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XTX Markets Talent Acquisition Team

New York

Dear XTX Markets Hiring Manager,

I am writing to express my keen interest in the Trading Ops Specialist role at XTX Markets. My extensive experience in financial markets, particularly in managing cash and collateral across multiple brokers and clearing houses, aligns perfectly with the responsibilities of this position.

In my previous roles, I have demonstrated a deep understanding of trading operations, having automated numerous processes to enhance efficiency and accuracy. Notable projects include the development of a smart order matching engine and the implementation of an Interest Rates Option pricing engine, which streamlined operations and supported robust risk management practices.

My hands-on experience with electronic trading platforms has involved regular interaction with exchanges and electronic communication networks, ensuring seamless trade execution and optimal liquidity provision. This has been complemented by my active role in collaborating with legal and tax teams on critical technical topics, such as the Libor Fallback protocol and SOFR transition, and ensuring compliance with complex legal and regulatory frameworks like ISDA and Dodd-Frank.

With a strong foundation in quantitative finance, as evidenced by my CQF, FRM, and CFA certifications, I am well-equipped to tackle the multifaceted challenges of the Trading Ops Specialist role. My technical proficiency in programming languages such as C, Python, and SQL, coupled with my experience in process automation, positions me as an ideal candidate to contribute to the innovative and impactful operations at XTX Markets.

I am enthusiastic about the opportunity to leverage my skills and experience to drive process improvements and support the growth of XTX Markets. I look forward to the possibility of discussing how I can contribute to the success of your team.

Thank you for considering my application. I am available for an interview at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Arkadiy Klyukin