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Respected Hiring Manager,
I would like to apply for the RPM Program at Facebook in North America. I have worked in the tech industry since 2016 and I would like to use this cover letter to represent my skills that are essential for any Product Manager.

I served as a full-stack software developer at JP Morgan after getting hired via a 24 hr hackathon. Even though my primary job was to write code, I tried my level best to contribute to

1. Translating user requirements to programmable problem statements
2. Dividing requirements into small tasks and collaborating with different stakeholders
3. Leading the initiative to reduce testing for 200+ developers by developing POCs

You can check out my UI design skills at bluepolymath.com. Images, visual combinations, layouts & UI design fascinate me. I have also concentrated on the UX. Thinking from the user perspective gave me some insights for carving out a lucid user journey rendering the website distinctly on each device which made the design responsive and sticky.

I am applying similar principles to my current internship at Amazon Web Services. Since I completed the core tasks in 7 weeks, I am using the remaining 5 weeks to enhance the UX and make the UI scalable. My team won't have to work on the front end code for new requirements after I leave. I have created a program that can read a text file and create dynamic web pages on the fly.

I also like counselling, mentoring and leading people. I'm currently a board member at The Essential Theatre and have recently been a Teaching Assistant for Software Development at my University.

I think I am a good fit for this position because I have worked in positions involving design, people interaction & technology in the past and I love it. Interacting with stakeholders like Product Owners, business analysts and Scrum Masters at JP Morgan and Make-A-Wish foundation helped me discover my inclination for collaboration and initiative. I also prefer to think about the big picture instead of just concentrating on the technical aspect of the project.

Facebook appeals to me for three simple reasons. To start with, I've had the chance to interact with people who've worked at Facebook and their stellar feedback about the firm truly makes it a dream job. Secondly, Facebook's mission of bringing the world closer holds true particularly during tough times like these. Last but not the least, investments in Whatsapp, Oculus VR and individual features like the marketplace, game arcade & crisis response paint Facebook as a user-centred organization for me.

My favourite product is Facebook Lite. I didn't have the most powerful smartphone or the fastest internet connection back in India which made it difficult for me to use most of the applications but Facebook Lite helped me circumvent those issues.

I want to talk more and dive deeper about my skill set and enthusiasm for the RPM program at Facebook. Hope my application gets through to you so that I get a shot to be interviewed at every Indian Gen-Z's dream company!

Sincerely,
Gireesh