Dear Sir/Madam,

I am a First Class Honours **Law Graduate,** finishing 4th in my class,with work experience gained in three law offices and a clinic within UCC. This experience, along with the intense academic challenge of Final Year Law have instilled a strong sense of accountability and responsibility for completing tasks accurately to a high standard. This hard-earned competence, along with my passion for the legal/commercial field and my energetic, social character make me a compelling option for a position in your firm.

At Best & Company I shaped my foundational legal skills. As receptionist, I became comfortable with client interaction while learning case management/analysis in between taking calls. I then enhanced my teamwork abilities in J. W. O’ Donovan where I collaborated with colleagues on various tasks, increasing my versatility. I also sharpened my case management competence, notably regarding a fraud case where I tracked payments over a two-year period. With these basic skills acquired, my recent role in Katherina White Solicitors allowed me to delve deeper into legal practice. I was entrusted to draft affidavits, pleadings and legal documents while conducting thorough legal research. Feeling confident in my legal abilities, I undertook the role of Project Manager in the UCC Sports Law Clinic during my final year. This allowed me to test my leadership abilities, guiding my team through a complex case. This diverse experience has provided me with a well-rounded skillset which I will apply to your firm.

I am drawn to Bryne Wallace due to its reputation for excellence as a top ten law firm in Ireland and innovative approach to law, as evidenced by your Lexcel accreditation and ISO 27001 certification. This demonstrates a forward-thinking and client-centered approach that resonates with my own commitment to high professional standards. Additionally, I am intrigued by the broad areas of law covered under your firm and my well-rounded nature makes me a strong candidate to adapt to these areas. I am eager to contribute to your team and help deliver exceptional outcomes for clients through my ever-developing legal skills and passion for the legal and commercial fields.

Kind regards,

Gerard Connolly