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Dear Sir/Madam,

My name is Alexandru Ioan Lighezan and I am a 20 years old second year student at The University of Sheffield. I am studying computer science and I have a strong interest in everything web related. I am writing to apply for the Intern post you advertised on the university’s website.

I have been working as a freelance web designer since 2006, and during this period I have also worked as a part time web designer at other companies. My main interest lies in graphic design (Photoshop) and standards based, semantic HTML & CSS coding. I also enjoy programming quite a lot so I do web development as well (though I am not specializing in it, I still try to deliver high quality code). I am also very interested in Human Computer Interaction so I like being involved in UX design. I also have SEO knowledge that I gathered a while back, however due to lack of time and resources, I couldn’t continue developing this. I always strive to exceed expectations and I know I do quality work because I have lots of returning clients and positive feedback.

Since I enrolled at The University of Sheffield I tried to develop other areas of my skills – I got involved into research programs (developing a head movement tracker), different activities in order to enhance my team working skills, and also worked hard to improve my programming style.

I am extremely excited to apply for this position because I think this internship is a huge opportunity. I am new to the UK, so I cannot say I have heard about QUBA before – However I did my research and it really looks to be an awesome place work in. I always wanted to work in a place that puts the emphasis on small details and delivers high quality work. I also understand how important the ideology within the company is, as in previous employment I had the unfortunate luck to work for people who underestimated the value of good design and communication. It has been unrewarding so I am eager to work with people that take pride with the work they do. QUBA seems to be this place.

I believe that I am a very reliable and hard working person, I have been sustaining myself for the past year, helping to run a small web agency (madetokill.com), working on the branding and web presence of TakeawayTickets, helping charities as much as I could and also pursuing a first class degree in University – it’s been very busy, but totally worth it.

I have attached my portfolio and CV. Below are some live samples of my work:

I would be more than delighted to hear back from you!

Thank you for your time,

Alexandru Ioan Lighezan