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Hiring Manager,  
88 Harcourt St,  
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Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to apply for the Solicitor Traineeship Programme at Byrne Wallace. I am a final year honours student of Law at Trinity College Dublin, expecting to graduate with a 2:1 degree in May.

I am particularly drawn to Byrne Wallace because of my strong passion for Intellectual Property. I am curious to discover more about the firm's involvement in this particular legal sector and to explore the type of work it carries out in areas such as Trademark, Copyright and Patent Law. As a high academic achiever, I work well in challenging environments and enjoy the level of responsibility this entails. I am a diligent and efficient worker with a desire to help others resolve their legal issues.

As an intern at the Community Law and Mediation Centre, I developed my legal research skills by carrying out extensive legal analysis into various employment, equality and social housing issues. I drafted letters of advice for clients which gave me an opportunity to enhance my written communication skills. I have strong interpersonal communication skills which I developed through helping the solicitors during client consultations at the free legal advice clinic and working part-time delivering customer service as a sales associate at Tommy Hilfiger's flagship store. My strong verbal communication skills were further improved during my participation in Irish and French debating and my involvement in various theatre productions over the years. I believe that my legal experience, strong interpersonal communication skills and high academic achievements make me a suitable candidate for Trainee Development Programme. I would like the opportunity to become part of the Byrne Wallace legal team which delivers high-quality services to its clients.

Thank you for considering my application and I would like to wish you all the best in the recruitment process this year. I look forward to hearing from you in the future.

Yours sincerely,

Jasmin Huysmans