

# **DevOps Release Manager**

## The company & products

Imagen helps sports, media and enterprise companies manage and distribute their ever-growing video libraries, enabling fast, easy, secure and controlled access to content through a highly customisable content portal.

Speed to market, greater choice and ease of access are critical to maximising the value of content. Imagen allows rights holders to monetise near-live video assets more effectively via a premium content distribution portal. Offering pinpoint time-based video searching, instant playback, online editing and highspeed file transfer, Imagen unlocks the full commercial potential in media libraries.

With customers including the Premier League, BBC Studios, IMG, BP, Press Association, Endemol, Lad Bible, NATO, Channel 4, Reuters, AON and many more, Imagen offers a comprehensive and powerful platform to ensure that video is managed in the most efficient and cost-effective way. As the sheer amount of video data grows throughout the world, Imagen strives to create solutions that can generate more value from archive and near-live video.

And, hot off the blocks is our new *Imagen Go* Software-as-a-Service solutionbringing AI powered ingest and indexing to a broad selection of customers.

#### The person

The successful candidate will be a keen agile practitioner, from a software development background, and will have experience of planning, scheduling and managing software delivery through the release lifecycle. In addition to familiarity with tooling and automation best practices to manage, build, test and deploy SaaS products, the candidate will be a strong communicator, who is used to working with engineering teams, commercial teams and executive stakeholders alike.

#### Key responsibilities:

- Work with the Senior Development Team, Product Manager and CTO
- Forward plan the delivery of platform features and customer projects, managing risks and resolving issues that affect release scope, schedule and quality.
- Work with the scrum teams to measure and manage progress, highlighting changes to schedule and scope to stakeholders such as account managers and product managers.
- Work with developers to understand the impacts of branches and code merges, minimising conflict whilst maximising flexibility.

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- Conduct readiness reviews ahead of deployment to live environmnents
- Continually work towards making improvements in the release process

### Experience & Qualifications:

- Bachelors degree in Computer Science or related field
- Advanced knowledge of software development lifecycle, and experience of a range of project management practices.
- Experience with a range of DevOps tools such as GitLab, Azure DevOps, Bitbucket etc.
- Excellent collaboration skills (including when working remotely), and an ability to Get Things Done as part of a larger team.
- Fantastic communication skills with the ability to convey ideas and offer solutions to internal and external stakeholders.
- Good organisational skills, with the ability to manage priorities and work to deadlines.
- Confidence working with internal and external clients at all levels.
- Outstanding analytical skills for troubleshooting and problem solving.
- Advanced written and verbal communication skills

#### Summary

This is a unique opportunity to join a fast growing, award winning company with an international and well recognised client base. In addition to a competitive salary, a comprehensive benefits package and 25 days' holiday is on offer to the right candidate.