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To whom it may concern,

My name is Abigail Merzel and I am writing you today to apply for an internship position. I have been interested in the Innocence Project for many years now, and I would love to have the experience of working with you all.

I am currently a student at Florida State University in Tallahassee, Florida and I am studying English and Psychology. During my Sophomore year, I was a Criminal Investigative Intern at the Public Defender's Office of the Second Judicial Circuit of Florida. The work I did was similar to what you all do at the Innocence Project and it is something that I am very passionate about. As an intern, I had the opportunity to speak to hundreds of clients, both in and out of custody, and worked with them, as well as attorneys, to make sure they received fair and equal justice for their cases. This work is something I hope to pursue in the future, as it taught me so much about our legal system and our clients.

Due to this experience, I think that I would be a great asset to your office. This opportunity is very exciting to me, and I appreciate your time. I hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,

Abigail Merzel