

<b>Job Title:</b>	Piracy Intelligence Analyst
<b>Department:</b>	Piracy Intelligence (Envisional) - Cambridge
<b>Salary:</b>	Disclosed upon Application

### Introduction

**Group NBT plc** is a leading provider of domain names and Internet-related services. Established in 1995, the company has registered hundreds of thousands of domain names and hosts thousands of websites. With a wide range of services, Group NBT's clients come from many industries and include well-known companies including over 30% of the FTSE 100.

Group NBT plc currently has over 290 employees worldwide, with offices in London, Cambridge, Copenhagen, New York, Nice, Munich, Zurich, Oslo, and Stockholm. With five market-leading brands, Group NBT plc is now made up of the following:

- **Envisional**; solutions offering a suite of services that protect businesses from online [counterfeit](#) activity, [fraud](#), [piracy](#) and offer ongoing [brand monitoring](#) solutions.
- **NetBenefit**; providing high quality managed hosting services to SMEs in both the UK and continental Europe;
- **NetNames**; providing corporate domain name management to large organisations through its industry leading Platinum Service, which is now used by over 30% of the FTSE 100 and **Speednames Business** who offer the same service across northern Europe and the Scandics.
- **Easily.co.uk** and **Speednames.com**; top providers of cost effective web hosting and domain name services to European businesses and consumers.
- **Ascio**, which is responsible for the provision of domain name services indirectly through more than 300 partnerships. These partners primarily include telecom operators, web hosting companies, internet access providers and IP law firms.

### Brief Overview

Envisional is based in Cambridge UK. Envisional has a widely respected **Piracy Intelligence** department which provides research, analysis, monitoring, investigation, and consultancy to content owners throughout the world, including movie studios, television networks, and the music industry.

The department is currently looking for a **Piracy Intelligence Analyst** who will report to the department team lead. The successful candidate will pursue ongoing research, take on the monitoring and maintenance of internal systems, produce analysis, and help create new tools as and when needed.

### Responsibilities

The successful candidate will possess excellent written and verbal communication skills, and will be responsible for the following:

- Working within the Piracy Intelligence department to meet the needs of clients
- Writing analysis for presentation to clients or for use internally
- Identifying, assessing, and reporting upon specific items of interest
- Using, monitoring, and maintaining internal systems
- Drawing results and trends from a wide range of data

### **Skills/experience required**

The ideal candidate will possess the following personal qualities and traits.

- A keen intelligence
- An excellent communicator with good writing skills and first-class English
- An ability to quickly understand, assess, and report on new items of interest
- Ability to work independently and on one's own initiative in designing solutions or tackling problems
- A good understanding of general Internet technologies, protocols, and services (from http and html to IRC and twitter)
- A very good understanding of, including practical experience of using, peer to peer technologies such as bittorrent and eDonkey (for instance, you should be able to broadly understand and explain the function of a bittorrent tracker or eDonkey server).
- A very good understanding of web-based piracy arenas often used to store and distribute pirated material, such as 'cyberlocker' file host sites and link sites (e.g., Rapidshare, Warez-BB) and video hosting and link sites (e.g., Yidio, Watch Movies).

### **Core Skills/Experience**

- Ability to produce succinct analysis which conveys the key features and ideas of a piece of technology or service
- Ability to communicate complex and sometimes technical matters in a way which is understandable to the interested layperson
- Ability to use a wide range of Internet tools to locate specific information
- Ability to become quickly familiar with new Internet sites, services, and tools
- Reliability
- Flexible and open minded attitude

Desirable skills but non-essential.

- Consulting experience
- Bachelors degree. Postgraduate study preferred but not essential. Subject matter not as important as an inquiring and curious mind.
- Broad knowledge of peer to peer and file sharing technology back to Napster
- Understanding of the entire digital piracy process from release groups to widespread public distribution and consumption of pirated material