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Dear Fortinet Recruiter,

Cybersecurity has always been an afterthought when it comes to IT in many companies. Fortinet aims to change this by developing adaptabtable and innovative solutions for a constantly expanding attack surface. As an individual passionate about cybersecurity, working at Fortinet represents an opportunity to be at the forefront of the fight against cyber attacks. Fortinet prides itself on values such as openness, teamwork, innovation, all values that I believe are crucial in developing robust security solutions.

My time as an undergraduate has helped me develop a diverse set of skills to be successful at Fortinet. I have 3+ years of experience developing applications of varying sizes in Java using Agile methodologies. Most recently, I was part of a team building a multiplayer game used to demonstrate distributed systems concepts. As a core programmer, I was involved with OOP, multi-threading, and TCP socket programming. My passion for coding has led me to take online courses on React.js and Node.js which I went on to create full-stack applications. I was able to use knowledge from my database classes to incorporate relational databases in my applications. With my background and ability to learn hands on, I am confident I can quickly pick up the skills taught at Fortinet and be able to contribute to the company's success.

Apart from my technical skills, my former role as a team leader at London Drugs has allowed me to develop soft skills essential in a team environment. I am an excellent communicator from my years of experience interacting with coworkers and customers. I learnt leadership skills by taking initiative to discover more efficient workflows for my team. Above all, I cultivated a sense of responsibility and strong work ethic that can applied to any domain. I believe these qualities to be the minimum standards of a software development engineer.

I appreciate your consideration of my application. I hope to be able to contribute my enthusiasm and skill to the Fortinet team. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Louis Zhuo