**UAP GIS Network Analyst**

**Description UPS**

UPS (NYSE:UPS) is a global leader in logistics, offering a broad range of solutions including the transportation of packages and freight; the facilitation of international trade, and the deployment of advanced technology to more efficiently manage the world of business. Headquartered in Atlanta, USA and with the European head office located in Brussels, Belgium, UPS serves more than 220 countries and territories worldwide.

**Purpose of the Job**

The UAP GIS Network Analyst works for Kiala and supports with the planning of Kiala/UPS Access Points. He/she identifies suitable locations and assists with the implementation of Kiala/UPS Access Points in new countries whilst continuing to support existing countries to improve the network. He/she is responsible for the following countries: Belgium, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, France, Spain, UK, Germany, Italy and Poland. Occasionally some support to the USA, Canada and Mexico may be required.

**Main Responsibilities**

* Network building
  + Plan the number of required Access Points
  + Identify target locations for future Access Points
  + Provide support to the Network Support Coordinators and define their sector
* Analysis for the management, the sales and the Access Point teams
  + Calculate the distance between consumers and closest Access Point
  + Calculate the distance between Access Point needs and potential network partners
  + Opening hours of specific Access Points
  + Evaluate Access Point candidates based on targeted Access Point areas
  + Provide maps for internal and external communication
  + Ad hoc quantitative or qualitative analysis
* Documentation and organization
  + Document the processes used for the different analysis
  + Tracking and filing of requests per country and per type
* Produce monthly reports regarding the networks in the different countries
  + Report on the proximity of the Access Point to the population
  + Report on the convenience (opening hours and days) of the Access Points

**Profile**

* Educational background/Experience
  + University degree in sciences, applied sciences or IT.
  + 1 to 5 years of experience working with data optimization ideally in a GIS environment
* Technical skills:
  + Knowledge of GIS software
  + Proficiency in Excel and Access
  + Proficiency in MapInfo Professional application & Mapbasic language would be an asset, as well as knowledge of Python, SQL, software such as Cplex and GLPK and basic knowledge of programming
* Analytical skills:
  + Ability to analyze situations, identify existing or potential problems and recommend solutions
  + Demonstrate high interest in customer’s satisfaction (both internally and externally)
  + Attention to detail
* Other:
  + Fluent English speaker. Any other European language is an asset (French, Dutch, German, Spanish, Italian, Polish…)
  + Hands-on, eager to learn while performing some basic repetitive tasks

**Offer**

UPS (Kiala) offers a competitive remuneration package with extra-legal advantages such as a group & hospitalization insurance, laptop and smartphone, as well as the opportunity to work for a global leader in logistics. At UPS (Kiala) we value your professional skills and expertise. You will be part of a strong team in an international and rapidly changing work environment with global career opportunities.

The successful candidate will be able to start as of 5 January 2015.

Please forward your application to gdegreef@kiala.com