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J. Streicher Capital LLC  
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Dear J. Streicher Capital LLC

I am applying for the Investment Banking Fall Internship listed on the job posting site LionSHARE of Columbia University. I am currently pursuing my masters degree in Operations Research and will be graduating in Dec, 2015. This opening appeals me because I am interested in investment banking and I believe I may be a great fit for this position because of my strong analytical skills, critical thinking, solid quantitative and technical background.

The very reason that I am fascinated about the opportunity mainly comprises of the following aspects. First, I find financial analysis and evaluation quite familiar. Working as a risk analysis assistant at Risk Analysis Unit, Global Banking, HSBC in Beijing for half a year largely fostered my analytical abilities and armed me with basic financial knowledge as well as a sense of the market. Moreover, I am now studying Global Capital Markets and Pricing Models for Financial Engineering at Columbia University, which assists me in systematically understanding options, futures, derivatives and relevant models. Secondly, I have strong programming and data analysis skills. With a Bachelor's degree in computer science, I am adept at developing with C++, Java and Python. My technical background can really help the development of financial modeling and platforms. When I worked at HSBC, using python I developed an assisting data analysis program by myself to capture figures from Moody's Risk Analyst (MRA), arrange them in excel and set up notification if necessary for strange phenomena. Also, I have done text classification and clustering projects at Tsinghua University, which makes me confident that I am qualified for data analysis works in your company.

I am truly excited about the prospect of applying what I have learnt and acquired to working with teams of like-minded professionals to solve challenging problems. I feel that my past, present studies along with my technical skills and professional experience make me a highly competitive candidate for this position. I would welcome the opportunity to further discuss my qualifications and what I could add to your company. Thanks for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Yiling Huang". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Yiling Huang