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Attention: Associate Search Team

In response to your posted opportunity, attached is my cover letter and resume for the position of Associate Pastor of Youth and Young Adults.

My journey to Christ began with the difficult decision that my parents made to immigrate to Canada from the Netherlands. Although prior to immigrating we belonged to a church family, my relationship with Christ became solid in BC. This was developed through the mentorship provided to me from our Youth Pastor. This relationship further encouraged me to investigate education offered through Columbia Bible College (CBC), from which I graduated with a bachelor's degree, majoring in Biblical Studies and minoring in Youth Ministry. Immediately following my time at CBC, my wife and I moved to Richmond Hill Ontario, where we have been serving since. I have been at Summit Community Church since January of 2016. In my time at Summit, I have had the opportunity to cultivate my spiritual gifts of pastoring, leadership, and teaching, and have grown in these areas exponentially.

To the position I will be contributing my 4.5 years of vocational youth ministry experience, as well as 4 years of youth ministry in volunteer and camp positions. The creation and implementation of a youth program, development of student leadership, and my experience organizing and running denominational youth events have really provided me with the opportunity to solidify my pastoral ministry, leadership and organizational skills.

Thank you for taking the time to learn about me and I look forward to meeting to discuss how my skill set, experience and passion will enhance your current team.

In Christ,

Erwin