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Dear Sir or Madam,

In response to the notice you had on *NSBE* in the January's edition, 2001, I would like to offer myself as a candidate for a junior electronics engineering position at your prestigious firm.

I received my B.A. in Physics from Truman State University and I will receive my BS in Electrical Engineering from the University of Missouri at Columbia this coming May. I have had considerable experience in the work force during my studies. I had my first "Research Experience for Undergraduates" at Michigan State University in the summer of 2003 where I worked on Condensed Matter Physics with emphasis on increasing magnetic Resistance in GMR multilayers. Dr. Pratt and Dr. Bass were my mentors and they gave me insights into the research world. Through their connections, I have been able to get an internship at Apple Software as an assistant intern to the senior electronics system analyst.

I have always been amazed by the success of Microsoft since it's foundation in 1975. It has taken over almost every type of computer application from the basic office software to intricate gaming tools, the Xbox and the network, MSN. I see it as a place where I can fit in smoothly. Being able to change technology drastically within a short amount of time is very impressive. I have always been told that I was relentless when it came to pursuing my dreams and I see this quality within Microsoft. Individual strengths combine to form an integral strength and I see myself as the helping hand. I try to keep myself up-to-date with your product advances so that I know what's hot in the field. The recent advance in the e-server, the Intel Xeon processor was in my opinion a breakthrough for businesses.

It should note that I'm originally from Ethiopia but I'm very fluent in English. People are surprised to learn that I'm an international student because they can hardly find flaws in my language skills. My social interpersonal skills are reflective of my leadership qualities.

I enclose a resumé, plus career and personal statements for your consideration. I would like to thank you in advance for your patience and consideration.

Cordially,

Kibrom Tewolde