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Command|Link

Dear Command|Link,

I'm a Principal Engineer with deep experience in most of the low-level concepts you've put in your posting:

- I was deep in the weeds with threading and concurrency primitives for the one credit authorization system that I wrote (Auth21) and the two others I maintained.
- Those same systems required a lot of work with cryptography, HMAC, mTLS, and secrets.
- I used Kafka and RabbitMQ heavily at Groupon for the Points project. These were idempotent, durable flows. I've also used Kenesis, SNS/SQS, NATS, and probably others.
- I've played with Akka, but I've used Go's built-in actors, Clojure's agent and core.async, Erlang and Elixir's implementation of CSP, etc.
- OAuth 2.0 was a significant part of the systems that I pushed to unify at 2U.

As a Principal Engineer, I don't just code (though I do mostly code), but I pair, mentor juniors and mid-level engineers, advocate for organizational support, and facilitate and contribute to architectural decisions.

I'd love a chance to talk about this position!

Sincerely,

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