Dear Frank,

As you know, I have applied for a master's degree in computer software engineering, and now I have gained admission from the UMBC. I want to achieve the degree to improve my knowledge in computer technologies, and also put an impressive edge in my résumé to compete in the developers' world.

I could not attain funds from the university, and not only the program fee, but also living in Maryland is a little bit too expensive for me, so, except the fee, I cannot afford even accommodation cost, to say nothing of food and other expenses. Therefore, I decided to find a part-time job in order to make a living and <u>studying</u>. Hopefully, I would like to arrange some employment before my departure date from Tehran to Maryland.

<u>Because</u> you have vast communication and know many people in the software development market, I would like to ask you to do me a favor to introduce me to any of your friends who can help me to find a part-time job as a developer in <u>his</u> company. Your help means a lot to me, and thank you in advance.

I am looking forward to seeing you soon.

Best wishes,

Ali