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To whom it may concern,

Hello, my name is Xinyi (Ingrid) Luan. I am writing to ask if you could take me into consideration as an intern for Bloomberg HK bureau next summer.

I'm currently enrolled in a journalism post-graduate program at Renmin University of China. With bachelor's degrees both in International Relations and Journalism, I'm widely interested in politics, diplomacy, global markets, tech, and any interesting stories happening every day here.

I have learned a lot from my experience as an intern for Reuters Beijing bureau earlier this year, where I helped correspondents do in-depth researches, develop story ideas, interview and write daily newsletters. I worked for the Beijing News and our campus media before that.

I have also taken several economics courses such as global political economy and American economic policy, where I was taught how to analyze a government economic decision and how to communicate with government agencies. In my spare time, I follow financial news and international affairs closely.

During my past internships at Reuters and other media, I have been consistently praised as passionate, responsible and fast learner – I taught myself python and R language. I care the world which I am delighted and grateful to devote myself in. I'm kind of an idealist and I believe the power of truth and information could bring about the changes to our world, however small it may be.

I've been to Hong Kong this summer and I love it so much. I'm obsessed with its unique history, culture and street view. The contradiction and tension within its modernity, the identity crisis among the younger generation, and the fight for freedom at any cost make it even more charming. I hope I will have the honor to work here one day.

I'd like to show you two stories as an example of my capacity in news reporting. One is a Reuters news I've contributed to (as "the Beijing newsroom") on AP history exams suspension during my internship there, http://tiny.cc/wccycz. The other is an in-depth data report published on The Paper focusing on a mental health problem named AIDS phobia, which I have attached to my application.

Besides, I have taken two courses on video filming, and here are two of my works: 1. Vertical Limit, introducing daily routine of our school's mountaineering team, 3 mins long, https://www.bilibili.com/video/av4985946/. 2. A video report on Internet-famous food (in Chinese), 11 mins long, https://www.bilibili.com/video/av11329877/.

I hope I am lucky enough to be considered as a competitive candidate. If there's any problem, please feel free to contact me at (86)18810936855 or via email at blabulabul525@gmail.com/blabulabul@163.com.

Thank you for your consideration, and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely, Ingrid Luan