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Hiring Committee
Cisco Systems, Inc.
["Virtual Internship Program"]

Dear Hiring Committee,

I am writing to express my strong interest in the Cybersecurity and Networking Virtual Internship opportunity at Cisco. As a highly motivated [Your Current Year, e.g., second-year Computer Science] student with a passion for cybersecurity and network infrastructure, I am excited by the chance to learn from and contribute to a global leader in technology innovation like Cisco.

With a strong academic foundation in networking concepts, system architecture, and cybersecurity principles, I have gained hands-on experience through courses. For instance, I recently participated in a Capture The Flag cybersecurity challenge. These experiences have sharpened my skills in network configuration, threat detection, and ethical hacking and have strengthened my ability to think critically under pressure.

Cisco's commitment to building an inclusive internet for the future and its leading role in developing secure network infrastructure deeply resonate with my aspirations. I am particularly inspired by your work in automation and secure access solutions. Through this internship, I hope to further develop my skills in areas such as firewalls, endpoint protection, and intrusion prevention, while gaining exposure to Cisco's advanced networking tools and cloud security services.

Beyond technical proficiency, I bring strong teamwork, communication, and time management abilities, which I believe are essential in a collaborative virtual setting. I am eager to learn from Cisco's experts, contribute meaningfully to your projects, and take this opportunity as a stepping stone to a future career in cybersecurity.

Thank you for considering my application. I would welcome the opportunity to discuss how I can contribute to Cisco's cybersecurity initiatives during this internship. I am available at your convenience and look forward to the possibility of learning from Cisco's innovative team.

Warm regards,
Hamsa dhanabalan