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Ms Emily Murray, Byrne Wallace, 88 Harcourt St, Saint Kevin's, Dublin 2, D02 DK18, Ireland.

Dear Ms Murray,

I am a third year Law with Social Justice Student studying at University College Dublin and I am applying for a Summer Internship position at Byrne Wallace as advertised on the Byrne Wallace website. I am applying because I am committed to pursuing a career in a commercial law firm, specifically in Byrne Wallace. I am enclosing a copy of my CV for your attention.

In my second year of college, I was selected to take part in the UCD London Corporate Law Trip which is offered to students who have obtained a First Class Honours. This trip gave me a genuine insight into the work that a commercial law firm carries out. The associates that I spoke to in the Golden Circle firms described a career in commercial law as being challenging yet equally rewarding. The scale of the transactions and the prestige of the clientele of Byrne Wallace is easily on a par with these firms. I would love to gain experience working with top calibre lawyers who are experts in such a diverse range of fields.

I admire the fact that Byrne Wallace is dedicated to and renowned for delivering excellent client service. Throughout my part time job in The Goat, I thoroughly enjoyed building up a strong rapport with customers as I made an effort to learn customers' names, orders and details about them. As part of my job in Sunglass Hut, I built up a strong relationship of trust with many customers who continued to return to me for further advice. My jobs have helped me to realise that I too am passionate about delivering superior customer service, and so I believe that I am an excellent candidate for the culture of Byrne Wallace.

I have a particular interest in Child Care Law as I am passionate about the issue of childhood inequality. In addition to this, last summer I was afforded the opportunity to shadow Sinéad Kearney for a week, where I gained an insight into this field as part of my work experience in Byrne Wallace. As Byrne Wallace are leaders in Child Care Law in Ireland, I would love to gain further experience and learn from lawyers at the top of their field in this area.

Thank you for taking the time to consider my application. I truly believe that my work experiences and education would make me a valuable asset for Byrne Wallace. I would love the opportunity to take part in the summer internship programme as I feel as though I would be an ideal fit for the culture of the firm. I look forward to hearing from you in relation to this application.

Yours sincerely,

Isabel Mooney