Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to apply for the Analyst Intern position, I am available for an internship from 17th May 2020. I am currently pursuing Master’s in Data Science course from Illinois Institute of Technology, my cumulative GPA is 3.5 out of 4, in addition to that, I hold a Master of Science degree in Statistics, with two years of hands-on analytical experience. I am proficient in Python, R, SQL, and I can perform data analysis for different service platforms. I am excited to work closely with Ascension’s business team to understand the analytics usage based on current data.

I joined Tata Capital Financial Services Ltd. after completing my Bachelor in Statistics, I have performed explanatory data analysis for used car and two-wheeler dealerships. Further, I was involved in the balanced scorecard preparation for these segments by analyzing financial reports, this project resulted in increased lending in these segments with 0% NPA cases. I have worked as a Data Science intern at Nielsen India Inc. which involved automation, data cleaning and data integration using R software, this project involved sampling, weighting, and projection enhancements to reduce the time consumption for data validation processes by almost 25 %. I joined Greeksoft Technologies Pvt. Ltd. for a stock price forecasting project where I have used LSTM recurrent neural networks using Keras package in python and backtested the model for a period of 2012-17 with the correct trend prediction for 71 % of the total number of the days.

I joined Cartesian Consulting Pvt. Ltd., as an Analyst which involved working in the grocery domain for assisting their marketing team using MariaDB SQL, predicting most valuable customers for a research publication organization and conducting a research project for evaluating whether ‘Fantasy Sports is a game of skill or luck’ using testing of hypothesis. I have extensively used SQL and Microsoft Excel, for querying the customer database and developing the metrics for a business, for further analysis I have used Power BI and Tableau for data visualization. I have completed multiple certifications like SAS Base programmer, SAS Predictive Modeler using SAS Enterprise Miner 14 and Machine Learning Specialization from the University of Washington.

My strengths include an understanding of Machine Learning techniques, storytelling through data, problem-solving skills and presentation abilities. I would love a chance to bring my skills, knowledge, and abilities to Ascension as your new Analyst Intern.

Sincerely,

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