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Dear Hiring Manager,

My name is Anuraag Yachamaneni, and I'm applying for the [Role name here] at [Company name here] this upcoming summer.

A little about me, I'm a junior at Purdue University studying Computer Science and Economics. I'm passionate about products, technology, sports, and politics.

This past summer, I participated in the 8VC Fellowship program, a 12-week enriched internship where I was a part of a cohort of 16 entrepreneurial students from all around the country. Through the program, I went to weekly fellowship events where I networked and learned from some of the top investors, entrepreneurs, and executives in Silicon Valley. In addition, I was a software engineering intern at BuildZoom, one of 8VC's portfolio companies. I worked across the web stack using Ruby on Rails and Javascript to develop a variety of web applications.

My professional software development expertise mainly lies in full stack web development with the Ruby on Rails web framework. I also have several years of academic experience with other languages including Java, C, and C++. Additionally, I have working UI/UX design experience with Photoshop and Figma. With these skills, I spend a lot of my free time building interesting projects. Currently, I'm working on Podium: a group-based political campaign donation platform. Think change.org but for political campaigns. I work on the backend API and the front-end web application while also running the overall operations of the project. Our proof-of-concept application won 1st out of 40 projects at the 2018 Purdue CS Demo Day.

Outside of my software projects, I'm also involved in Purdue's growing student entrepreneurship scene. Currently, I am the Finance Director at The Anvil, Purdue's student co-working space, which is the largest of its kind in the country. I've raised tens of thousands of dollars of capital, ran a variety of student engagement initiatives, and built relationships with many top Purdue investors/founders.

Overall, I believe my experiences and track record make me an excellent fit for this opportunity. Please feel free to contact me via phone or email at a time of your convenience to discuss my background as well as the requirements for the role.

Thank you for taking the time to go through my application!

Best,

Anuraag Yachamaneni