[Your Name] [Your Address] [City, State, Zip Code] [Email Address] [Phone Number] [Date] [Recipient's Name] [Recipient's Title] [Department/Organization Name] [Institution/Organization Address] [City, State, Zip Code] Dear [Recipient's Name], I am writing to express my interest in the [specific position, program, grant, etc.] at [Institution/Organization Name] as advertised [mention where you found the listing]. With a background in [your field of study or expertise] and a strong commitment to [related field or value], I believe I would be a valuable addition to your [department/research team/program]. I completed my [degree] in [major] at [University Name], where I [briefly describe relevant accomplishments, experiences, or projects]. My experience in [specific skills or areas] has equipped me with the necessary skills to [explain how you can contribute to the position/program]. Additionally, my [mention any relevant teaching, research, or work experience] further demonstrates my capability in [related skills or responsibilities]. I am particularly drawn to [specific aspects of the organization or position], as I believe they align well with my career objectives and values. I am excited about the opportunity to bring my expertise in [specific skills] to [Institution/Organization Name] and to collaborate with a team dedicated to [mention any relevant goals or values]. Thank you for considering my application. I look forward to the possibility of discussing how I can contribute to your team. Sincerely, [Your Name] [Your Signature (if sending a hard copy)]