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Dear Hiring Manager,

Hi, my name is Eldor Bekpulatov and I am an undergraduate student at Cornell University studying ECE while minoring in Business. I must admit this is my first cover letter and my resume might not be up to par with my peers. However, I urge you to look past these and focus on my strengths.

There are many things that resume's and cover letters don't convey about the person in question. More often than not, these sources can be misleading. So, I will try to uphold transparency in mine and hope to convey a sincere pitch regarding my personal goals and ambitions.

I believe that anyone can do anything, so long as there's an intrinsic motivation involved.

In my final years of high school, my close friend and I founded an international FIRST Robotics Challenge Team. Together, we oversaw recruitment procedures, found mentors, secure work locations, applied to and won grants (over 12K), developed team by-laws, held fundraisers, petitioned and pitched to parents for support, and develop team t-shirts, logos and mottos all within two months. Throughout the season, we led our newly-found team to develop a competition ready product that incorporated fundamentals of Mechanical Eng., Electrical Eng., Computer Science, Marketing and Project Management. Simply because we were inspired by a neighboring school's "High School Fair" showdown. Maintaining high academic performance standards was the least of my worries.

In college however, I had an adjustment period where I had to adapt new disciplines, ways of learning, and most importantly incorporate efficiency in my time management. I believe having to recover from initial college setbacks, I have learned some of the most valuable lessons for real-life challenges and endeavors. For instance, I finally made it to Dean's List in the fall of 2017. Having gained control over my education/grades recently, I realized that I still have kept the same entrepreneurial spirit as before, if not have evolved more from it.

Over this past winter break, I developed an interest in Web Development. Within 5 weeks, I learned many disciplines and languages such as HTML, CSS, JS, Django Framework, Jinja, SQL Database Management while only having a background in Python. By the end of the 5th week, I was able to deploy a fully functional subscription-based website that incorporates a client management system, which I highly encourage you to visit (Link. Login: guest Password: demoview). Due to these newly acquired skills, I was able to secure a position in AguaClara's software development sub-team this January, in which I am fully utilizing my skills, while learning new ones.

These are some of the examples of my personal achievements in which my source of motivation was not external, but rather internal. I found that having a personal drive from within can lead to much greater heights than any external drive ever can. Having realized that, I try to attach my ambition to everything that I do and bring that innate drive to all my personal goals. Doing so hasn't failed me yet!

Having said that, I am confident that I can be a valuable addition to your company. I am very eager to learn any new skill that is expected of me or learned in duration of the program. I would love the opportunity to display my interest and potential value to your company through any forms of interview.

For any information regarding my technical background, I will link all my contact information and social media accounts below.

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Thank you for your consideration, and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

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