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Tell us something about yourself? / Walk us through your CV?

Yeah sure, so I grew up in India and I am currently pursuing Bachelors of Engineering in Computer Science at Queen's University Belfast. At the moment, I am helping a Digital Marketing firm in developing a mail generation system. Prior to my ongoing internship, I worked for a Software Consulting Company where I worked on a system based on Computer Vision. I have also spent around 4 months as a Research Intern at Queen's delving into Language Models and I believe developing software that intends to solve real-world challenges have always been a passion of mine. Speaking of my Tech interests, I am enthusiastic about Blockchain and Artificial Intelligence, as from my point of view they are accountable for the ongoing revolution in many aspects of global Industries. Keeping my professional and academic life aside I spend my spare time reading books about psychology and Neuroscience and at times playing handball or just running.

What do you know about us?

Well, I know Rakuten as one of the biggest names in the field of telecommunication, internet services, fintech and even e-commerce. Rakuten has now been serving its customers for more 2 decades and has achieved a remarkable global reach with over 1.4 billion customers. And as we all know Blockchain holds the potential to revolutionize the way financial and e-commerce transactions are conducted. And by establishing RBL in Belfast Rakuten has with no doubt has gained an upper edge on other competitors in the market. RBL's vision to explore applications for blockchain in e-commerce and fintech has definitely opened doors to new possibilities. And as far as I know, projects at RBL are both challenging and thought-provoking while satisfying one's aspiration and growth opportunities. Plus, I feel it's quite fascinating how RBL makes use of small agile teams and technologies like Docker, Nodejs and cloud computing to bring its project to existence with efficiency.

Why do you want to work for Rakuten?

Well one of the many reasons why I would love to work for RBL is the work environment that it offers, in fact, I had a small talk with one of the previous placement students, Aileen Tracy and she couldn't stop talking about how great it was for her to work at RBL. Plus as my research suggests RBL works on a myriad of projects intended to solve real-world challenges, which is definitely something I am very passionate about and I can closely relate to my past experiences in IT industry. Additionally, I feel RBL's

project approach closely resembles my past approaches with my previous projects which makes me believe I would be very compatible with RBL multicultural work environment. For instance, RBL's use of Docker and Cloud Computing Services. Furthermore, I think I deeply resonate with RBL's ethics and vision of exploring the future that Blockchain promises and I am convinced that by working with RBL, my skill set would be greatly enhanced.