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## Dear Hiring Manager,

I am writing to express my interest in the Finance Data Analyst Intern position at SoundCloud, as advertised. With my educational background in Computer Science and hands-on experience in data analysis and machine learning, I am excited about the opportunity to contribute to SoundCloud's mission of empowering artists and fans through music.

Currently pursuing a Master's of Science in Computer Science at New York University, I have honed my skills in data science, big data, and artificial intelligence. My coursework has provided me with a strong foundation in data analysis and visualization, which I believe are crucial for the FP&A team at SoundCloud.

In my role as a Graduate Research Intern at New York University, I have been involved in the OpenROAD Mission, where I researched ways to integrate Generative AI into semiconductor digital design. This experience has sharpened my analytical skills and my ability to derive actionable insights from complex datasets. Additionally, my internship at Hewlett Packard Enterprises allowed me to leverage Python for data collection and pre-processing, ensuring data accuracy and consistency for integration into a centralized system.

I am particularly drawn to SoundCloud's DEI-focused internship program, which aligns with my values of inclusivity and diversity. I am eager to immerse myself in SoundCloud's dynamic environment, enhance my skills, and contribute to your mission. My proficiency in Excel, Google Sheets, and SQL, coupled with my eagerness to learn and intellectual curiosity, make me a strong candidate for this role.

I am excited about the possibility of joining SoundCloud's FP&A team and contributing to the financial analysis and reporting that drives strategic decision-making. I look forward to the opportunity to discuss how my skills and experiences align with the needs of your team.

Thank you for considering my application. I am looking forward to the opportunity to contribute to SoundCloud's continued success.

Sincerely, Utsav Sharma NYU