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Dear Hiring Manager,

I am so excited that I have the opportunity to apply for a company as great as Niagara Bottling. I am especially interested in the Professional Development Program. I have an engineering background through my education and my professional career, however I have always had a strong entrepreneurial spirit. I am always looking for new things to learn and new ways to make money or creative ways to solve problems. That is why I am so interested in working for a company that is always pushing the boundary for what is possible for a business. I am looking for a place to utilize my entrepreneurial mindset along with my engineering background.

I have been a part of a team my whole life, from playing on sports teams, coaching sports teams, and now working having had worked with fellow students and coworkers. I love seeing what it takes to bring a team together to achieve a common goal. I have especially enjoyed leading many of these teams. Through my academic and professional career, I have had the opportunity to lead multiple times, on school projects, running meetings at work and presenting in front of a group. I love presenting in front of a group as it feels like I have the opportunity to lead in real time, I love the thought process and attention to detail it takes to get up in front of people and present. I also try to lead in my personal life as well, I spend a lot of time searching for new concepts and ideas from reading books or through online research. This is something that I get so excited about that I will often times organize my friends together so that I can present and teach these concepts to them as well. Through my time as a systems engineer, I have learned and have been exposed to things I would have never learned in school. I have sat in on many project meetings with my team and clients. I have worked along side project managers seeing not just the design work of a project but the organization that is crucial to making an effective project. I have worked on multiple design teams where we worked together to solve new and interesting problems on a day to day basis.

My favorite part about being an engineer is the abundant opportunity to solve new and interesting problems. In my work as an engineer however, the ability to interact and work with people can sometimes be lacking. That is why I am excited for the opportunity to work for a company such as this. Having the chance to combine both my engineering experience with my drive as an entrepreneur is truly my dream job. I am so excited to continue to learn and grow throughout my career and I would love to do that here at Niagara.

Sincerely, Matthew Hinojos