The Alabama Commission on Higher Education is accepting applications for the position of Software Engineer. This position reports to the Information Technology Services Manager and will include work with several aspects of technology and information systems.

RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE:
• Develops, writes and tests computer programs.
• Troubleshoots and debugs computer application problems to ensure data is accurate and information is reported correctly.
• Reviews and edits data submitted by institutions for completeness and accuracy and identifies and addresses problem areas.
• Composes documents such as reports, program documentation, and correspondence.
• Coordinates programming and testing with specified agency staff.
• Submits periodic reports to keep supervisor and Commission staff informed of work progress and emerging issues.
• Ability to test new software packages and deploy/implement them with the current system.
• Performs other tasks or assumes other responsibilities as may be assigned by the immediate supervisor, the Deputy Director of Financial and Information Systems and the Executive Director.

EDUCATIONAL/KNOWLEDGE REQUIREMENTS:
• Associate Degree in Information Technology; degree must be from a regionally accredited institution or at least three years’ equivalent experience in programming will be accepted in place of the required coursework.
• Experience programming in Microsoft Visual Basic.NET technologies.
• Knowledge and experience using Microsoft SQL server.
• Knowledge and experience with ASP.NET for website hosted applications.
• Knowledge and ability to implement smart modern web standards including accessibility and usability.
• Knowledge and experience with Microsoft Office Suite and Operating Systems and Office 365 apps (SharePoint, Power BI, Forms).
• Ability to work independently with minimal supervision.
• Demonstrated ability to perform effectively and positively in a fast-paced, team-oriented environment.

PLEASE NOTE:
A skills test and background check may be administered to candidates selected to be interviewed.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: October 15, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.

SALARY: Salary commensurate with a combination of education and/or experience.

BENEFITS: ACHE is a Non-Merit System agency. Thus, ACHE does not except the transfer of sick or annual leave from other State of Alabama agencies or other state entities, such as public colleges and universities, for use while employed at ACHE. You will be paid for unused annual leave by your current employers. Unused sick leave from other state entities will be applied toward your service time with the State of Alabama.

TO APPLY: Submit – (1) Cover Letter (must be an attached letter, not an email), which addresses the specific educational/knowledge requirements outlined above (obvious website generated cover letters or emails are not acceptable); (2) resume and (3) an ACHE Application (found on ACHE website at ache.edu under “About Us/Employment Announcements”). Failure to provide all three documents will result in your application being considered incomplete. The agency will not contact applicants concerning missing documents. References may be requested of the selected finalist. Emailed applications only.

SUBMIT TO: Veronica Harris, Director of Agency Fiscal Services & Accounting at Veronica.Harris@ache.edu
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