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Hiring Manager  
Baird  
Milwaukee, WI

Dear Hiring Manager,

I am excited to express my interest in the Equity Research Analyst Internship at Baird. This opportunity resonates deeply with my developing skills in finance, fueled by a passion for analyzing investment trends.

Joining Baird's Equity Capital Markets group is enticing, as it represents an intersection of rigorous research and innovative thinking. The chance to collaborate with a dedicated team while producing high-quality, objective research feels like a significant milestone in my career path.

Currently, I'm a finance major at the University of Illinois, where I have gained hands-on experience. As a Research Assistant in a university lab, I analyzed data and crafted reports. My capstone project made me adept at identifying key economic indicators that sway stocks, equipping me for this role.

I truly value teamwork and have proven myself in collaborative settings. Whether engaging fellow students for group analyses or presenting findings at conferences, I have developed a knack for clear communication. This experience will prepare me for writing comprehensive reports at Baird.

I must admit adjusting to intensive workloads sometimes feels daunting, but I embrace challenges that come my way. I believe these experiences have sharpened my focus and determination, qualities that I look forward to bringing to your esteemed team.

Thanks for considering my application.

Sincerely,

*Eric Anthony*

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