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## Lanka Education and Research Network Vacancies

Applications are hereby invited from citizens of Sri Lanka for the following posts in our office located in Peradeniya.

### **Background:**

Asia Pacific Advanced Network (APAN) is an international network that connects the research and education networks of its member countries/economies to each other and to other research networks around the world. APAN is also the name of the organization that is representing its members. APAN Ltd is the not-for-profit Association that is the legal entity created to undertake the activities on behalf of APAN members.

LEARN is operating the Secretariat of the "Asia Pacific Advanced Network" (APAN) at present.

### **Technology Specialist for APAN Secretariat**

### ***Job description:***

The Technology Specialist will be a full-time employee responsible for day-to-day technical tasks of the secretariat. Duties will include the following:

1. Maintenance of the APAN website by obtaining updates from APAN members and working groups
2. Maintenance of the APAN Document Repository
3. Operation and maintenance tasks related to APAN mailing lists
4. Operation, maintenance and software development related to the APAN Conference Management System
5. Maintenance of web and domain name servers for [apan.net](http://apan.net)

### ***Qualifications/Experience:***

- ! A bachelors degree in IT / Computer Science / Engineering with at least one year experience in a similar capacity
- ! Excellent command of the English language, both written and verbal
- ! Excellent inter-personal and communication skills
- ! Self motivation and quick learning abilities
- ! Experience in software development in a unix-like environment using PHP and/or Python
- ! Experience in administration of servers running unix-like operating systems
- ! Age below 35 years

### ***Salary/Benefits:***

Salary is negotiable and would be commensurate with qualifications and experience. This position is entitled to EPF/ETF benefits.

This would be a contract appointment, initially for a period of one year, with possibility of extensions.

Please note that this position would require official international travel related to meetings/conferences at least twice a year. Each visit would require being away from the country for approximately a week.

Applications including a resume with the contact details of two non-related referees, copies of certificates for proof of qualifications and experience, and copies of other related documents should be sent (preferably as PDF documents by electronic mail) to reach the undersigned. Applicants will be interviewed as applications are received, and the position will remain vacant until it is filled.

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