COO/CTO WANTED!

LOCAL SPOON IS LOOKING FOR AN EXPERIENCED AND DRIVEN ENTREPRENEUR TO JOIN THE STARTUP AS CTO/COO

Responsibilities

- **Connecting Business Requirements with activity:** Given that you will be an executive Tech leader, the role also requires your constant involvement in our daily operations, supporting us with business development and user acquisition. You should be able to understand the “Market Needs” language talked by other executive in the team.

- **Get “Tech” in order:** Assess the current stage we are currently at and help identify key technological improvements - provide sound recommendations and strategic decisions towards certain platforms/analytical softwares over other; oversee the full integration of certain softwares/APIs with Local Spoon.

- **Help build, manage, and validate a Tech Roadmap for Local Spoon products:** Product may undergo significant transformation on required features set and Market needs based on the findings gathered through ongoing customer development and market research. A roadmap to achieve these milestones and to help visualise the team the products with the available resources is essential.

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Local Spoon is a food tech startup founded by two young entrepreneurs that saw an opportunity in connecting independent restaurants with local customers through bespoke, last-minute and off-peak dining opportunities. The App was designed to bring feet to our vendors and to make casual dining accessible for all budgets.

We’ve won some awards and key partners along the way:

- Local Spoon is the winner of the Lloyds Banking People’s Choice 2016 award with over 1700 votes received from students across London;
- Empowered by PayPal, Local Spoon users can easily redeem any offer available in their proximity directly on Local Spoon App;
- Local Spoon is one of the NACUE Varsity Pitch Finalist in November 2016;
• **Architecture Practices:** Ensuring that best practices are defined and followed by team is very important. Making reviews on Code Quality is essential to protect ourselves from “deployment embarrassments”;

• **Product Innovation:** through research and continuous improvement; Provide critical and factual inputs for IP Creation.

**Essential**

**A background in software development** (a degree in computer science, knowledgeable in system architecture, programming and software design)

• 4+ years’ software engineering and IT experience
• Proven track record of success in leadership positions
• Familiarity with marketing platforms, analytical softwares, programs and policies
• Exceptional project management and organisation skills

**Desirable/Good to have**

• 3 years+ restaurant Industry knowledge (Ideally you will be a former Food tech startup CTO/worked closely with the founders/former advisors who helped other food businesses grow in the past);

• Experienced entrepreneur (5+ years startup experience) who helped food tech startups scale and have experience in business strategy and UA.