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Dear Sir/Ms,

It is with great enthusiasm that I am writing to apply for the Summer 2024 internship at ByrneWallace LLP. I am excited by the opportunity to apply my knowledge and skills to a position in such a prominent law firm. I am currently preparing for my FE1 examinations next March. I am professional, self-driven and highly organised. I completed an LLM on International Commercial Law at University College Dublin last year. Predominantly focusing on the various facets of International Commercial Law, such as International Tax Law, Law of International Finance, and the Law of Aviation Finance. Additionally, my masters' studies were focused on topics such as Data Protection and Data Governance.

The internship posting specifies someone who is organised, a good communicator and can effectively assist the legal team with their daily tasks. As a student, I have had the opportunity to enhance both my organisation and communication skills. Throughout my masters' studies, I had to apply my knowledge and understanding to real and hypothetical situations. For example, on one occasion I was given the task of presenting the key legal/commercial/risk elements for the lessor when negotiating an operating lease agreement of an aircraft. This task required considerable research of relevant lease provisions and 'no go' items for the lessor. Finally, a solution, approach and action plan for the hypothetical negotiations was presented to partners from Arthur Cox. This was a great learning experience, and I achieved a First Class Honours result in this particular project.

I concluded my masters' studies by conducting independent research. This independent research involved writing a dissertation on the controversial EU 'Right to Be Forgotten'. I decided to write about this data protection and privacy topic after the controversial delisting of articles regarding an Irish banker and his bankruptcy proceedings a few years ago. I achieved a First Class Honours result in this 15,000 word dissertation.

I am both eager and excited to learn more about ByrneWallace and to develop my skills further. Please find my CV attached. Thank you for your consideration. I look forward to hearing from you.

Regards,

Tim Sheridan