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Hiring Team

Block

Subject: Application for **Software Engineer Intern**

Dear Hiring Team,

What excites me about the opportunity at **Block** isn't just the chance to develop cutting-edge mobile applications, but the opportunity to work alongside a team dedicated to building a more inclusive and empowered economy. As a mobile developer with experience in both Android and iOS, I thrive in environments where innovative software meets real-world impact—and I see that happening every day at Block.

In my previous role at **Simform Solutions**, I developed and maintained native mobile applications, optimizing performance by **40%** and improving stability and user experience. I've worked with tools and frameworks such as **Kotlin**, **Swift**, **Jetpack Compose**, and **SwiftUI**, and my focus has always been on creating efficient, reliable, and secure applications. I've also developed a passion for tackling complex technical challenges, whether it's improving API performance, integrating third-party services, or troubleshooting app issues with **Firebase Crashlytics**.

I'm particularly drawn to **Block** because of its focus on reliability, security, and scalability—values that resonate deeply with my approach to development. I believe that successful products don't just meet functional requirements; they delight users by being intuitive, fast, and secure. Whether working on **Android**, **iOS**, or cross-platform projects, I've always sought to implement best practices, enhance the user experience, and create code that's maintainable in the long term. Your commitment to fostering innovation while maintaining high engineering standards excites me, and I'm eager to bring my skills to your team and contribute to the development of powerful and transformative products.

Thank you for considering my application. I would love to discuss how I can contribute to **Block**'s ongoing success and help bring your products to new heights. I look forward to connecting with you soon.

Sincerely,
Vraj Shah