To the Manager of the Summer Intern Programme,

What really drew me towards a career in Corporate Law was a case-solving exercise that took place at an open day I attended during secondary school many years ago. Once presented with the facts of the case, I likened it to solving a complex puzzle, only there was no technical right or wrong answer so long as you adequately prepared your argument and backed it up with the relevant information. Ever since then, I have been fascinated by the legal profession, especially the field of Corporate Law, and to be granted the opportunity to forge a career in this area is a long-standing ambition of mine. My undergraduate studies reinforced this ambition and I believe I will be fully equipped to embark on a career in Law following my postgraduate studies at Trinity College Dublin and passing of the FE1 examinations. As previously mentioned, I am currently an L.L.M candidate at Trinity College Dublin, having obtained a 2.1 honours in my undergraduate degree in Corporate Law from NUIG. Upon completion of my postgraduate degree, I intend to sit the FE1 examinations with the aim of having them fully completed by the end of 2024 and a summer internship at Byrne Wallace would be an extremely valuable learning experience for me which I could undertake prior to this. I believe that my postgraduate studies have provided me with an extremely detailed and valuable insight into the specific areas of law focused on by Byrne Wallace as I have solely selected modules concerning areas such as regulation of investment funds, sustainable finance, taxation and banking. These additional studies have complemented my undergraduate degree such that I would be an excellent addition to the firm.

Best regards,

Patrick Egan