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Good Day,

I am writing to excitedly express my interest in the Front End Engineer role you currently have open at Casper. I love how Casper has managed to make selling mattresses interesting and modern. There will always be a market for mattresses (especially superior ones) but until now most mattress companies are vanilla and boring. Working at Casper is a great way to work with a company that is in touch with quality and modern appeal, while in an industry that is secure for the foreseeable future.

My background work experience and education are in civil engineering. I began working in engineering consulting performing project controls and entry-level engineering work. My most recent job was in corporate construction as a project controls manager. I gained effective communication skills, innovative critical thinking, and a strong work ethic from my previous career. Only, I did not feel that my current work industry was as fast paced and inventive as I would like for it to be.

Curiosity pushed me to take a week long online tutorial for Javascript and I was in love! Building virtual amazing things while being a part of an industry that is constantly innovating and growing seemed to be a perfect fit for my passions. Graduating from the fully immersive Web Developer program at Dev Bootcamp NYC July 2017, solidified this even more.

Some of my qualifications include:

- Programming Languages: Ruby, Javascript
- Web Development: HTML, CSS, jQuery, APIs
- Technologies: Ruby on Rails, Sinatra, React Native, React
- Databases & Tools: .git, SQLite 3, ActiveRecord

With the knowledge I've attained from my work experience and education plus my immense willingness to expand it, I believe I'll be a valuable asset to your company. I hope you consider me for this position and I look forward to the opportunity to interview with you soon.

Sincerely,  
Samantha Cooks