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Dear Hiring Team at Sentinel Arc Security,

I am applying for the Lead Security Engineer, Purple Team role at Sentinel Arc Security. Your work connecting adversary research, **detection engineering**, and the SOC is a close match for the work I have led across MDR customer environments. I am drawn to the chance to test real attacks and turn the results into better defensive coverage.

In my current role, I own a **purple-team program** that uses current actor, malware, and tooling research to recreate intrusion paths against **crown-jewel systems**. I build emulation plans with Caldera, **Atomic Red Team**, Prelude, and custom tradecraft, then measure prevention, visibility, alerting, and response outcomes. This work has given engineers and customers clear priorities for closing coverage gaps.

My blue-side work includes writing and tuning Sigma, KQL, and Splunk detections from endpoint, network, identity, cloud, SIEM, and EDR telemetry. I have tested **command-and-control**, credential access, lateral movement, persistence, and evasion scenarios, using **CrowdStrike Falcon** and **Microsoft Sentinel** data to check alert quality and investigation context. I enjoy the practical loop between realistic attack behavior and detection improvements.

I bring 13+ years across offensive security, **detection engineering**, threat hunting, and **MDR** operations, supported by OSCP, CRT0, GCFA, and CISSP credentials. I have presented technical findings to engineers, SOC analysts, customers, and executives, and I would bring that same clear reporting and hands-on ownership to Sentinel Arc Security.

Thank you for considering my application. I look forward to discussing how I can help Sentinel Arc Security prove and improve detection of real attacks.

Sincerely,

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