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Subject: Application for the Fall 2020 Internship at START.

Respected Sir/Madam,

I am writing to express my interest in securing the START internship position. This opportunity is a good fit to my profile, experience and my career goals.

Pursuing Masters in Information systems at the Robert H. Smith School gives me an opportunity to learn about the business side of the analytics process. As a data enthusiast, I like to explore the dynamic field of big data analytics, predictive analytics and machine learning and create stories from an intricate mosaic of data. Having a passion for developing Strategic Management insights to expand business and hedge risk and being proficient in data acquisition, reporting and I try to use the analytical tools to influence business decisions.

I come from a strong technical background having done Bachelors in Electronics Engineering from University of Mumbai. I strongly believe my undergraduate program has laid the ground for my penchant to work in a field that encompasses both, my interest in Engineering and my passion for Business. I learnt to program in languages such as C, Java, Python, R, SQL and also worked on various software tools such as MATLAB, Proteus and Keil. During my Bachelors, I was felicitated with the *Certificate of Achievement* for securing first position for the academic year: 2016-17. In addition to graduating with 8.92 GPA and being the topper of my department, I also actively participated in sports and extra-curricular activities.

I am an avid sports person and have played Soccer at the school and college level. As an altruistic person, I served as an active volunteer for Art of Living which is an international NGO and also to the Rotaract Club of Panvel Industrial Town, wherein I participated and managed various social activities which have honed my interpersonal skills and have allowed me to be better able to prepare to handle the rigors of working for an organization.

I am confident that with the skills, knowledge and academic training that I have, I will be able to make a positive impression, and makes me believe that I am a good fit for this role.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Rohan Chaudhari

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