## **Cover Letter**

My Cover Letter...

- Includes my up-to-date contact information
- Is customized for each and every role that I apply to
- Is addressed to the hiring manager, recruiter, or human resources representative at the company (whenever possible)
- **Is one page in length**
- Is broken up into three or four brief paragraphs
- Clearly states which position I'm applying for in my opening paragraph
- Shows that I've done research on the company
- Highlights a brief selection of my applicable career achievements
- Details specific points regarding how and why I am qualified
- References specific responsibilities and qualifications of the job description
- Thanks the reader for their time
- Is free of spelling or grammatical errors
- Has been proofread by a trusted friend, colleague, or professional career coach
- **Is completely accurate**