To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to express my interest in the Traineeship Programme at Byrne Wallace.

I graduated from University College Dublin in September 2016 with a Bachelor of Commerce degree. After finishing from my undergraduate degree I was successful in securing a graduate position in an Insurance company based in Boston, Massachusetts. After gaining experience in a commercial environment I decided to return to University College Dublin to earn a Masters in Common Law and pursue a career in commercial law. I consider myself a professional individual with a desire to continuously grow and develop. While I am passionate about a career in law I am also interested in information management, technology, start-ups and entrepreneurship.

I was influenced to apply to Byrne Wallace because of the extensive services the firm offers in the area of data protection and technology. This attracted me to the firm for a traineeship as I have experience working in the area of data protection law and ideally would like to further explore this area in the future. I was also attracted by firm’s high retention rate of newly qualified solicitors. I spoke to members of the firm at the law firm and was impressed to hear most newly qualified solicitors stay with the firm. This is something that really resonated with me as my goal is to secure a position in an organisation where I can continue to develop my career long-term and where I can make a positive contribution to the firm and hopefully one day achieve a senior position.

I hope you consider my application favourably and would be delighted to be considered for an Traineeship Programme at Byrne Wallace.

Kind regards,

Claire Connor