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### Dear Sir or Madam,

Thank you very much for helping me choose SONI as a potential employer through your lovely events across Queen's University Belfast!

I first learned of this amazing opportunity through both in-person events and the QUB MyFuture platform. I am now pursuing this Cybersecurity Placement in Belfast for 2025. Please find attached my CV.

*I am an excellent academic, having achieved a perfect GPA of 4.0 in both my first year of University and my A-Levels. I am currently a public Cybersecurity representative of both CyberFirst and ChildNet. I am also highly qualified in communication, with a Grade 8 and additional Diploma in Speech and Drama.*

*For the past two years, I have taken up two volunteer roles; as a CyberFirst Student Ambassador and as a ChildNet Digital Leader/Champion. In these roles, I give public speeches and presentations during notable events in QUB and in local secondary schools. I use my proficiency of Cybersecurity and public speaking to inspire the future generation and spread vital Cybersecurity skills. I was also a team leader in the QUB CS Sustainability Hackathon, winning the award of Most Creative Idea.*

*I have always had a huge admiration for SONI, as they are vital to the growth of Northern Ireland. I believe that working with SONI would be an amazing milestone in my Cybersecurity career, as I ensure that all of the data and systems of the vital framework of the local Energy Industry is preserved. In this role, I expect to be pushed to my limits in coding, incident response, digital forensics and more, forging me into a better worker in my field while working towards something great. Cybersecurity is my field of choice, and I would love to begin my career with a relevant, running start, in a way that can truly give back to the world around me!*

Thank you very much for taking the time to review my CV.

I hope to meet you again in the next stages of the application process!

Yours faithfully,

Daniel Mackle.