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Dear Hiring Manager,

I am excited to submit my application for a Software Engineer at your prestigious company. With a M.S. in Computer Science and more than one year of hands-on experience building and testing on Java Web and .NET Application, I am confident that I would be a strong addition to your team.

My undergraduate study helps me develop solid theoretical foundation in computer science. To be specific, I have taken core courses such as C++, Data Structure and Compilation Principle, all with scores of above 90, and kept a top rank in my major. I have also gradually cultivated an effective learning habit – learn by practice. For instance, by programming and debugging the sample code, I truly grasped the principles of the abstract algorithms. Besides, most of my courses are practice-oriented, therefore I developed my skillset covering software development, server cluster configuration and network device configuration, such as Cisco device. With my in-depth study, I realized the importance of the integration between the cutting-edge technologies and computational methods. Thus, I took the initiative to dabble in Java Web Development, big data and cloud computing. Overall, the integrated curriculum system has equipped me a comprehensive theory hierarchy covering programming, data and algorithms.

Another thing I want to mention is my work experience in the student union and computer network association in undergraduate university. Not only did I learn some technologies related to photo retouch and video production, but also, I developed communication and cooperation skills. As a leader in information department, I was required to assign large amount of work to department members and cooperate with other department members to hold events. This experience helped me when I became the leader of the project called Network Distributed File Storage System Based on High Availability Architecture. In this project, I did much preparation before assigning work, including holding discussion meetings, making a clear time schedule and monitoring the progress of each people. Finally, the training offered me good leadership and management skills. I also improved my technical ability from the internship as a programmer.

For your convivence, I have attached a resume that further outlines my relevant skill set, accomplishments and experience. Thank you for your consideration.

Yours Sincerely,

Jiaming Xu