



Job title: Release Manager
Location: Sofia, Bulgaria
Type: Full Time

Company Background

GAN is an award winning global supplier of industry leading casino content, fast flexible gaming systems and turnkey social gaming. The company was founded in 2002 with the aim of capturing the emerging online skill-games market. Having led the market in backgammon and regional skill games in Italy and Spain, we broadened our product portfolio to offer a full gaming software system as well as becoming a leading developer of online casino games.

GAN's flagship clients are market leading casino operations and best-in-class content development houses. GAN's Simulated Gaming social casino partners include WinStar World Casino, Turning Stone Online Casino, Twin River, Maryland Live! Station Casinos, JACK Entertainment Social Gaming, The Lady Luck Interactive, The Borgata Hotel Casino & Spa, San Manuel Indian Bingo and Casino, Empire City Casino, and Parx Casino.

The company has strategically positioned itself in the US as a pioneer in this emerging regulated market. In New Jersey, we have partnered with Betfair to provide a real-money online gaming site since November 2013. We've also launched an Ocean Resort Casino in July 2018.

Overview of the Role

GAN is growing. We operate more websites on more hardware, run a games studio on the verge of factory-line output, produce ever more products for our players, serve hundreds and hundreds of games from 3rd party integrations, and deliver ad hoc development requests for our partners.

GAN is looking for a someone to join the team to control code releases through development environments, create reports on sprint development, and schedule releases to GAN's production environments. You will report directly to the Infrastructure Director, learning the skills you need to manage releases while bringing to GAN strong reporting and organization skills.

You will join a tight-knit and growing devOps team, acting as the glue that keeps us coordinated, organized, and in sync. Each project manager tracks major projects – sites, games, apps, features, bugs and live issues - with each project needing its own progress through our development environments, and scheduling to release to live environments, either as part of GAN's 6-week development sprints, within a scheduled mid-sprint release, or as an emergency release. You will be the gatekeeper on any release to any environment, preventing unauthorized changes from moving up, and collating multiple requests into combined releases.

Duties & key areas of responsibilities

We need someone with a keen mind to organize that development, commit the to defined processes, to sync GAN's many project teams' code into sensible chunks of changes through the environments, and then report on it.

- Organize and manage code releases
- Schedule Sprint, mid-sprint, and emergency releases
- Control the change process
- Create Jira dashboards to show and report on the status of each project, and each environment
- Collate the status reports from each Project Manager



Key Qualifications, Experience and Attributes

The ideal candidate must be enthusiastic about their job. They must also have the following qualities:

- Strong aptitude for managing their own work to completion
- Attention to detail
- Self-starter and positive mind-set
- Forward-thinking
- Team player
- Must be well organised and self-motivated, with the ability to work on tight deadlines
- Excellent communication skills

The following skills will be necessary to excel in this role

- Strong organization and reporting
- Excellent English, spoken and written
- Maintaining documentation (reports, manuals, release notes)

The following skills will be beneficial

- Experience with Jira or project tracking software
- Previous experience in an IT development environment
- Previous experience in a support role
- Proficient use of Microsoft Office, including using the same brand stylesheets across all documentation types

What we offer in exchange

- An opportunity to work in a multinational established company
- Competitive salary
- 25 Days Annual Leave
- Private Healthcare Package
- Sports Card (access to more than 120 sports centres in Sofia)
- Gift vouchers