Platform Engineer

Lensrentals is the largest online rental provider for photography, videography, and lighting equipment and accessories in the United States. We write software that supports our core business functions and helps us serve hundreds of thousands of photographers and videographers annually.

We're looking for a platform engineer to architect, develop, improve and manage our infrastructure. You'll work with Kubernetes, Terraform, and AWS on the one side, and you'll work with our application development team on the other. We develop, test, and deploy in containers right now -- you'll bring your expertise and attention to help us do that better. You'll be joining the development team consisting of 9 people. In this collaborative environment, you will have the opportunity to grow as an engineer, and to help others grow.

Responsibilities:

- Manage Kubernetes clusters and the platform services running on top
- Design, deploy, operate, and upgrade our technical infrastructure and social processes as they relate to operating our services
- Work with our development team to spread best practices or build tools, including tools to enable self-service
- Supporting production on call, and prioritizing knowledge transfer so you can be on call less

What we're looking for:

- 3+ years of experience as platform, devops, or infrastructure engineer
- Experience deploying, operating, and debugging Kubernetes clusters and Kubernetes workloads
- Experience with public clouds, strongly preferring AWS
- Experience with infrastructure-as-code, strongly preferring Terraform or OpenTofu
- Experience with Linux administration
- Proficiency with at least one programming language
- Problem solving skills, both technical and interpersonal
- Eagerness to learn
- Eagerness to teach

Bonus points for:

- A diploma in a relevant field
- Proficiency with Go, Rust, or Ruby
- Open source work
- Technical blogging
- Homelab experience
- Opinions about GitOps, CI/CD, service meshes, secrets management

What you'll get:

- Market rate salary based on experience
- Casual environment
- 15 Paid Days off + 7 holidays
- Excellent benefits package that includes a 401(k) match, medical/dental/vision insurance and much more

- Employee Stock Ownership PlanEmployee equipment rentals
- A unique opportunity to shape our team as we build