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I am writing to express my interest in your vacancy for a senior Javascript Frontend Engineer advertised on weworkremotely.com.

In my 10 years working in web development, I have lead and contributed to a variety of projects ranging from complex interactive analytical web apps to landing pages, storefronts, and community portals. I am very comfortable working on front or back end, though I do prefer front end - it's flashier.

My CS degree from Washington University in St. Louis has given me a solid foundation for algorithms, data structures, timing, security, and an ability to quickly learn new technologies and environments. My years of working with expert and not really very good coworkers in academic and large corporate structures have given me a hard work ethic, a thirst for knowledge, a tolerance for bureaucracy, and a desire to be the absolute best both to be a star, and because I know how much damage bad coders can do. My recent time spent freelance has given me experience with self-direction, time to really experiment with the incredible tools Javascript has these days, an awesome home office, and a loathing for traffic.

I love writing and reading elegant, modular, maintainable code. I am knowledgeable of all aspects of the web cycle from servers and SQL to repainting the DOM. I am fast, hard working, constantly looking to challenge myself and improve my workflow, and I get along with almost everyone while not being too scared to express myself.

I believe I would make a valuable contribution to your application and sincerely hope to meet with you soon.

Thank you for your time,

Ed Fialkowski