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To whom it may concern,

I am a first year Masters of Common Law student at UCD, with an undergraduate degree in Journalism from DCU, and I am writing to apply for your summer internship program. I learned about your program through the UCD Careers Network, but I am also familiar with the work that Byrne Wallace does in corporate and business law, as well as its excellent record of providing students and trainees with a bridge to a career in Law.

I recently returned to Ireland after living in China for six years. My time in China gave me experience working in diverse workplaces with colleagues from a variety of backgrounds. Through my previous work, I have communicated in both the English and Chinese language in a professional setting, which has given me a broader appreciation for the value of clear and concise communication.

I have a GPA of 3.55, and while I’m just starting my legal studies, I bring four years of work experience in Journalism, copywriting, and editing, and I am very comfortable in a fast-paced work environment working on multiple projects at one time and working within tight deadlines. My decision to move from working in Journalism to Law was fuelled by my passion for learning about movements in society, and while I previously reported on these, I am eager to help people on a more fundamental level. My background in Journalism means that I come with a high standard of researching, editing, and writing skills, which I would love to continue developing within a legal context at your firm.

I would love the opportunity to get an introduction to a legal working environment at such a prestigious company as Byrne Wallace, and I am eager to learn in a more practical setting by putting to use the knowledge and skills that I have learned during my first year of studying Law, and I am confident that my strong work ethic and preparation skills will be of service to Byrne Wallace.

Kinds regards,

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