



We are Sri Lanka's premier private sector commercial bank. Our visionary journey has taken us beyond the realms of business as we have made a conscious effort to go where no bank has dared to go; from downtrodden villages long-forgotten, to the world across the shores. The driving force behind this epoch-making journey is our strong team of achievers, affectionately known as the Hatna Family. As we continue to make history and move ahead, we invite dynamic and ambitious individuals to join us in our trailblazing banking saga.

We are looking for bright minds to help us create a world of happy experiences.

LEAD - DATA PLATFORM ARCHITECT

Job Role

HNB is strengthening its enterprise data capabilities through the continued expansion of its Centre of Excellence for Data and Advanced Analytics. As part of this growth, we are seeking a highly skilled professional to lead the Data Platform and Architecture function.

The Data Platform Architect will drive the design, development and evolution of the Bank's enterprise data platform strategy and own and lead the data engineering and architecture pillar of the CoE. The role provides leadership in building the Bank's data platform as an enterprise-wide data landscape, designed to drive innovation and establish an agile ecosystem aligned with the data and technology roadmap. It ensures the platform supports strategic business initiatives, advanced analytics, Innovations, AI/ML, and enterprise BI requirements, while embedding strong data governance practices. The role will be directly reporting to the Chief Data Officer.

Duties and Responsibilities

- Drive the Bank's enterprise data platform strategy, providing leadership to ensure platforms are scalable, secure, and aligned with business priorities for all data types including structured, unstructured, and streaming.
- Lead the design and architecture of enterprise data platforms, establishing standards, integration practices, and guidelines to ensure consistency, reliability, and performance across all systems.
- Oversee data engineering processes and platform optimization to ensure efficient, high-performance data processing and integration across the enterprise.
- Create an enterprise-wide data platform as a landscape that drives innovation, supports advanced analytics, AI/ML, and BI requirements, and enable an agile technology ecosystem.
- Embed data governance practices into the platform, ensuring adherence to security, regulatory, and quality standards for all data types.
- Partner with business leaders, technology teams, and data governance functions to ensure the platform meets enterprise-wide requirements and supports strategic initiatives.
- Drive adoption of emerging technologies, tools, and methodologies to create a flexible, future-ready data platform ecosystem.
- Guide and mentor platform teams, promoting skills development, knowledge sharing, and adherence to architecture principles

Educational Qualifications

- Master's Degree in Information Technology/Data Engineering/Computer Science or a related field
- A professional certification such as Certified Data Management Professional, Certification in Data Engineering, Data Platform, Data Architect or a related field will be an added advantage.

Work Experience

- A minimum of 8 years of work experience in the field of Data, Data Engineering, Data Architecture, Computer Science or related fields
- Experience in leading or mentoring data engineering teams, platform architect initiative or enterprise data projects will also be an added advantage.

Skills and Competencies

- Enterprise data platform design and architecture
- Leading data engineering
- Cloud and big data expertise
- Data governance and quality and compliance
- Strategic thinking and vision
- Cross functional collaborations and stakeholder management
- Problem solving and critical thinking
- Innovation and agility enablement
- Team leadership and capability building

Interested candidates are invited to apply for the position
All applications must reach us by.

31st December 2025



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