NLP/Machine Learning Job Posting

Do you want to harness Machine Learning to bring the world one step closer to smart computers? Harness your expertise in Natural Language Processing in novel applications? Unleash your passion for engineering perfection in challenging domains, all while working at a rewarding startup?

Who we are:
We are Parakweet, a fast-growing Internet startup working on unique Natural Language Processing and Machine Learning products. Our world-class technology is backed by solid execution by experienced entrepreneurs. Articles about us:

http://gigaom.com/2013/05/17/parakweet­uses­natural­language­processing­to­find­value­in­your­tweets/
http://www.latimes.com/features/books/jacketcopy/la-et­jc-parakweet­funding­bookvibe-­20130618_0_3267364.story
http://venturebeat.com/2013/06/18/parakweet­raises­2m­to­give­you­data­driven­book­recommendations/

Position:
We are looking for an NLP/Machine Learning Engineer to join our core team.

Key responsibilities:
- Work closely with business and product personnel to understand and translate requirements into technical designs.
- Work with core team on architecting, prototyping, implementing and improving machine learning, text processing and entity recognition algorithms.
- Communicate capabilities of our technology to colleagues in business and product functions.

Requirements:
- Graduate degree in Machine Learning and/or Natural Language Processing.
- At least 2 years of Java programming experience, preferably in a non-academic setting.
- Pride in writing clean, reusable code.
- Ability to take ownership and work independently without close supervision.
- Strong ability to learn and apply new ideas and technologies.
- Ability to think out-of-the-box.
- Excellent writing and documentation skills
- Good communication skills and team player
- Ability to work flexible hours

Plus:
- Experience using AWS
- Interest and knowledge in entertainment, particularly movies, television, sports and books

If this sounds interesting to you, please contact us with your resume at kiam@parakweet.com.