

Ruby Developer and Web Maven

We are seeking a developer for work on a significant ecommerce site, Perfume.com. We provide a challenging environment for any hacker. Our Rails deployments are some of the biggest on the web. We believe in small teams and developer autonomy.

Desired skills:

- Deep familiarity with Ruby
- Mastery of the web: (X)HTML, CSS, Javascript (are you acquainted with modern JS frameworks? Which is your favorite, and why?)
- Familiar with *nix-based OSs
- Our stack is Apache 2, Memcached, MySQL, Mongrel. We're considering mod_rails. The more of these you're familiar with, the better.
- Open-source experience a major plus

With your application, we'd greatly appreciate:

- A solution to any of the Facebook programming puzzles:
http://www.facebook.com/jobs_puzzles/index.php
- A list of problems you see with UNIX, and how you'd go about fixing them
- An outline of how you would architect a Twitter-clone capable of handling millions of messages per day

Please also send either a code sample you're proud of (in any language), or some URLs for your web-accessible work.

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