

**EVM SMART
CONTRACT AND
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Dear EF,

Everyone tells me that contributing to the Ethereum Foundation is the pinnacle of blockchain development roles. However, after years of immersing myself in Ethereum's ecosystem, it's clear to me that the Foundation is not just an innovator but a global leader driving the future of decentralized systems. What sets Ethereum apart, and what inspires me most, is its commitment to fostering scalability and decentralization whilst striving to maintain security which is a tough one.

During my tenure as a Computer Network and Security Engineer, I managed and secured the network infrastructure for the nation's electricity provider, Electricity Company of Ghana (ECG), Contributing as a team player to critical projects worth hundreds of thousands to millions of dollars, I honed my ability to collaborate effectively with diverse teams under tight deadlines, ensuring the stability of infrastructure essential to millions of citizens and residents of the country. These experiences cultivated exceptional time management, problem-solving, and leadership skills and attributes I am eager to bring to the Ethereum Foundation.

In my transition to blockchain, I have developed expertise and exposure in blockchain engineering and security, specifically in the EVM ecosystem. By combining my technical expertise with my track record in managing complex, high-stakes projects, I believe I can contribute to Ethereum's mission to secure and scale its ecosystem. My dedication to understanding the intricacies of the Ethereum base layer and the EVM, positions me uniquely as someone who not only appreciates Ethereum's core values but is also capable of driving impactful contributions.

Given the opportunity, I am confident I can be an asset to the Ethereum Foundation and the ecosystem as a whole. My experience managing critical infrastructure, paired with my passion for blockchain innovation, equips me to contribute meaningfully to your vision.

Thank you for considering my application. I look forward to the opportunity to work alongside the exceptional talent at the Ethereum Foundation.

Sincerely,

Samir Saade