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Cover Letter for Community Manager position

Dear Ana Gabela,

I am writing to apply for the part-time community manager position at the Astropy Project via NumFOCUS. With a collaborative attitude and a strong belief in open-source communities, I am eager to contribute to the growth and development of Astropy.

Although I have no experience whatsoever related to astrophysics, I have a proven track record of managing and supporting communities on Discord for hobby centric groups. I am also experienced in developing communication and marketing strategies on Facebook for school organizations. I have experience working in a fully remote and geographically dispersed team, utilizing various platforms such as Github and Slack. I also strongly believe in promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion. I myself am a part of the LGBTQ community.

I am thrilled about the opportunity to join the Astropy Project and contribute to the growth and success of the community. I believe having a job for an open-source project is a very righteous thing to do. Thank you for considering my application. I look forward to the possibility of discussing how my skills and experiences align with the goals of the Astropy Project in more detail.

Sincerely yours,
Rex Yuan