

Dear Mr. Litrico,

I'll be honored to have an opportunity to discuss MITACS Business Strategy Internship on helping you to formulate a regional economic development strategy..

I'm a CFA charterholder with 13 years of experience working at the intersection of commercial real estate and finance. I currently work as Senior Vice President of an asset management firm in Hong Kong, and used to explain and justify various corporate initiatives (entering a new market, disposal of assets, share buy-backs, etc.) to the board and senior management of listed companies. The key skills of communicating the business case, coordinating market research, modeling the risks and financial impacts are essential to strategy development and delivery.

I am deeply moved by Ontario's people first strategy in COVID-19 response, it is based on science not politics. Now hopefully we are seeing the end of the tunnel, we could let economic studies guide our hands again to make sure there are lights at the end for millions of people.

I am fluent in English, Mandarin and Cantonese.

Hope I can have an opportunity to discuss with you further on the details and a chance to justify why I would be a good fit for the post.

I know I am not currently in Ontario. I have valid paperwork for me to study in Canada, I just cannot physically come because of travel restrictions. So I do not yet have a social security ID, payment could be a problem. I am willing to help pro bono.

Thanks,

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