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Subject: Bioinformatics Programmer I at Baylor College of Medicine

Dear Hiring Manager,

Your recent post for the search of a bioinformatics programmer on Glassdoor has catched my attention. Soon to graduate with a bachelor's degree in computer science with a year's experience of learning and building bioinformatics tools, please consider my application for this position.

Besides learning general-purpose programming throughout my undergraduate career, I've worked with three fellow CS students to design and implement a bioinformatics pipeline for the bioinformatics cluster at my university using C++, Python and Bash Scripting. As a result, I've gained exposure to many bioinformatics concepts and publicly available tools over the past year. I've become familiar with topics in cellular biology, read mapping, abundance estimation and data visualization. In fact, I've enjoyed working on the project so much that I'm currently enrolled in directed research study with the head of the bioinformatics cluster at my university expanding the pipeline.

I plan on pursuing bioinformatics for my post-graduate studies in the future so while utilizing my existing knowledge and skills, the position will allow me to learn and develop more bioinformatics tools.

Please call me at 321-877-8184 or e-mail me at hurr03@gmail.com if you would like to know more about me and my experiences. Thank you for your time and effort in reviewing my application.

Sincerely, Harsh Patel