## Dear Recruitment Team

I am writing this letter to express my interest in the summer internship. This position sounds very exciting and is something I would love to become involved in. I do have a strong passion for commercial law. I got to experience the theoretical and practical sides of these fields in university. Additionally, I took part in Matheson's virtual learning ESG programme last year. The programme allowed me to experience life at a law firm by simulating daily tasks and interactions, all in the context of real-life, relevant issues in the world of environmental, social, and governance practice. My experiences in secondary school, part-time work, and university modules have strengthened my analytical, research, and communication skills. However, I want to keep developing these skills, gain practical experience in the legal field and be able to contribute to the work I am passionate about. I believe this is the place where I can develop professionally while having a terrific experience thanks to the reputation of ByrneWallace LLP and a desire to work as a part of a close-knit team.

In my spare time, I research legal and current affairs issues, particularly those pertaining to Ireland. This year, as part of my study abroad programme, I am studying in New York. I have had the opportunity to learn about similar legal topics from a different perspective here. This was very interesting to me because it allowed me to compare and contrast small differences in practices as well as legal systems themselves. Additional classes I have taken, such as mock trials while in America, as well as previous part-time roles from an early age, have allowed me to continuously improve my teamwork and communication skills.

I am looking forward to discussing the position and my qualifications with you in more detail soon. I am confident that my skills as well as my eagerness to learn and grow as a professional would make me a great fit for this summer internship and kickstart my legal career. I have attached my CV which further details my abilities and educational background. Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions. I look forward to the opportunity to speak with you further; thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

**Kevin Trautt**