**Internship Questionnaire**

1. **What attracted you to ByrneWallace in the first place?**

**C -** Applied because was given top 10 list, internship to get foot in door for internship

Didn’t see any evidence of intern programme, had to do the research himself

UCC weren’t at trade event – other top 5 firms were there, loads of giveaway freebies

**D –** I applied to every one of the top firms career guidance in Maynooth

**J –** Family and child law and health in America so made her want BW. Person recommended BW in small firm in Wicklow, word of mouth. Initially applied for trainee.

**A –** Went to UCC but did know BW were top 10, reputable firm, up there. From friends

**V –** Went for the biggest firms. Got Dillon Eustace and BW ranked better so went for BW

1. **How did find out about the internship programme? (website, referral, Linkedin etc)**

**C-** Law soc education officer had list compiled and close friend

**D –** easy to find and straight forward

**J –** word of mouth, then mainly through website. Spoke to people from BW at Law far at UCD

**A –** Website, practice areas really interested her. Corporate responsibility and initiatives. Easier to acces s than other websites

**V –** Word of outh, college sent out email internship for BW open NUIG

1. **How did you find navigating the website?**

**C-** Short application process, good thing. Final yr student can be deterrent with long. cover and cv with q’s perfect. Should be able to put yourself across in cv and cover

Not confusing

**J –** fine

**A –** Practice areas long list difficult to navigate. News section not obvious. Enough on internships on site

**V –** Easiest in terms of time consuming , questions answer no to thought it was directed at older people. App process easier than most.

1. **Social Channels**

**C-** Facebook groups for interns and Instagram for culture

**D-** No social

**J –** No social

**A –** Looked at twitter, doesn’t use Linkedin. Sponsored posts on Facebook A&L Matheson ’Last day to apply to internship’ sponsored content

**V –** Only checked Facebook and couldn’t find us. Handy reminders on fb

Inta for staff members

1. **Any comments or feedback in how you would improve your experience regarding this**

**C -** If you got an idea of what practice area you were going to be put in

Not long enough – longer than a month as it takes you 2 weeks to settle in

**D-** encourage our style of interviewing in future, saw us at UCD careers event, no benefit going to other fairs, they’re there for freebies all information gathering is online, well-advertised, biggest focal point is online. Most important is that uni’s know who we are

**J –** group interviews slightly intimidating. Good response time for intern. Traineeship not post, email only

**A –** longer, UCC for trade fair, trainees to go

**V –** don’t still know the process of the traineeship (nice to have info on the process, a lot of hearsay people unsure)