

## **Roles & Responsibilities – IT Lead**

M.S Swaminathan Research Foundation requires an experienced IT Lead (Enterprise Architect) to join our team and drive the development and implementation of cutting-edge technology solutions aligned with our Foundational goals and strategies. The ideal candidate will have a proven track record in architecting and building large-scale green field enterprise systems, providing thought leadership IT advice to senior executives, and evaluating business processes to create architecture that reflects Foundational objectives.

**Job Title:** IT Lead (Enterprise Architect)

**Reporting Manager:** Executive Director- Strategy

**Location:** Chennai

**Qualification:** Bachelor's degree in Computer Science, Information Technology, or related field; advanced degree preferred. TOGAF Certification (desirable).

**Total Years of Experience:** – 10-12 years of experience in architecting and building large-scale green field enterprise systems.

### **Primary Responsibilities:**

Architect and build large-scale green field enterprise systems, leveraging best practices and innovative technologies to meet Foundational requirements.

Provide thought leadership IT advice to senior executives, guiding the Foundation in leveraging technology to fulfill its vision and strategic objectives.

Evaluate business processes and internal functions, creating architecture that aligns with Foundational goals and strategies.

Evaluate IT systems, identifying opportunities to reduce costs and complexity while improving efficiency and effectiveness.

Recruit top talent and nurture them to build a high-performing IT team capable of delivering innovative solutions.

Possess TOGAF Certification (desirable) to ensure adherence to industry best practices and standards.

Demonstrate strong communication and interpersonal skills, effectively collaborating with cross-functional teams and stakeholders.

Exhibit good leadership and motivational skills, inspiring the IT team to overcome challenges and obstacles.

Provide continuous suggestions for improving the foundation's services through technological innovation and optimization.

Mentor the IT team, providing guidance and support to enhance their skills and capabilities.

**Required Competency Skills:**

Proven track record of providing thought leadership IT advice to senior executives.

Strong understanding of business processes and internal functions, with the ability to create architecture aligned with Foundation goals.

Excellent communication, interpersonal, leadership, and motivational skills.

Ability to recruit top talent and nurture them to build a high-performing IT team.

Experience in evaluating IT systems and identifying opportunities for cost reduction and complexity reduction.

Ability to mentor and guide the IT team to overcome challenges and obstacles.

Passion for innovation and continuous improvement.

Join our team and be part of an exciting journey to transform our Foundation through technology!