Dear Hiring Manager,

I'm excited to apply for the Software Engineer position at Intel. With a master's degree in computer science from Arizona State University and four years of experience as a full-stack software engineer, I'm confident that my skills and insights will provide value to your team.

As a Software Engineer at ICICI Lombard, I led the overhaul of the customer renewals portal, reducing process time from an hour to under ten minutes. This experience strengthened my technical skills and underscored the impact of efficient, customer-centered solutions.

In addition to my professional experience, I am passionate about technology and enjoy tackling personal projects to solve everyday problems. For example, my interest in classic novels led me to discover Librivox, an excellent library for public-domain audiobooks. However, integrating Librivox audiobooks with my podcasting app, PocketCasts, proved challenging. To solve this, I developed LibriCasts, an open-source platform to simplify importing audiobooks into PocketCasts. This project not only made my life easier but also allowed me to explore the technical details of RSS feeds, Python Flask servers, and API integrations.

Beyond technical capabilities, I was also responsible for mentoring junior developers and guiding them on technical best practices. My experience as a mentor has given me a deeper appreciation for team dynamics and the value of sharing knowledge, which aligns well with the culture of your company.

Thank you for considering my application. I am enthusiastic about the opportunity to contribute to Intel and am eager to discuss how my background and skills can benefit your team. Please feel free to contact me at your convenience.