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Subject: Traineeship Application

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to you as an expression of my interest in joining your team at Byrne Wallace LLP. I am very eager to join Byrne Wallace as I believe it would allow me to further develop my passion for law. I am an enthusiastic law student wishing to gain industry related experience whilst contributing to the work done by your office.

As you will see in my enclosed CV, I studied my undergraduate degree of Economics, Politics and Law in Dublin City University. Throughout my undergraduate I found that I truly developed a passion for law, though always have maintained an appreciation. I found that law was the career I wanted to pursue, with particular interest in the practical application of law in our everyday lives. As my preference for studying law grew throughout my undergraduate degree, I chose to continue my studies with an LLM in Dublin City University as a way to further and deepen my pre-existing love for law. I graduated from my masters early this year and began my FE1's. At present, I have passed my Equity & Trusts, Property and Tort Law FE1 exams and plan to have passed all eight by the spring 2023 sitting.

I am currently a Legal Intern in O'Mara Geraghty McCourt Solicitors and have held this position since July 2021. This past year has given me invaluable experience and had allowed me to see the law in practice. The past year has really allowed me to develop my interpersonal and professional skills as well as deepen my appreciation for law.

What specifically can I bring to the role?

Motivation and enthusiasm: I am highly motivated and eager to learn and gain experience from Byrne Wallace. My current role in OMGM has given me the skills and knowledge needed to pursue tasks independently using my own initiative as well as contribute to a team efficiently. My enthusiasm and eager nature is one which has allowed me to adapt to any circumstance I end up in.

Cross Functional Collaborator: Throughout my time in college and in OMGM I have worked closely with others in group projects and extra-curricular activities. In each role I have held, the success of the team has relied on each person's individual willingness and capabilities. I thrive in heavily matrixed environments, and due to my fantastic communication and collaboration skills, I often serve as main liaison for outside parties.

I believe that my enthusiasm for law and willingness to learn would be a great asset to Byrne Wallace. I would love the opportunity to learn more about your specific goals and needs as well as to learn how I could contribute to your team and business.

I appreciate your consideration.

Regards,
Gráinne Fitzgerald.