Director of Platform Engineering

Job Overview

Moda Operandi is the global destination for luxury fashion, providing bespoke access, brand discovery, and unparalleled curation. At M’O you will have the unique opportunity to innovate, inspire others, and engage with fashion at the highest level.

We’re looking for a Director of Platform Engineering who is excited about shaping Moda’s technology roadmap and implementing solutions to improve the services we offer to our customers. You’ll partner with the Product team and other business units to select and implement suitable technology that aligns with Moda’s overall systems architecture and data strategy. You'll build an engineering team & culture that delivers excellent outcomes. You'll influence key decisions that will build the foundation for our technical products, which will have a lasting impact.

Our ideal candidate is someone that has experience with building practical and forward-looking software applications, understands architectural trade-offs, thinks strategically when facing buy vs. build decisions, and excels within a small, agile team.

Responsibilities

- Provide leadership, coaching, and mentoring to a cross functional systems engineering team
- Lead projects to maintain or replace infrastructure, hardware, or software
- Lead transformational efforts: service delivery, customer experience, or continuous improvement efforts
- Manage the deployment, monitoring, maintenance, upgrade, security and support of all systems and tools
- Provide one on ones and management meetings for filtering down information and opportunity for engineers to provide feedback
- Assist with making vendor selections and developing schedules and budgets
- Ensure engineers are empowered to make decisions (avoid micro management)
- Deploy, manage, and maintain applications and systems deployed to AWS and Google Cloud

Qualifications

- BS level technical degree or equivalent experience; Computer Science or Engineering background preferred
- Experience managing or leading a technical team
- Communication and collaboration skills to participate & shape the architecture, high level and detailed designs of the systems
- Positive work attitude, self-motivator, quick learner, and a team player
- Understands all aspects of the software development process
- Knowledge of software design practices including architecture, client / server programming and software design patterns