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Ripple

San Francisco, California

Dear Hiring Manager,

I am applying for the Software Engineer position as listed on the company website. I have graduated cum laude from The State University of New York at Potsdam with a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science. My degree in computer science has provided me with a background relating to software architecture and computer systems. This allows me to effectively work in a diverse range of environments.

During my time at SUNY Potsdam I was named a member of the dean' list for each semester I attended. Additionally, I was awarded first place in SUNY Potsdam's 2021 hackathon by developing a word video game within a two hour time limit.

I am currently employed by OTAK, inc., where I am working as a field technician in conducting field research and data collection in a condensed period of sampling in the Adirondack High Peaks region. I am working both independently and as a part of a small team of technicians to gather the data. As such, I have the ability to work independently or in a team setting when necessary.

I was previously employed at SUNY Potsdam in Potsdam, New York. I worked in the Department of Computer Science as a student tutor. I was able to work directly with the students to help engage them in the learning process. Additionally, I assisted in the completion of school work and understanding all levels of computer science concepts and applications.

I believe that I would be successful in my work at Ripple as a Software Engineer. My academic achievements and previous work experience have allowed me to refine my skills and communication that are necessary for the position. Thank you for your time and consideration. I look forward to hearing back from you.

Sincerely,

Conor Golden