

Dear Hiring Manager,

I am writing to express my interest in a design position at your firm. I bring an international perspective shaped by diverse project experience across the Middle East, a strong academic foundation, and a speculative design approach that integrates architecture, technology, and ecology.

After graduating in the top five of my class, I worked closely with my professor on projects in Saudi Arabia, Egypt, and the UAE. I contributed to design development, visualization, and competitions, including a proposal for Atkins that was later realized as The Mukaab—one of the most ambitious developments in Saudi Arabia. I then moved to Dubai to join the team working on the largest active architectural project in the UAE, gaining firsthand experience in high-scale, multidisciplinary environments.

My design interests led me to pursue a Master of Science in Synthetic Landscapes at SCI-Arc, where I received a scholarship and developed research in cybernetic ecologies, AI-generated design, and post-digital workflows. Using tools like Blender, n8n, and machine learning models, I have built systems that allow real-time design adaptation based on environmental and data-driven feedback. My work fuses spatial storytelling with emerging technologies to imagine architectures that evolve, respond, and participate.

I am excited about the opportunity to contribute my skills to a team that values innovation, design rigor, and cultural engagement. I bring not only technical proficiency and visual storytelling but also a future-oriented mindset grounded in research and critical design.

Thank you for considering my application. I would welcome the chance to further discuss how I can contribute to your team.

Sincerely,
Ahmed Yakout