Vacancy at the British Library: Senior Software Engineer (Digital Preservation)

- Ref: COL00118
- Position Type: Permanent
- SALARY RANGE: Boston Spa £28,450 - £33,041 St Pancras £31,858 - £36,087 (Grade B)
- LOCATION: Boston Spa or St Pancras

The British Library is one of the World’s greatest research libraries, committed to providing researchers with access to reliable digital content now and into the future. Our digital collection is one of the most exciting and heterogeneous in the world, containing everything from digitised books and newspapers to born digital maps, eBooks and sound.

This is a great opportunity to help preserve our digital library content. As a software engineer within the digital preservation team, you will assess, develop and test digital preservation tools and services in a test-bed environment as part of a research programme. Liaising closely with Library colleagues, you will then help to integrate effective solutions into operational units, ensuring the authenticity and accessibility of digital collection content now and into the future.

Possessing excellent Java or .NET development skills combined with strong scripting experience, you will be able to quickly install, develop, test and debug software in a structured manner. You will also be able to demonstrate excellent team-working and communication skills, being able to convey your interest in the long term preservation of our digital heritage collections.

For further information and to apply, please visit www.bl.uk/careers quoting vacancy ref: COL00118

Closing Date: 19/04/2015

Interview Date: Boston Spa 12/05/2015 St Pancras 11/05/2015