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To whom it may concern,

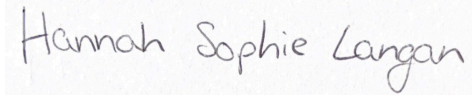
I am writing to you to make my initial application to participate in your trainee solicitor programme for the year 2026. I recently graduated from my undergraduate degree of Business, Economics and Social Sciences (BESS) at Trinity College Dublin, and have since been taking FE-1 prep courses and completed my first two FE-1 exams in the most recent sitting, which were contract and criminal law.

Through conversations with your recruitment and trainee staff, as well as attendance at your trainee open evening, I am interested in working at ByrneWallace. Your Dublin office's focus on banking and finance, construction, as well as commercial contracts couples well with my BESS degree background and long-term interests. As a ByrneWallace trainee, I would earn an exceptional opportunity to launch my legal career at one of Ireland's most respected and innovative law firms, setting a strong foundation for my legal career. I am also intrigued by the high level of exposure to partners and senior associates that trainees at ByrneWallace experience, leading to greater learning and development opportunities.

My academic experience leaves me well positioned to succeed at ByrneWallace. I have accumulated knowledge in areas such as international business, strategic management and financial reporting, which lends well to the commercial nature of your work. To your firm I will also bring my experience at the professional services firm Grant Thornton. During my time working at that firm I developed the skills of communication, prioritisation of workloads, and the delivery of work to a consistently high standard, all of which are skills necessary to succeed at ByrneWallace.

I look forward to the opportunity to speak with you further and would be delighted at the chance to interview with someone in your office. Thank you for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,
Hannah Sophie Langan

A rectangular box containing a handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Hannah Sophie Langan".

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