

Dear Hiring Team,

I'm excited to apply for this role because it aligns perfectly with the kind of work I enjoy—building scalable backend systems, collaborating across teams, and taking ownership of end-to-end solutions. I've spent more than **12 years working with Java, Spring Boot, Microservices, AWS, and DevOps**, and over the years I've naturally grown into a hybrid profile where I handle both technical responsibilities and business-facing work.

Recently, my previous company went through a major **financial and structural restructuring**, and unfortunately my role was part of that change. After working there for **nine straight years**, it was not an easy transition, but I fully understand that such decisions are driven by business priorities—not by the quality of work delivered. And honestly, even if they had invited me to the budgeting discussion, the only numbers I reliably adjust are **latency, throughput, and memory usage**, not financial sheets :)

Instead of treating the layoff negatively, I used this time to upskill myself and work on something I've been wanting to do for a while—a complete **AI-powered microservices application** using the latest frameworks and cloud tools. I built it with:

- Spring Boot + Spring AI
- AWS (Lambda, S3, RDS, Bedrock)
- Vector search
- Docker & Kubernetes
- Kafka / RabbitMQ
- CI/CD with GitHub Actions

It helped me sharpen my architecture skills and stay hands-on with modern stacks.

I am now looking for a **long-term, stable opportunity** where I can contribute meaningfully and grow with the team. I enjoy working closely with product and business stakeholders, translating requirements into technical designs, and helping teams deliver clean, scalable, and well-tested software. I also love mentoring and supporting teammates wherever possible.

Thank you for taking the time to review my application. I'd be happy to discuss how my technical expertise and hybrid experience can support your team and contribute to your upcoming projects.

Kind regards,

**Vineet Pareek**