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Dear Hiring Committee,

I am writing to apply for the DevSecOps Engineer position. With over seven years of experience in secure and regulated environments, a Master of Science in Cybersecurity, and hands-on expertise with CI/CD automation, infrastructure as code, and compliance frameworks (CIS, NIST 800-171, STIG, CMMC), I bring both technical depth and a strong security mindset to every project.

In my current role, I build and maintain automated, compliant infrastructure using Chef, GitLab, Jenkins, and Splunk, supporting pipelines across AWS, Azure, and on-premises—including air-gapped systems. I recently earned the Splunk Enterprise Certified Admin credential and have experience integrating Nessus, Chef Automate, and secure baselines to ensure

visibility and reliability across the software lifecycle.

I also hold certificates in Quantum Computing from MIT and the University of Chicago, reflecting my commitment to continuous learning and emerging technologies. I'm particularly interested in how quantum computing and post-quantum cryptography will influence secure DevOps practices. With an active Top Secret SCI clearance, I'm eager to contribute my skills, curiosity, and passion for secure automation to your team.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Metzger