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Hiring Manager, Quorum, Washington DC, United States

Dear Hiring manager,

I am writing to express my interest in the Software Engineer Intern position at Quorum. Quorum is among the top DC startups and builds software for public affairs, providing one place for stakeholder engagement, legislative tracking, and grassroots advocacy. Thousands of public affairs professionals use Quorum for their work in Congress, major U.S. cities, and the European Union. I would like to be a part of such an innovative and rapidly growing organization. I believe I will be an asset to the organization. In particular, the following characteristics and abilities may be of interest to you:

Technical/Programming skills: As indicated in my resume, I have a professional experience of more than 5 years in Software Development, which has helped become proficient in object-oriented programming language like Java and Python. In addition, being the lead of the User Interface team, I was responsible for building the UI micro-service and its integration with back end service, which gave me exposure to be a full stack developer and gain advance knowledge in JavaScript (ECMAScript 5 and 6), CSS, HTML and Ember.js. Apart from these I worked on number of other projects (Network Management System, Oracle's Finance Division web application and others) which helped me participate in full life-cycle software development and groom in design skill, data structures and algorithms. In addition, I have also taken Data mining and Machine learning course to get in depth knowledge of their real-world applications.

Analytical and Communication skills: My experience from my previous jobs and ongoing projects have sharpened my communication skill and taught me valuable lessons in collaboration and initiation. In my most recent project I collaborated with number of other teams at different locations and time zones for proper end-to-end communication among different microservices. Our successful collaboration helped the first release meet the deadline with minimum defects.

I am confident that my skills and qualifications will enable me to make a positive contribution to the intern program. I would be happy to further discuss my experience and the value I can offer you as an intern. You can reach out to me anytime at (240)565-9813 to schedule an interview. Thank you for the time and consideration. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely, Shishir