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Dear Employment Department at Lockheed Martin,

I'm writing in response to the following two positions listed on your website: job numbers 604768 and 671930.

My interest in these positions stems from my childhood, when my grandfather sparked my fascination in the aerospace industry. Because of this passion for aircraft and spacecraft, I chose to pursue a degree in physics at Truman State University, the Midwest's premier public liberal arts university, knowing that a well-rounded undergraduate education would prove valuable throughout my career.

That being said, it might seem that my abilities in the practical field of engineering are underdeveloped. Quite the contrary is true, however. I strive to remain knowledgeable of current technology in the field, including the F-22 and other major Lockheed Martin projects. I also intend on pursuing a Masters in Aerospace degree at the University of Colorado-Boulder following a year of work. In addition, I have taken every engineering-related course offered at Truman. I believe my most valuable experience has come from the classic car restoration projects I have undertaken. Much like engineering, these experiences hone real-life problem solving skills.

A great deal of knowledge and ability can be overshadowed, however, by inability to communicate. My final year at Truman has been spent in a peer ministry position at a campus ministry. During this time, I have learned how important good communication is, as well as expanding my aptitude to do so and gaining irreplaceable leadership experience.

Please give my resume consideration for the college positions listed above, as I am extremely excited about the opportunities they represent. I believe that I would be a valuable addition to Lockheed Martin, both now, and in the future. I am interested in arranging an interview during the latter part of the week of March 13. Should you desire to reach me to schedule a meeting, my phone number is (636)248-2370; my e-mail address is cmc232@truman.edu.

Warm regards,

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