



We are growing! UPN is currently looking for a **Sr. Solutions Engineer/Sales Engineer** located in **Des Moines/Central Iowa**. This candidate is a technical leader who provides daily guidance and directly supports a quota bearing sales team via a variety of sales engineering related deliverables. This position will support the Enterprise market vertical within and around the Des Moines and Central Iowa area.

Specific responsibilities include:

- Become the product/process expert and provide regular ongoing training to new and existing UPN sales team members.
- Create/design customized solutions for customers and UPN Sales Teams which consist of logical drawings, fiber route maps, statements of work, and other items as needed for face-to-face customer sales presentations.
- Review RFPs to identify key technical design requirements and provide technical guidance on UPN's ability to accommodate customer requests and deliver a compliant solution.
- Interact daily with customers and attend on-site customer meetings to be the technical resource to help qualify customer requirements and ensure UPN's capabilities are accurately described.
- Provide sales support and present UPN product/solutions at daily customer meetings and vendor events.
- Evaluate and qualify inside/outside plant and electronics economics of each opportunity.
- Perform duties in a partnership with Network engineering and Operations teams to guarantee successful deployments.
- Oversee the estimating steps within UPN's CRM to ensure timely and accurate results.
- Regularly lead scheduled technology discussion conference calls.
- Possess well developed organizational, project management and multi-tasking skills.
- Be able to operate in a high paced and evolving environment.
- Other duties may be assigned.

Requirement for the position include:

- Bachelor's Degree
- Minimum 3 years' experience as a Sales/Solutions Engineer in Telecommunications.
- Understanding of Fiber Optic Network Design principles and implementation.
- Understanding of Metro Ethernet and design concepts.
- Understanding of the Internet and how service is delivered to an Enterprise network.
- Understanding of the OSI model.
- Understanding of DWDM, MPLS, WAVE, EPL, IP and BGP.
- Understanding of how to effectively communicate technical solutions (written & verbal).
- Understanding of how to be a dynamic public speaker.



Salary is commensurate upon education and experience. Qualified candidates interested in this opportunity should submit their cover letter and resume.

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