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Human Resource Department

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Dear Hiring Manager:

I am writing in response to the available Software Engineering Internship position at Wealthfront advertised on Glassdoor.com. This position appeals to me because of my love for C++ and Java as well as my interest in financial technology. Wealthfront seems to perfectly match those interests and the passion I have for growth.

I am a third-year student at the University of Iowa pursuing a B. S. in Computer Science and Engineering. I have taken a variety of relevant computer classes that have allowed me to develop my programming skills.

My most recent internship experience at IDx LLC has allowed me to apply these skills. In my position there, I converted a legacy code base that automates retrieval, markup, and update of requirement documentation from Python to C#. This opportunity also gave me a glimpse of what development life is like, as I had weekly code reviews and cooperative projects.

Through my experience at All American Concrete I developed a program called Time-Track in C++. This program allows employees to document where and when they work, and therefore expedites payroll by exporting this data to Excel.

In my personal projects, I have also gained extensive JavaScript experience. I created apps that’s range from a player analysis app for League of Legends to a Twitter hashtag tracker called Tweet. These not only stretched my creative skills in design, but also gave me a fundamental idea of many JavaScript Libraries like React.js work.

I believe Wealthfront’s approach to finance will match my ambitions for the financial technology industry. As such, I would appreciate an opportunity to discuss how my qualifications will be beneficial to Wealthfront’s future success. Thank you for your time and consideration. I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Joshua Wootonn