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Dear Human Resources Specialist,

I am thankful and honored to apply for the IT Specialist role at the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. As an accomplished Software Engineer with over two years of experience, I am confident in contributing to your team's success.

In my previous role at Revature, I gained extensive experience in full-stack development that followed agile methodologies. I used Java/ Spring Framework, Angular, and Azure tech stack and am a Certified Pega System Architect. I am particularly drawn to the opportunity to serve the public at the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services.

Establishing the habit of setting high bars for myself to acquire the desired results enabled me to lead by example and inspire my peers to do the same. As a first-generation American, I learned the value of hard work and the humility needed to be open to new cultures, thus, new frames of thought and curiosity toward the unknown. Juggling responsibilities require a keen sense of time management, which I have consciously honed by using tools such as Todoist, Google Calendar, and Streak to establish goals and then break them down to simplify tasks— And since my life is documented, I honestly analyze my progress and identify trends on a daily, weekly, monthly, and yearly basis to orient my present decisions toward the accomplishment of my goals.

My full-stack skillset, openness toward new technologies, and experience in software engineering make me a strong candidate for this position. At Revature, I continuously sought responsibility when able. Thus, I was tasked with requirement analysis and backlog grooming for one of my clients. This experience taught me the value of communication —more so in a remote job environment. Therefore, I believe it would be valuable in the IT Specialist role at the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services.

I am excited about the prospect of working at the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, and my values align with the company's mission and culture. I am an enthusiastic and grateful individual who thrives in a positive and open environment, and I am excited to bring my expertise to your team.

Thank you for considering my application for the IT Specialist role at The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. I am blessed with the opportunity to discuss my qualifications further and look forward to hearing from you. Please feel free to contact me at [rubioj@alumni.vcu.edu](mailto:rubioj@alumni.vcu.edu).

Sincerely,  
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