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Dear Recruitment Team at ByrneWallace,

As a recent philosophy graduate from Trinity College Dublin, I am writing to express my interest in ByrneWallace’s 2024 Internship programme. I am drawn to your programme for a number of reasons. For one, I am interested in pursuing a future career as a solicitor and would like to obtain as much experience and practical knowledge of the role as possible. Secondly, ByrneWallace particularly stands out to me due to their particular expertise and standing within the areas of data protection and employment law. These are two areas which I have had some personal connection with and which I would like to develop my understanding of.

Further, I would like to use this cover letter to highlight how my education in philosophy and personal background have developed my skills in areas relevant to the practice of law.

* I possess the ability to analyse and work through complex problems. Studying philosophy strongly refined my skill in this area as the majority of my academic work centred around analysing and breaking down a problem before moving to address each of its parts.
* I have the ability to learn and absorb information quickly. The wide variety of ideas and subjects I encountered while studying philosophy necessitated that I be able to learn about disparate topics quickly.
* I have the ability to collaborate and work well in a team environment. I have developed this skill through working with a team of warehouse workers servicing the 2023 Higher Options fair. I have also demonstrated leadership in team environments, primarily as the leader of my band.
* I have skills in organisation and project management. I have developed this skill through organising events for my fencing club.

I hope that my application appeals to you. I would love to meet for an interview, or even exchange words through email.

Faithfully,

Thomas Flynn