

Product Manager

Reports to: Head of Product

Location: Remote (temporarily), London (post-Covid)

Contract: Permanent

Salary: Competitive in-line with experience, with possibility of equity

Overview

Do you want to join one of the fastest-growing AI startups in the world?

At CENTURY Tech, we use AI, neuroscience and learning science to create the world's most advanced learning technologies. Our tools personalise learning to every student and empower teachers and organisations with rich data insights. We work with leading schools, Ministries of Education, universities and companies across the world.

As demand for high-quality edtech increases, we're now looking for an outstanding Product Manager to take ownership of one or more of our feature pods, collaborating with a cross-functional team of techies, designers and education specialists.

We embrace agile and iterative development, but with a unique annual cycle in education, this role is responsible for successful delivery of features to support key buying times. We're looking for someone who is comfortable with the wide range of product management tasks, and specifically with experience understanding customer needs (from direct interaction with customers, as well as synthesising insights from customer-facing colleagues), translating these needs into technical solutions across our platform, and managing requirements.

Founded by entrepreneur Priya Lakhani OBE in 2013, CENTURY's mission is to use technology to remove roadblocks to learning so that every student can succeed. We're a close-knit team of 80 people united by a mission to use technology to improve the world. We're powered by a strong startup culture and backed by long-term investors aligned with our goals.

Our team has won the MIT Solve, CogX Innovation Award, EdTechXGlobal Award, GESS Award, AI Award and many more. We've also been named Economic Disruptor of the Year by the Spectator and were recognised by UNESCO as a finalist in its ICT in Education Prize.

Our ideal candidate

Our ideal candidate is someone who has a strong knowledge of core product management processes and techniques, combined with experience in a variety of contexts, and is now ready to take on responsibility in a small product team.

We're looking for experience of end-to-end delivery of features, from contributing to product strategy through to the tactical execution of product requirements. Effective decision making is key to success at CENTURY and we're keen to see a love of data and the confidence using it to make informed decisions.

Our platform is rapidly scaling, so we need someone who can balance stability and reliability with genuine innovation.

Our ideal candidate is comfortable working self-sustainably to deliver. Whilst we need someone who will be happy wearing the multiple product management hats, we are particularly interested in candidates with strong data analysis skills.

Specific requirements

- 3+ years' product development experience, ideally in two different SaaS organisations (B2B or B2C)
- Ability to prioritise workload and drive projects forward independently
- You're a great storyteller, able to bring a variety of stakeholders into the conversation to generate the best outcome
- Confident with data analysis, and experience using this to inform product decisions and strategy. Knowledge of Redshift, MongoDB, Cassandra and/or R a definite advantage
- Experience of working with API products and knowledge of AI and/or recommendation systems would be a huge plus!
- Knowledge of the education technology market or direct experience in education is desirable, and a passion from improving lives through education is essential
- Knowledge of product and software management tools, e.g. JIRA, mixpanel a great help
- The successful candidate will have the right to work in the UK

How to apply

To apply for this role please send a CV and covering letter to info@century.tech with a subject line "Product Manager".

What we're offering

We're offering a competitive salary, 25 days holiday plus your birthday and three extra days at Christmas off, and the potential to start immediately.

We're currently working from home, but we expect to return, at least part-time, to our London office once it is sensible to do so. While we're working from home, we'll courier you all the technology you need to thrive.

CENTURY Tech is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and vulnerable adults and expects all staff to share this commitment. All successful applicants will be requested to undertake an Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service check and provide two references. Details of our recruitment process can be found on our website: century.tech/safer-recruitment-policy