**To** Hiring Professor February 20, 2020

Hi!

I found the Research Assistant job on CUNY's website, and thought it looked interesting. I noted that you said you were looking for someone for January of this year but the position is listed as closing 22 Feb. I hope the opportunity is still available! I got a taste for data science working for Dr. Mir at my alma mater, Bucknell University. I would love to be a part of a data driven project again.

In the past I've used Python to both build an experiment using machine learning classifiers and analyze the results of those experiments. I am familier with R and Stata, though the bulk of my skills I would be importing over from Python. In terms of history, I cannot show you any material on a resume as my interest is only a hobby. My deepest interest lies in cold war international politics, particularly the game theory and brinksmanship of the nuclear arms race.

I am convinced I would do well working with you on this project, and I would love the opportunity to convince you. I look forward to hearing from you, and do not hesitate contacting me if you have any questions.

Thanks in advance!

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