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**{TITLE}**

Dear Hiring Manager,

I refer to the opening of a **{POSITION}** position at {COMPANY} within your highly regarded organization, through {PORTAL}. {BIO}, I am convinced that working at {COMPANY} will provide me with challenging opportunities and career diversity. With over 3+ years of educational and personal experience in this field, I would be an excellent fit for this position. To be considered for my first internship placement with {COMPANY} would be a great opportunity to an aspiring software developer like myself.

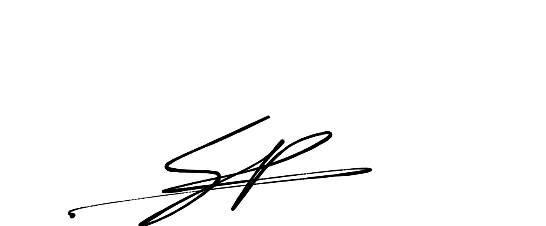
I am currently enrolled in my third year as a Computer Science Undergraduate at Lassonde School of Engineering, at York University. I am pursuing a Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.), specialized honours with a focus on Software Development. During my first two years at Lassonde, I achieved my spot as a member of the Dean’s Honour Roll after maintaining a 3.6 GPA. Thus far, I strategically focused my coursework, preferably using Java, in the following areas:

* Object-Oriented Programming & Design
* Data Structures & Algorithms
* Software Tools & Logic
* Software Testing & Error Handling

In the meantime, I have worked on many personal projects ranging from simple Android applications to complex Desktop applications, surrounding interests like music production, gaming, etc... Working on personal projects has become a hobby that has helped fulfill the interests that I have as aspiring developer. With over 3+ years of educational/personal experience with programming fundamentals and Java, I am confident that I will be able to adapt to various frameworks and APIs used in your tech stack.

All in all, it would be a great opportunity to work at {COMPANY} starting {TERM}, and I would appreciate if I am given the opportunity to meet with you in person, to discuss my qualifications and experiences. I am eagerly looking forward to hearing from you!

Sincerely,



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In the meantime, I have introduced myself to Full-Stack Web Development by going through online resources and completing bootcamps. I have applied the fundamentals of Computer Science in my personal projects ranging from desktop applications to Full-Stack web apps. Recently, I have self-taught myself the PERN stack, which includes PostgreSQL, Expressjs, React, and Nodejs. Additionally, I have explored user authentication and authorization by through the of a RESTful API and JSON Web Token (JWT).