Product Owner

Luminary ROLI is looking for a dynamic Product Owner to help deliver exciting and innovative software instruments and supporting applications for our ROLI Pro Product range.

We're looking for someone with strong music-tech experience to join an established software team. We're continuing to develop our flagship synthesizer Equator2, as well as software to support our hardware products.

As the Product Owner of ROLI's MI Software, you'll work as a key member of a multidisciplinary team of developers, testers, and sound designers. You'll be the go-to person for product decisions and queries and will work closely with Marketing and Customer Support to collate customer feedback and provide assistance producing customer-facing copy and content.

We run sprints, standups and retrospectives, and favour close communication over exhaustive documentation.

What you'll do:

- Lead a multi-disciplinary team of developers, sound designers and testers to build high-end audio software for the ROLI brand
- Run meetings including daily standup, planning sessions, workshops, and bug reviews
- Organise product backlog and plan fortnightly sprints for multiple software products
- Report development progress to upper management and the wider company
- Respond to feedback and questions from other teams, including Customer Support, Sound Team and Marketing Team
- Define roadmap for existing MI Software products
- Collaborate with Firmware team to define Software/Firmware interactions
- Provide support for 3rd Party Collaborations

What you'll need:

- Experience leading a multi-disciplinary software development team in a Product role
- A deep passion for Music Technology, particularly software synthesizers and MIDI Controllers
- Knowledge of Digital Audio Workstations (Logic, Ableton, Cubase etc.)
- Excellent communication skills, flawless written English
- An inquisitive mind and demonstrable examples of implementing proactive solutions
- Superb and demonstrable time-management skills and the ability to work independently
- Excellent interpersonal skills and the ability to work effectively with employees at all levels

Bonus points:

- Usage of project management tools such as JIRA, Trello etc.
- Experience working in a team developing C++ audio applications
- Experience developing hardware/software integration
- An understanding of MPE devices and software

Who we are:

Luminary's mission is to enable more people to experience the transformative power of life-long music making. We do this by making the whole process of music learning and practice more inspiring and effective. We are a hardware, software, and content music technology company based in Dalston, London. Our focus on pioneering new and innovative technological solutions to the challenges that face music learners and makers has meant that our products are used by composers, producers, artists, engineers, and hobbyists worldwide.

Luminary ROLI Ltd offers:

- The opportunity to work with the leading, progressive minds within technology, hardware, and music creation to directly impact the way we create and interact with music
- A competitive salary according to your level of experience
- A range of meaningful benefits including:
  - Following probation, a competitive health care cash plan and a generous bike-to-work scheme
  - A competitive company pension scheme following 3 months of full time work
  - 23 days holiday with 2 additional social impact days and the standard 8 statutory holiday days
  - 20 hours per year dedicated to volunteering within the local community
  - Flexible working hours
  - 'Lending Library' of all ROLI products
  - Team member discounts on ROLI products
  - Apple laptop and relevant software licenses for your role
  - Generous Parental Leave policy
  - *Currently on hold due to COVID-19 remote working:*
    - *A great working environment, featuring daily complimentary homemade plant-based lunches and limitless homemade GOLDnola*
    - *Wellness programme which includes regularly offered massages*
    - *Friends and family events*
    - *Company-wide Hack Days and workshops to expand your skills*
    - *In-house bike storage*
- The majority of our team members are currently working remotely due to COVID-19. We will discuss the latest updates with regards to remote working as part of our interview process.

Luminary ROLI Ltd wholeheartedly believes that difference stimulates a healthy and productive environment, as well as positively impacts the products we create. We actively encourage diversity of background and perspective, and as an equal opportunities employer, we oppose all forms of unlawful or unfair discrimination in all of our employment related processes and matters.