**Cover Letter**

Re: Posting Software Engineer, New Grad

Greetings,

I’m writing in response to the role as a New Grad Software Engineer. I was excited to see this position being available to join a team working on one of Palantir’s platforms, particularly Gotham. Through my research, I believe I would be a great fit on the team as I am always undertaking new challenges to grow myself as a person and professional, especially when entering a new field.

While my attached resume provides a good overview of my strengths and achievements, I’ve also listed some of your requirements for the role and my applicable skills and how I intend to develop them:

You require:

* Familiarity with data structures, storage systems, cloud infrastructure, front-end frameworks, and other technical tools.
* Engineering background in fields such as Computer Science, Mathematics, Software Engineering, and Physics.
* Experience coding in programming languages such as: Java, C++, Python, JavaScript, or similar languages.

I offer:

* Currently building and expanding my knowledge and foundation through the Microsoft Software and Systems Academy (MSSA) and hands-on projects, guided by instructors.
* I have a 16-week intensive and immersive background with Software Engineering through MSSA with an appetite to increase my knowledge base and continue my education.
* While most of my experience is programming in C#, I continue to take on projects in other languages and developmental tools

Thank you for your time and consideration. I look forward to sharing how I can make a positive contribution at Palantir. I will reach out next week to answer any questions you may have regarding my resume.

Sincerely,

Dave Hancock