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Dear New York Times Hiring team,

I'm an end-to-end product designer who has designed for the unique needs of both consumers and businesses, and after speaking with Data & Insights Manager Sammy Stolzenbach about your company culture, I believe my experience would support the New York Times Growth mission as a Product Designer.

As a designer, I've worked in disparate worlds—publishing, art, fintech, supply chain, crypto—so I make unexpected connections that I can articulate to many different audiences. At Giant Machines, I work cross-functionally with product, engineering, and client teams, translating functional requirements into development-ready interfaces while adapting to new business needs quickly and frequently. There I've designed a credit trading platform for an established finance player, advanced search tools for a supply chain startup, and a document management system for an international utilities company, carrying design efforts from requirements gathering to hands-on design QA in project codebases. To better my communication with engineers, I've also pursued ReactJS and advanced CSS training. On the Growth team, I would use these design, technical, and communication skills to help grow your subscription base.

I appreciate your consideration and hope to speak with you about how I can put my skills to work for the New York Times and your readers.

Sincerely,

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