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Dear Hiring Manager,

First of all, I would like to thank the ThoughtWorks HR Team for the opportunity to apply for the FYE program. I have been involved with software development since the beginning of my freshman year and I've used my passion and knowledge in user-friendly and easy to explore products to study concepts, technologies, and development methods.

In an early stage of my path as a developer, I realized technology is a powerful tool to help communities in many progressive ways. I believe that developers have a big social responsibility to create a better world. Taking on this responsibility in being a better coder, I took part in many projects that were, in my opinion, important for society. For example, my team and I were the 2017 City Hackaton champions for developing a Web App to help abandoned animals find a new home. I am also a contributor of a project that helps transgender people to find safe restrooms to use. In my internship, I helped create the Diversity and Inclusion Group, which promotes respect and acceptance of the LGBT+ community in the company, holds meetings to encourage high school girls to apply for STEM courses and internships, and motivates economically disadvantaged people to pursue positions in IT companies.

Recently I found out that data science is a great way to help companies, individuals and even legislation to create the best path to a greater good. I have been studying exploratory techniques and machine learning algorithms, to contribute to software development in order to create solutions for causes I consider important.

I will graduate and start my developer career later in this year and I want the opportunity to help the company I will work for achieve all its goals. I also want to grow as a developer and as a person. I strongly believe ThoughtWorks has all the values I admire and believe in and that this job will help me immensely in my career path. I believe with my experience, I have much to offer and would be honored to be given an opportunity to contribute skills, share what I've learned and produced in my internship, university and spare time, and also to learn and grow in the ThoughtWorks team.

Thank you for your consideration and attention! Please do not hesitate to contact me for further questions.

Sincerely,
Matheus Freitag