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Dear [Hiring Manager Name or "Design Team"],

As a Junior UX Designer with a deep focus on evidence-based design, I am excited to apply for the [Job Title] position at [Company Name]. I have long admired [Company Name]'s commitment to [specific company value or product feature], and I am eager to contribute my skills in user research and synthesis to your design process.

During my [recent project/internship/bootcamp], I led the research phase for [Project Name]. Rather than jumping straight to high-fidelity mockups, I prioritized understanding the "why" behind user behaviors. By conducting [number] user interviews and performing [methodology, e.g., usability testing or card sorting], I uncovered a critical pain point: [briefly describe a specific user insight]. This discovery allowed our team to pivot from [original assumption] to a solution that resulted in [measurable outcome or improved user flow].

My approach to UX is rooted in the belief that great design is a byproduct of empathy and data. I am proficient in translating complex research findings into actionable artifacts, including user personas, empathy maps, and data-driven wireframes. I am particularly interested in how [Company Name] approaches [specific industry challenge] and would welcome the opportunity to apply my analytical mindset to these problems.

Thank you for your time and for considering my application. I have attached my resume and portfolio, which detail my research methodologies and the resulting design iterations. I look forward to the possibility of discussing how my research-first approach can support the design goals at [Company Name].

Sincerely,

[Your Name]