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Dear Selection Committee,

I am writing to express my interest in your Supervisor position for the 21st Century Learning program. I am an educator and innovator driven to create equitable, effective, and creative learning spaces that inspire lifelong learning. For more than a decade, I have worked in nonprofits, traditional district schools, and charter schools to improve learning opportunities and outcomes. Most recently, I completed an educational leadership Master's program to build systems level leadership capacities. I am seeking a role where I can use my experience, as well ideation and strategic thinking skills, to work collaboratively toward a more just, kind world. My range of experiences as a teacher and leader working in K-12 settings makes me uniquely equipped with the expertise and drive for this position.

As a teacher-leader, I have finely tuned a diverse range of skills that align with the needs of this job including data-driven decision making, change management, problem solving, and creating effective, personalized learning spaces. I am well-versed in using research and proven best practices to inform decision making. I have led professional development projects to support teachers working to build agency, ownership, and identity in their classrooms, as well as facilitated initiatives to improve school-wide communication and instructional design and implementation.

I am excited to transition into an innovative leadership role outside of the school setting in order to support educational improvements at a far-reaching level. Please review my resume and call or e-mail to connect further.

Sincerely,

Christine L. Strawn