
IT Systems Engineer / Administrator

Company: RapidEye AG
Department: Information Technology
Location: City of Brandenburg, vicinity of Berlin, Germany
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If there were a way to use satellite technology to find you, we would do so. If you are an entrepreneurial, interdisciplinary-minded individual who would love to work at a fast-growing company in an international team, read on! We are building an exciting new service team and are looking for a select group of outstanding people.

Background:

RapidEye AG is a provider of geospatial management information and solutions, customized to the needs of clients in the Agriculture, Forestry, Power & Communication, Environmental and Governmental markets. As its main data source, RapidEye operates a constellation of five identical high-resolution Earth Observation satellites capable of imaging any point on Earth every day. Combining the knowledge and skills of our professional staff with the unique features of our satellite constellation and ground processing facility, we are the only provider who can supply the most up-to-date, customized information to clients around the world.

As a fast growing service and customer oriented company, RapidEye is seeking highly qualified, proactive and reliable team players working from our headquarters in Brandenburg an der Havel, Germany. RapidEye has an immediate opening for an IT Systems Engineer/-Administrator to join the IT-Team.

Responsibilities:

Depending on personal preferences and skill set we are looking for individuals to support us in systems engineering or end user support and operations:

- Support planning and implementation of new systems and services
- Operate and maintain a complex Unix/Windows infrastructure in a high-availability environment
- Analyze and resolve incidents, derive and implement preventive actions
- Perform continuous system optimization
- Automate recurring administrative tasks
- Support and advice end user

Requirements and Skills:

- Strong problem solving skills
- Structured approach to work
- Analytical skills
- Documentation skills
- Willingness to relocate to Brandenburg to perform on-call duty
- Highly organized, able to prioritize and work under tight deadlines
- Ambitious and committed to achieving success
- Flexible to adapt to fast-paced and rapidly changing environment
- Self-starter, works on own initiative, but communicates her/his plans, ideas, and concepts to her/his supervisor
- Must enjoy being part of a multi-disciplinary team
- Excellent written and oral communication skills
- Fluent in written and spoken English, German a plus, other languages welcome

Desired Specific Experience:

- University degree - Computer Science or similar
- Experience in maintaining complex Unix/Windows infrastructures
- Strong knowledge in several of the following topics: Unix/Linux, TCP/IP networks, virtualization technologies, high-availability solutions, storage area networks, server/storage hardware, Oracle/PostgreSQL databases, BI/OLAP/Reporting, Linux desktop environment
- Windows knowledge a plus

Compensation:

We offer an attractive compensation package with strong emphasis on success-driven elements with rewards being based on the long-term success of the company. RapidEye is an equal opportunity employer.

Contact:

If you think you can contribute to the overall success of our company, please send us your electronic application with a CV and cover letter in English or contact us directly at:

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We look forward to hearing from you soon!