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Recruiter

Company

Dear Recruiter,

After speaking with Jodi Enos-Berlage, the Rochester Semester Director at Luther College, I was encouraged to apply for your IT Intern position at Mayo Clinic. I was particularly happy as I am coming from a family of doctors and have a deep and sincere interest in medical fields. While reading about and getting acquainted with Mayo's work culture, I was astonished by your emphasis on patient service along with your international recognition. I was very impressed with your mission statement and its focus on education and research. The job description was also really attractive, emphasizing mentorship and teamwork which are so essential for shaping an enjoyable and professional environment.

A position at an organization like Mayo fits very well with my education, experience, and the overall background. As a computer science and mathematics double major at a liberal arts college, my education has provided me with both a solid general knowledge as well as a profound technical depth in the fields of interest. I appreciate teamwork, education, and diversity.

I have gained many transferable skills as an Undergraduate Researcher whom I was for past two summers as well as a preceptor for past two fall semesters. The research opportunities have provided me with a set of valuable skills which can be applied to real-world problems. Being a preceptor, on the other hand, allowed me to strengthen the relationship with students as well as improve my leadership skills.

I have also worked at the Software Development Department of Luther College where I learned about the Agile and Scrum framework and have made significant contributions to the college's websites, web platforms, and servers.

Starting coming February, I will be working as a Health Care Delivery Research Intern at Company's Kern Center. I will be working alongside Dr. Wang and Dr. Shen on natural language processing and translational science projects in order to facilitate secondary use of EHRs for clinical and translational science research and health care delivery improvement through artificial intelligence, informatics, and data science approaches.

I would appreciate the opportunity to further discuss how my strengths, skills, and knowledge would benefit Company. Thank you for your time and consideration. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

The description of the internship has given me a sense that the position is a great match for my interests! See my website for my full CV, research papers, projects, reports, and more!

Sincerely,

## **David Oniani**