Hello <Manager's Name>,

I would like to attend the **DEVintersection Conference**, in **Orlando, Fl** from **October 7-9, 2025.**

This co-located conference offers a unique opportunity. It's like three intersecting events located together, sharing keynotes, an expo hall and more, plus I can attend any sessions in the other events for no additional cost, providing a comprehensive experience. It's the perfect way to dive into multiple cutting-edge topics, connect with industry experts, and maximize learning across various sessions and workshops.

Microsoft engineers and industry experts provide a session lineup with deep dives into the technologies that I can bring to my work with cutting-edge AI, security, and IT solutions to bolster my knowledge and expand my expertise. Professionally, it's a chance for me to connect with Microsoft experts, partners, executives, and companies in the expo hall. Maybe I'll find someone to recruit for our team or a partner that offers a solution that could save us many man hours versus if we had to create it from scratch.

At DEVintersection, I'll have a chance to:

- Get my questions answered by industry experts and Microsoft engineers who build the products we use every day.

- Gain practical knowledge about the latest in cloud architecture and tooling like .NET Aspire that makes it easier than ever to build cloud-ready applications.

- Lean skills to make upgrading some of our older .NET applications to new versions much easier than in the past.

- Fine-tune an LLM that is trained specifically with our own data, I'll learn how to do that (and how to make our data secure).

- Become more productive using GitHub Copilot. I think I'll learn techniques that can help the whole team.

- Learn new techniques to debug, organize, and manage code in the long term – so that our applications get faster and more reliable over time.

- Familiarize myself with the latest Microsoft development products and tools from the industry experts and Microsoft engineers that make them.

It would be best to register early, get the early bird discount which expires on **August 18, 2025** and get the best rates on hotel rooms.

Here is an approximate breakdown of costs:

Airfare	$500
Transportation	$150
Hotel	$850
Meals (outside of conference meals)	$200
Full Conference Pass	$1,899 (until July 14th, 2025)
Total	**$3,599**

I also believe that we can increase the value of this investment in our business by adding one or more of the pre- or post-conference workshops. The workshops provide a full day; deep dive experience focused on crucial elements integral implementation and success in the modern workplace.

Please let me know if you'd like to discuss this further. Thanks for considering my request.