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Hiring Manager

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Dear Hiring Manager,

I am writing to express my enthusiasm for the Junior Ethical Hacker position at StackandCo, as advertised on LinkedIn. As a recent B.Sc. graduate in Computer Science and Engineering from Port City International University, I bring hands-on experience in penetration testing, vulnerability assessment, and network security, making me eager to contribute to Outpost24’s mission of delivering innovative cybersecurity solutions.

During my academic and internship journey, I have developed a strong foundation in ethical hacking. I completed the Udemy course "Mastering Network Security: Defending Against Cyber Threats," where I honed my skills in identifying and mitigating cyber threats. In a key project, I conducted DNS enumeration using tools like Sublist3r, Amass, and dnsrecon, followed by simulated attacks with Metasploit and Hydra to uncover vulnerabilities, documenting findings in a bug bounty-style report. Additionally, I optimized a BackBox Linux environment on a 4GB RAM system to run penetration testing tools efficiently, showcasing my ability to work in resource-constrained settings.

My internship at a local IT firm in Chittagong further solidified my practical experience. I performed network monitoring and vulnerability scans using Nmap and Wireshark, tested Wi-Fi security with Aircrack-ng, and collaborated with a team to implement secure access points. These experiences, combined with certifications from TryHackMe and Udmey, have equipped me with the technical acumen and problem-solving skills necessary to excel as a Junior Ethical Hacker.

I am particularly drawn to StackandCo’s commitment to advancing cybersecurity through cutting-edge penetration testing and vulnerability management. I am confident that my proactive approach to learning, demonstrated by my ongoing pursuit of a CCNA certification, and my ability to work remotely or on-site, will make me a valuable addition to your team. I am willing to relocate to Sweden and secure a work visa with StackandCo support, ensuring a seamless transition to contribute to your projects.

Thank you for considering my application. I am excited about the opportunity to join StackandCo

and would welcome the chance to discuss how my skills align with your needs. I look forward to the possibility of contributing to your team’s success.

Sincerely,

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