

Senior Code Junkie

We may be a startup, but we've got our thumbs in just about every pie around the Internet. As you can imagine, this requires either a lot of thumbs or someone hugely smart to help us figure out how to continually improve the ranking and relevance of our data mining exploits. Think you have the chops? Read on!

What will you be doing as our Senior Code Junkie?

So what exactly do we have planned for one of our top code junkies? Your focus, your sole purpose in life, will be to develop and architect the ranking and relevance of our exploration of the Web. There's a lot of data flowing through them pipes and we need your brain to design and implement practices and procedures for our ranking modules, ensuring quality and effectiveness. To top it off, you have to deliver bleeding edge solutions to some of our users' biggest problems – problems that maybe they don't even know they have yet – and help us build the next-next-next-generation web-content aggregation and search platform. As you can probably tell, we're out there and want to keep leading the pack.

Who are you?!

As one of our Code Junkies, you're something of a maverick and troubleshooter, always looking to solve wicked problems. Ideally, you have a strange and somewhat unexplainable passion for collecting and interpreting huge amounts of data. You also like to go that extra mile in identifying and extracting the best bits, no matter how obscure. And you've got some crazy ideas about aggregation and filtering, yet are able to bring it all back to simple, powerful ways of displaying your discoveries. Are you up for that kind of challenge?

Still looking for more corporate-type speak?

No problem. Your accountabilities will include...

- Contributing to a wide variety of projects to operate and maintain software applications related to different data mining and ranking modules within Thoora's products.
- Contributing to the development of new data mining and ranking techniques.
- Designing and implementing efficient algorithms for personalization, clustering, classification, search, among other things.



What makes you so special?

- BS/MSc degree in Computer Science or equivalent work experience.
- PhD would be a huge bonus!

One more thing to push you over the top...

- Meddlesome.

All ready to apply?

- Send your cover letter and CV to jobs@thoora.com!

About Thoora

Thoora is a new and unique service that helps people discover the news attracting the most attention within social and traditional media. Thoora identifies the most interesting stories by exploring the entire blogosphere, Twitter and traditional media sources in real-time to determine the stories attracting the most attention. Thoora was one of the 2009 TechCrunch50 finalists and was recently selected as one of the Branham Group Top 25 Canadian ICT Up and Comers.