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Dear Hiring Manager,

Thank you for the opportunity to apply for the role at your company. After reviewing your job description, it's clear that you're looking for a candidate that is extremely familiar with the responsibilities associated with the role and can perform them confidently. Given these requirements, I am certain that I have the necessary skills to successfully do the job adeptly and perform above expectations.

I am an efficient college student (MFA Lighting Design) currently attending Ohio University, Athens. During my academic career, I also managed to accrue nearly 8 years of work experience in China, US, UK, and Japan. I seamlessly blend creativity with technical expertise and collaborate with exceptional teams to transform concepts into visual realities, enhancing the theatrical experience. Proficient in creating lighting plots using 3D lighting simulation software, I excel in programming and operating various types of lighting control systems for performances. With extensive busking experience, I have been responsible for lighting design and live production at numerous large-scale music festivals and concerts in China. I am skilled in timecode programming across various lighting consoles and familiar with multiple lighting protocols. Additionally, I have experience in collaborative work with multiple consoles and extensive coordination of lighting with video production. In both my academic and professional life, I have been consistently praised as focused and self-motivated by my professors and peers. Whether working on academic, extracurricular, or professional projects, I apply proven lighting design, multitasking and problem-solving skills, which I hope to leverage into the role at your company.

In addition, I am capable of fulfilling the role of Lead Electrician. I have completed two productions as an electrician during my time at OU. I possess electrical calculation skills and hold an electrician certificate in China. Additionally, I have the ability to weld and produce LED light strips. In terms of stage management, I have served as an assistant director and sound director for several theatrical productions in China, including symphonic musicals. I also have experience in video shooting and editing, as well as installation and configuration of control systems for live LED screens. I am still organizing these experiences, so they are not currently included in my resume or website.

After reviewing my resume and website (Tobbylighting.com), I hope you will agree that I am the type of competent and competitive candidate you are looking for. I look forward to elaborating on how my specific skills and abilities will benefit your organization. Please contact me at +1 740 818 5075 or via email at tobbly@tobbylighting.com to arrange for a convenient meeting time.

Thank you for your consideration, and I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely,

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