

Hello,

About a year and a half ago, I spoke to a hiring manager from Target at a networking luncheon for “outstanding undergraduates” at the University of Minnesota. I didn’t pursue the opportunity at the time, but the conversation really painted a positive picture of the attitude the company is taking towards developing their software engineering talent—to the extent that Target was one of the first companies on my mind when I started looking at a job change.

I regret that I’m not able to tailor this letter to a specific position that you’re looking for. The “Engineer” job position that I’m submitting my application to seems to be a sort of generic catch-all. Still, I think I’d be able to bring value to the company. I’ve got a strong academic background, as my GPA indicates, and my minor in English and experiences as a teaching assistant helped develop my communications skills. I’d like the chance to develop those skills and put them to work in whatever capacity becomes available.

Sincerely,
Thomas Hvizdos