

Dear Hiring Manager,

I am very excited about applying for this opportunity to do an internship at Pearson as an Internal Audit Intern. A second-year Computer Science major at Ashesi University, I bring significant value in foundational data analysis and problem-solving as well as reviewing business processes. Auditing experience, web development, and work with stakeholders keep me well-positioned to give value to the internal audit department at Pearson.

During my internship with PwC Zambia, I undertook ICOFR audits that resulted in 100% compliance with international financial reporting standards, with a reduction in financial discrepancies by 10%. I analyzed operating expenses and identified cost-saving opportunities that reduced expenses within the scope of the audit. All these experiences have honed my ability to evaluate financial processes for associated risks and implement improvements.

Beyond auditing, I have a strong technical background in full-stack development, proficient in Python's Flask and PHP for back-end development. At Google Developer Group Ashesi, as the Web Development Track Lead, I have mentored over 30 students to date in programming, improving project completion rates by as high as 40%. My experience in working with data structures and algorithms has proven very instrumental in building user-centric applications, such as Nkani-News Aggregator, a web application that scrapes Google News and does sentiment analysis.

I am very much interested in learning and growing with Pearson within such a collaborative environment. Being able to engage in projects that involve leading the work of change management, technology audits, and financial processes is really attractive to me, and I feel my analytic mindset and enthusiasm for continuous improvement mean I would be a valuable addition to your team.

I would welcome the opportunity to discuss how my skills and experiences align with this role. Thank you for your time and consideration—I look forward to the possibility of contributing to Pearson's mission of empowering learning worldwide.

Best regards,

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