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Attn: Grainne McManus

Dear ByrneWallace LLP,

My name is Emily Fortune Super and I am applying for your 2024 Summer Internship. I am currently a LLB Postgraduate student at University College Cork. It would be an honour to earn a place in the ByrneWallace LLP Summer Internship group of 2024 this Summer. It would be an enriching experience to be able to learn from the top lawyers at the firm over the summer while assessing whether ByrneWallace is a good fit for my future career.

During my time thus far at UCC, I have worked to prepare myself for such an opportunity by engaging in both academic and extracurricular leadership roles throughout the community. I am the Academic Representative for my class, the Post-Graduate Representative for the Law Society in their 94th year, and President of the Fashion Society. I strive to be heavily involved in campus life while also dedicating significant time to my studies, having finished top of my class across my core subjects while auditing two additional classes on Intellectual Property.

Something that will make me stand out from other candidates is my wealth of experience in the corporate structure. I worked for a publicly traded, billion-dollar retailer in Canada before beginning my LLB. I started in the company working for members of the executive team including our CIO, Dave MacIver and our SVP of eCommerce, Josh Lieberman. I was quickly promoted to IT Business Analyst for Marketing, Customer and Creative Technology. These roles allowed me to work closely with our in-house legal counsel reviewing GDPR requirements, and completing SOC 2 audits and other vendor, data protection and IP agreements. My love for law was rekindled and it was a simple choice to return to school and earn a law degree.

My exams this past Winter earned me a position at the top of my class in the LLB Program. In my previous two academic degrees, I have also excelled. I was listed on the Dean's Honour Roll at Simon Fraser University for earning over a 3.55 GPA on a 4.0 scale. I also received Merit in my Master of Science in Applied Psychology in Fashion from the University of the Arts, London. I published my final dissertation as an article in a prestigious academic journal and have spoken at conferences in multiple countries on the topic since.

I am looking forward to channelling my strongest skills and attributes into a prosperous career in law. I am resilient, a great networker and hard-working. I am ambitious, keen and determined on any goal I set my mind to and I believe these are the factors that will set me apart this summer and beyond.

I look forward to hearing from you and am excited about the prospect of a legal career with ByrneWallace LLP. Thank you.

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