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Cover Note

After university, I started my career within the funds industry. Many of the skills I have gained during my career are transferable and will provide an added benefit to your firm. My personal desire to become a solicitor is the fuel I used to continue studying my fe1 exams and complete them, while at the same time progressing within my current career. I will bring this same work ethic and determination to excel in my new career as a trainee solicitor.

Why the Law?

The law can be subjective, and I enjoy how people's opinions can be changed, including my own. I like how a person can have their own views on one point and then using various authoritative sources they can build their argument, to influence others. I would like to be able to develop this skill further, by moving forward with my career in law. For example, I would like to bring my practical understanding of various funds structure and be able to learn how to give the fund manager legal advice when they are setting up their funds. I would like to be a part of these types of discussions to be able to brainstorm solutions and work collaboratively with other solicitors to determine the most effect way to help our clients.

Personal Statement

I have a keen interest in my personal fitness, and this has provided me with the drive and motivation, which I currently use to support my career. I set myself a personal goal to improve my lifestyle and I have remained focused on this and have now achieved the benefits of a healthier life. This has benefited my career as I can work more efficiently at my current job. Allowing me to think clearly and in turn help me to be able to work better within the legal environment.