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## About me

I am writing to express my strong interest in joining you as an Engineering Leader. With a diverse background in software development, data engineering, infrastructure, and people management, I am adept at navigating the intricate layers of technology, from low-level storage, networking and compute to higher-level abstractions.

My commitment to the tech community is evident through my significant contributions to many pivotal open-source projects including GCC (The default C compiler for all Linux), Hadoop (The big data stack powering Data Engineering), Webkit (The core technology that runs Google Chrome and Safari), PDCurses and Allegro. These endeavors not only honed my technical expertise but also underlined my passion for collaborative growth and innovation.

I pride myself on my ability to manage large-scale production environments, having spearheaded engineering and operations serving over 250 million concurrent users. My track record in delivering robust products for both on-premise and cloud platforms speak volumes about my dedication and proficiency.

However, beyond technical accomplishments, I deeply value team dynamics and organizational health. My experience in building, mentoring, and scaling teams to peak performance is something I am eager to bring to you. I firmly believe in fostering a great culture where innovation thrives, and every member feels empowered and valued.

I am confident that my blend of technical knowledge, leadership skills and dedication to fostering an environment aligns perfectly with your values and objectives. I am excited about the opportunity to leverage my skills to drive growth, product innovation and infrastructure excellence for your esteemed organization.

Thank you for considering my application.

Sincerely,

**Karthik Kumar Viswanathan**