas isn't as strong as you'd think. We will be offering training in these technologies, and our main concern is to find someone that works well within our team.

The skills we're looking for include:

- familiarity with websites created using HTML5 and CSS3;
- solid grounding in fundamental programming techniques;
- ability to devise and execute repeatable experiments;
- experience of working with a major Linux distribution (Debian, Ubuntu, RedHat or CentOS);
- experience with agile development techniques;

Familiarity with, or knowledge of, software testing tools such as JMeter and Storyplayer is desirable but not essential.

We're also keen to hear what additional experience you have that might be useful during your Sandwich Year with us.

Personal Qualities

A strong team ethic is essential to our success. We're looking for people who have both individual brilliance and who can work well as part of a team.

The personal qualities we're looking for include the following:

- effective communicator – our client base is entirely English-speaking, any successful candidate will be required to communicate directly with our clients, provide status reports and be able to write clear and concise documentation;
- team player – you'll be expected to work as part of a close-knit team from day one;
- self-starter – you'll be expected to use your time to learn and develop new skills within strict deadlines.

Salary, Location, Benefits

These positions are for a fixed term of 52 weeks, starting on 1 July 2020. They are based at our Head Office in Reading. The salary for these positions is £18,500 per annum and the working week is 37.5 hours.

You will receive 25 days holiday per year, plus public holidays. We offer a contributory company pension, private health care, free soft drinks, free fruit, and catered lunch every day.

How To Apply

Please email your covering letter and CV to cs-iy-admin@aber.ac.uk

Interviews will be conducted at Gregynog Hall in October.