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Application to the Data Scientist position

Dear Mr, Mrs,

With advanced understanding in spatial data analysis and with hands-on experience in statistical softwares including R and other GIS softwares I am very interested in the Data Scientist position you are offering.

Data collection and analysis is becoming increasingly important in our societies. I truly believe in the power of using data to increase our understanding of the world and of what people's behavior. Analyzing data is certainly the key to finding solutions to many challenges including conflicts and war and PRIO understood this. This is one of the reason why I would like to grow as a Data Scientist in PRIO.

I believe in the power of data and a good understanding of it is an important part in finding solutions to challenges we are facing. Solving problems using very large dataset has been a staple during my PhD where I needed to find statistical solutions to make better use of certain kind of data. My research experience also taught me to be more flexible in my work. Working with and teaching complex concepts a wide range of audiences, from master students and social scientists to hunters helped me to become a more concise and efficient speaker. I should also mention that my PhD education sharpened my time management skills and my ability to work under pressure, necessary abilities in Data Science.

I thank you very much for your attention and I really look forward to hearing from you soon.

Best regards,

Benjamin Cretois