

University of Rhode Island - Web Development Group

Web Developer Position(s)

Office Hours: M-F 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Some evening and weekend hours as permitted.

Work Location: 210 Flagg Road

Start Time: Spring 2008

ABOUT THE WEB DEVELOPMENT GROUP (<http://www.wdg.uri.edu>)

The URI Web Development Group (WDG) is a Web design and development service for the University community. It is a fun and challenging place to work. We use a variety of technologies to create Web sites and applications including PHP, MySQL, XHTML, CSS, Javascript, Flash, AJAX, XML and more.

The WDG is always looking for new members to join the team. Our goal is to expand the skill level and employability of URI students in Web technology field.

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Some students who work for the WDG are fulfilling internship requirements. Mentorship from professional staff and senior WDG members to juniors is also a great part of this internship. The chosen candidate will develop live Web applications for his/her portfolios.

JOB DESCRIPTION

Selected applicant may be involved in Web development and several other areas of web technologies, including database development and administration, content organization, and documentation. Specific tasks include:

- ✓ Review Web site projects, with an eye on how to best transmit ideas and functions through Web pages.
- ✓ Assist in coding scripts (both client-side and server-side) and creating database-driven Web projects, using standard cross-platform tools and technology (e.g., PHP and MySQL).
- ✓ Assist in documenting features, technical specifications for self-produced technical work and job processes.
- ✓ Assist in troubleshooting codes and compatibility issues among different browsers and platforms.

QUALIFICATION

- Solid experience with XHTML, and at least one middleware language (PHP preferred, but ASP/CF/JSP okay for someone willing to learn PHP). Experience with SQL preferred. Knowledge of JavaScript, CSS, and DHTML is a plus.
- A strong knowledge of database design (e.g., MySQL) and how they interact with Web pages is also necessary as well as a strong aptitude for troubleshooting. Good coding and code documentation habits.
- Ability to learn project objectives, programming strategies, tags and functions and apply them with minimal supervision.
- Ability to work effectively in a team environment.
- Positive attitude, professionalism and desire to learn.

TO APPLY

If interested, please contact the University Webmaster, Email: webmaster@uri.edu, Phone: (401) 874-4638. Applicants are recommended to submit samples of their work as part of the application process if available.