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Dear GTS Recruitment Team,

I am writing to express my strong interest in participating in GTS's Software Engineering Internship. With a passion for leveraging technology to drive positive change and a strong background in coding and problem-solving, I am excited about the opportunity to contribute to GTS's commitment to transforming financial markets through advanced trading technologies.

In addition to my academic background, I have actively sought out opportunities to apply my programming skills in practical settings. At my internship at SignalGeneriX, I honed my skills in statistical analysis and predictive models, an experience that deepened my appreciation for data-driven decision-making and algorithmic precision, both of which are cornerstones in the realm of electronic trading that GTS excels in. Currently, I am developing a website for my startup Rentify, gaining hands-on experience in tackling real-world problems through technology, a quality that resonates with GTS's innovative spirit in creating more efficient markets.

While teaching Java to highschoolers at iD Tech summer camps, I learned versatility and the value of critical thinking. My adaptive approach in those teaching experiences mirrors GTS's own adaptability in the ever-evolving financial markets. This taught me that success often hinges on one's ability to innovate and adjust quickly to new information, a hallmark of GTS's operations in the fast-paced world of trading.

By participating in GTS's Software Engineering Internship, I see an incredible opportunity to further develop my technical skills, learn from industry experts, and contribute to meaningful projects that improve market liquidity and transparency. GTS's dedication to harnessing the power of technology to create fairer, faster, and more transparent markets deeply inspires me. I am eager to join forces with like-minded professionals who are not only at the forefront of their industry but also committed to positive social impact through market stability and charitable initiatives.

I look forward to the possibility of working alongside GTS's talented professionals, contributing to initiatives that shape the future of trading and, by extension, the global financial landscape. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,
Merritt Zhang