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Dear Ms Fox

I am a graduate of University College Dublin where I achieved a Masters in Common Law subsequent to a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics and Sociology. After graduation I spent two years working in the banking sector, gaining good experience working as part of a team and providing a high quality level of service to clients. I have passed 7 FE-1 examinations to date and am eagerly awaiting one result to complete the set. My ambition now is to secure a training contract at ByrneWallace with the intention of commencing my training at Blackhall Place in 2016.

ByrneWallace's distinction from other top law firms is evident by the fact that it is the only firm in Ireland to be awarded the Lexcel Standard of Excellence. The opportunity to work alongside, and learn from, some of the best legal professionals in the country would be an invaluable experience. I am aware that no firm or individual can acquire the credentials that ByrneWallace possess without exerting the highest possible level of commitment and diligence.

I am currently working as a Legal Intern in the commercial department at Hayes solicitors. I am very much enjoying my time in the legal sector so far and am gaining great experience working on a wide variety of matters. This experience, my degree in economics, Masters in Law and my time spent working in the banking sector are what I believe will make me a unique candidate for your trainee programme.

I would relish the opportunity to become a part of the ByrneWallace team and greatly appreciate your consideration of my application.

Yours sincerely

Jamie Doddy