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[Hiring manager name]
[Company name]
[Company address line 1]
[Town or city], [Postal code]

Dear [Hiring manager name],

[Why this role: what attracted you to this role and to the company, in two or three sentences.]

A note on my career path:
[Career note: one or two sentences about a career break, a change of direction, or a gap, framed positively.]

[Why me: your most relevant experience and skills, and how they fit this role, in two or three sentences.]

[Closing: thank the reader for their time, say you would welcome an interview, and say how to reach you.]

Yours sincerely,
[Full name]