

# **Pre-Sales Consulting Engineer**

Job Description

The Pre-Sales Consulting Engineer will be a member of the sales team, and will play a key role in developing solutions for our customers. We are a growing company so there are many opportunities for growth and to have a long-term career. We are a fun group of people; our company culture is critical to our success. If you are the type of person that likes a challenge and loves learning, this is the place for you! If you would like to be a part of our team, send us your resume, we would love to chat!

## **ABOUT US:**

LookingPoint is a San Francisco Bay Area IT systems integrator specializing in Unified Communications, Security, Routing/Switching, Wireless, and Data Center technologies. Our customers leverage our talent and expertise to complement their staff to deliver technology. We focus on advanced technology from Cisco, Silver Peak, AWS, and more!

### JOB DESCRIPTION:

- A successful Consulting Engineer should be able to present and explain various network infrastructure technologies (LAN/WAN, Wireless, Switching, Security, SD-WAN) to customers, guide them through requirements gathering, and formulate a solution consisting of hardware, software, licensing, and engineering services.
- Meeting LookingPoint's customers to collect requirements for infrastructure solutions centered on Core (Route/Switch) Networking, Security and Wireless Technologies.
- Assisting the sales team in identifying and qualifying opportunities with new and existing clients.
- Building statements of work and task lists for various types of projects in support of these solutions.
- Developing high-level solution designs/architecture and present to customers.
- Working directly with LookingPoint's Professional Services organizations on developing deployment models.
- Write and present Statement of Works (SOW).

## **EDUCATION AND/OR EXPERIENCE:**

- Bachelor's Degree or equivalent experience
- CCNP or CCIE Security or R&S Preferred
- Additional certifications (Aruba, Palo Alto, F5, VMware, etc.) preferred
- 7+ years of practical technology experience

## **REQUIRED SKILLS:**

- Expert level knowledge of overall Networking, Security and Wireless technologies and architectures including, but not limited to:
  - Core Routing\Switching technologies and protocols (BGP, IGRP, QoS, VPC, NX-OS etc.),
    SDN (NSX,ACI), Security (Next Gen Firewalls, EndPoint Security, Cisco ISE, NGFW,
    Umbrella, Palo Alto), Application Delivery and SD WAN (Cisco, F5, NetScaler, Riverbed)
    and Wireless (Cisco, Aruba, Meraki)
- Demonstrated passion for technology, solution design and self-study
- Confident in leading CIO/CTO level presentations, solution demonstrations and whiteboard sessions
- Previous experience working in collaborative team environments
- Excellent verbal and written communication, organization skills and detail oriented
- Excellent presentation skills

#### **PREFERRED SKILLS:**

- Positive attitude
- Fast learner with strong listening and verbal communication skills
- Professional, Organized, Responsible
- Technology sales experience (Software, Hardware, or Services)
- Experience working for a systems integrator is preferred