

COLONNADE INSURANCE S.A. IS SEEKING A

Mid/Senior DevOps Engineer



COMPANY DESCRIPTION

Colonnade Insurance S.A. specializes in non-life insurance, which is designed not only for individual clients, but also for small and large businesses. We are part of the multinational financial group Fairfax Financial Holdings, one of the world leaders in insurance and reinsurance. Colonnade operates through branches in Romania, the Czech Republic, Bulgaria, Poland, Slovakia, Hungary and a subsidiary in Ukraine.

In Europe, the Colonnade company employs over 500 experienced specialists. Our financial strength has been affirmed by the [A.M. Best Company rating A- \(Excellent\)](#).

Delivery Team is an international organizational unit, working according to agile principles and consist of diverse roles and teams that are responsible for the technological transformation in Colonnade. This is a highly qualified team of IT Experts, located in 6 different countries, working in international teams, in a hybrid model.

WHY IS COLONNADE A GREAT PLACE TO JOIN?

At Colonnade, our strategy is to become a significant general insurer of scale, focusing on the CEE region. Colonnade is in a fortunate and unique position:

- Our shareholder is totally supportive of our strategy and investment in our growth
- We have a profitable foundation and are able to fund our transformation from these profits
- We want to transform and create our insurance company into a modern, successful and digital insurer, based on our Fairfax values
- We are making a multi-million Euro investment in Guidewire and additional digital systems to create a common platform across our countries



JOB DETAILS

Location: Poland, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Hungary, Romania or Bulgaria (one of these locations)

Job type: full-time



CANDIDATE'S PROFILE

Our transformation project involves rolling out compelling, innovative consumer propositions in Guidewire across all Colonnade branches which will drive strong, efficient and profitable growth. From IT perspective transformation is supported by implementation of new core solutions and Microsoft Azure-based infrastructure with strong focus on automation and infrastructure as code approach. We are creating internal DevOps team, who will support our cloud transformation and will drive us into innovative approach of application and infrastructure maintenance.

The person we are looking for would contribute to abovementioned effort as DevOps engineer, who will support the development of our new cloud-based infrastructure.



DAY TO DAY TASKS – MAIN DUTIES

- Prepare Colonnade to transition into cloud-oriented company
- Help building cloud security competence in Colonnade
- Support implementation of the infrastructure and monitoring tools in Azure Cloud
- Help in setting up disaster recovery processes of our applications
- Prepare automatic monitoring and alerting systems
- Support go-live and maintenance of our applications
- Support further development and improvements to our infrastructure to meet long term goals of the organisation and support Colonnade growth.



REQUIREMENTS

List of requirements to be successful in the future role:

- AKS/Kubernetes experience
- Experience with Azure
- Experience with cloud security
- Knowledge of Bash/Powershell
- CI/CD processes for Java based application
- Knowledge and practical experience with Terraform

Nice to have:

- Overall knowledge and experience with Azure cloud (resources, services, network, IAM) or other cloud provider
- Knowledge of Azure Devops - git repository, build & release pipelines
- Experience with Azure monitoring



COLONNADE VISION

*We believe in fairness and simplicity in all our relationships, this is how we do business!
We deliver transparent products and fast claims service that address the challenges of the changing world around us!"*

COLONNADE VALUES

- Honesty and integrity are essential in all our relationships and will never be compromised.
- We are results oriented – not political.
- We are team players – no “egos”. A confrontational style is not appropriate. We value loyalty – to Fairfax and our colleagues.
- We follow the Golden Rule: we treat others as we would want to be treated.
- We are hardworking but not at the expense of our families.
- We always look at opportunities but emphasize downside protection and look for ways to minimize loss of capital.
- We are entrepreneurial. We encourage calculated risk taking. It is all right to fail but we should learn from our mistakes.
- We will never bet the company on any project or acquisition.
- We believe in having fun – at work!



APPLY NOW!

To apply for this opportunity, please send your resume to career@colonnade-insurance.com, quoting reference Mid DevOps Engineer.