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The Hiring Team
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Dear xAI Hiring Team,

I'm thrilled to apply for the Talent Engineer role. I'm an AI/ML self-taught learner diving into Python, UIPath automation to shape a humane digital future. With recent completion of UIPath Automation Infrastructure Engineer Fundamentals (2025) and ongoing mastery of UIPath Automation Specialist AI Professional, I'm building skills akin to curating ethical datasets (AI Tutor) and sourcing diverse talent for innovative teams (Talent Engineer).

Inspired by global challenges like misinformation and corruption, I crafted a Python script (GitHub: <https://github.com/MaJimdaTM/xAI-Portfolio/commit/5c5f58d26e2d46109f4a632d37b61fbe636a4924>) to tutor on the West Philippine Sea dispute while matching skills to mission-driven roles—proof of my dual passion for education and recruitment and leveraging AI for truth and justice. What fuels me is impact—using AI to uplift truths that are now under the threat of being silenced.

I'm flexible, remote-ready, and excited to leverage any tools or devices you provide to hit the ground running. I'd love to bring my energy to xAI, with an eye toward growing into hands-on innovation.

Thank you for considering me—I'm available for a chat at +639279690445 / +639171655234 or ms.jimdamariano@gmail.com / ma.jimdamariano@gmail.com to discuss how I can contribute. Can't wait to help xAI redefine what's possible!

Warmest regards,
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Objective:

On Board x.AI as a Talent Engineering Team Member

Professional Profile

- Self-directed AI/ML learner with hands-on experience in Python, UIPath automation, and TypeScript, driven by a mission to build humane AI that exposes systemic inequities (e.g., global corruption and censorship).
- Eager to contribute to xAI's Grok, Grokipedia and Macrohard initiatives as a Talent Engineer—sourcing diverse builders for agentic systems
- Proven communicator and optimizer, blending technical grit with a justice-focused mindset to accelerate human discovery.
- Remote-Ready AI Enthusiast, passionate about Truth-Seeking AI

Skills

- Programming: Python (data annotation, scripting), TypeScript (web tools)
- AI/ML: Hugging Face, fast.ai (fine-tuning, NLP basics); Agentic AI concepts
- Automation: UIPath (RPA workflows, process optimization)
- Soft: Technical writing/explaining (STEM concepts), Talent sourcing, Ethical AI advocacy
- Tools: Jupyter, GitHub, Pandas/NumPy (data handling)
- Languages: English (fluent), [Tagalog/other if relevant]

Professional Experience

Researcher/Instructor/Hydroponics Engineer/Founder

Jimda Training Center (start-up), Philippines | 2018 – Present

- Led the development of curriculums on hydroponics, urban farming and business process automation—automation projects using UIPath to streamline workflows, reducing manual tasks by 40%—skills transferable to xAI data curation.
- Collaborated on proposed business enterprise's automation initiative, "cross-functional teams to explain complex processes, mirroring AI tutoring for model refinement"
- Mentored learners on technical concepts, building skills in clear communication for diverse audiences
- Volunteered in community tech education, fostering inclusive learning akin to xAI's truth-seeking ethos

Course Producer/Publisher

Udemy.com, San Francisco, USA | 2014 to present

- Led the authoring, production and publication of the course in Mastering Conversion Between Number Systems providing a highly sought skill set in Critical thinking and AI readiness

Technical Writer

LearnToProgram.tv Odesk now Upwork, Connecticut, USA | 2012-2013

- Led the content writing of three published books on HTML/5, JavaScript and PHP/MySQL

Quality Assurance (QA) Team Leader

Microsourcing Inc/Yell Adworks, Philippines | 2009

- Co-led re-training/up skilling of QA Team members, screening & interview of new QA hires

Instructor

Rizal Technological University, Mandaluyong City, Philippines | June 2010 to Dec. 2013

Lead for Technical Projects / Instructor

MIS Department / Computer Department | College of Engineering -

Rizal Technological University, Mandaluyong City, Philippines, June 1993 to April 1998

CAD Department Supervisor

Philsports Garment Manufacturing Inc, Quezon City

Hardware & Applications Engineer

Synergy Systems – Gerber CAD Systems, Makati City, Philippines

Education

Self-Taught AI/ML Specialist | [Coursera/fast.ai/Hugging Face] | Ongoing (2025)

- Focused on Practical Deep Learning and NLP with Hugging Face.

M.S. in Engineering Education | Rizal Technological University | Mandaluyong Philippines

- 24 units completed

B.S. in Computer Engineering | Rizal Technological University | Mandaluyong Philippines

- Degree conferred, graduate

Diplomas (UIPath)

- Automation Infrastructure Engineer Fundamentals (Completed 2025) – Self-funded training in scalable automation workflows.
- Automation Specialist AI Professional (In Progress, 2025) – Exploring AI-integrated RPA, targeting completion post-on boarding.
- Note: Pursuing official certifications with future earnings from xAI.

Projects

WPS Tutor & Talent Matcher (Python Script, GitHub: <https://github.com/MaJimdaTM/xAI-Portfolio/commit/5c5f58d26e2d46109f4a632d37b61fbe636a4924>) | Oct 2025

- Built interactive script explaining West Philippine Sea facts while simulating talent sourcing for xAI roles—demonstrates data annotation (Tutor fit) and skill-matching logic (Talent Engineer fit).
- Leveraged Pandas for scoring candidates on ethics/ML skills, prioritizing remote/PH talent for diverse teams.

UIPath Bot for Candidate Selection Workflow Automation | Oct 2025

- Developed RPA bot to automate job application candidate selection, reducing errors by [X%]; adaptable to xAI's talent recruitment engineering.

Interests & Volunteer

- Passionate advocate for AI ethics—analyzing global issues like censorship via open-source contributions.
- Community gardening pilot (Grok-Jimda Garden Project)—fostering growth through hands-on innovation and research.
- Co-written the parody Bohemian Radish-ody with Grok I published via post in X.com 8/22/2025