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To whom it may concern, (Nate Kelly?)

I am unsure as to exactly what you are looking for with regards to an official "proposal" for the role of EIR.

A good friend of mine from Jumpstart forwarded me your email, noting I would make for a good business role model to many Lakewood residents.

Not only have I founded Chartreuse a successful 7 year graphic design business, I was a partner in a Lakewood greeting card company called "Under the Cushions," which made ornate hand-made all occasion cards for area retailers and custom made cards. I also write the blog iheartcleveland.com which, from time to time is a source of income, another small "Start up" business for sure. My mind is always working towards a new goal, a new business idea and such.

As this years Inside Business ATHENA young professional award recipient I have mentor upcoming designers and often speak at the yearly Artists as Entrepreneur workshops presented by COSE. I volunteer through the YMCA mentoring young children on physical fitness, I sit on the Board of Directors for the Lakewood Arts Festival and I am also the membership retention chairman for the Junior League of Cleveland.

I feel I would be a fantastic resource to a fledgling start up. I deal with small business clients DAILY and often act as more than a designer, but a business coach.

If you should need more information about myself and my business history, don't hesitate to give me a shout. If I need to submit something more professional or in a form-like matter, just let me know what you are looking for.

All the best,
Charity

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