

Technical Solutions Architect- Senior

There are two positions. Regular FT and 12 months Fixed term Contract.

Business Overview

Fidelity Clearing Canada (FCC) is the leading independent clearing broker and custodian in the Canadian market. We provide trade execution, clearing, custody and back-office support services to Canadian-based brokerage firms and registered Portfolio Managers.

FCC is developing industry leading advisor platform capabilities for independent Portfolio Managers and Broker Dealer firms. This development will focus on providing integrated service, productivity, and revenue growth tools through a web-based advisor platform. This role will be part of the technology team tasked with developing these exciting business technology solutions.

Job Responsibilities

- The Technical Solutions Architect Sr. works to create and maintain architecture plans and specifications for Fidelity Clearing Canada. This role guides project and program level decisions that bring IT assets into alignment with the IT architecture in one or more disciplines such as: Applications, Business, and Infrastructure.
- **The role will require a good understanding of industry brokerage systems as applications may be integrated into some legacy systems.**
- This role advises and assists business and technology leaders in leveraging technology capabilities in support of their business vision and strategy.
- This is accomplished through enterprise wide delivery of common language and framework for solutions design, blueprints, technology roadmaps, and prototypes.
- Leads overall application integration architecture in support of development and engineering design. Resolves architectural and technology choices; help build key framework components.
- Liaison and coordination with broader technology units to ensure adherence to corporate wide standards and strategies. Ensure that architecture standards, policies, and procedures are enforced.
- Review and guide the technical team's deliverables to ensure overall quality and compliance with the architecture. Ensure compliance with business and technical requirements alongside enterprise wide standards
- Analyze, document and manage technical requirements
- Provide assessments of architectural risk and mitigation strategies.

Fidelity is proud to offer a telecommuting work schedule. The Technical Solutions Architect- Senior will have an alternating schedule of working from home and in the office, on a schedule determined by business need. This position is located in Toronto, ON.

The Expertise We're Looking For

- University Degree, in computer science or equivalent relevant work experience
- **More than 7 years' experience in technical architecture and design roles with minimum of 5 years' experience in technology roles within the brokerage securities industry**
- Knowledge of Software Development Methodologies Agile, RUP, RAD, etc.
- Strong OO Analysis, Design and Development.
- Strong Development and database experience
- Expert knowledge of Microsoft Technologies
- Expert knowledge of Enterprise Architecture framework methodologies
- Solid working knowledge of application security design principles required
- Working knowledge of UX design principles for smart phones and/or tablets is ideal
- Microsoft Certification or relevant certifications such as TOGAF

The Expertise You Bring

- Strong technical insight and experience to inform, guide, challenge and support technical decisions
- Strong analytical, conceptual and innovative problem-solving abilities
- Strong attention to detail
- Ability to work independently while being in a team environment
- Strong technical aptitude and able to adapt to new technologies quickly
- Strong communicator, both written and verbal
- Goal-oriented and a self-starter

Interested applicants are required to apply on-line at: [www.fidelity.ca/careers/ Technical Solutions Architect Sr](http://www.fidelity.ca/careers/Technical%20Solutions%20Architect%20Sr) (Requisition No: 1701009)

No inquiries or agencies please. We thank all applicants for their interest. Please note that only short-listed candidates will be contacted.