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To Whom it May Concern,

I am writing to you to apply for an interview for the ByrneWallace Summer Intern Programme. I am a recent LL.B graduate from the Dublin Institute of Technology and have continued my studies in University College Dublin where I am enrolled on their LL.M International Commercial Law Masters programme. I would relish the opportunity of working as part of a firm with the professional and noble reputation that ByrneWallace has deservedly acquired.

I am deeply impressed by the firms desire to be at the forefront of adaptability and innovation. The speediness of the firm in creating a Brexit department, a move which many should quickly learn from, highlights a desire not only to adapt to change, but to embrace it. I greatly admire the firms recent decision to move to open-plan offices. I believe this highlights an emphasis on a more inclusive environment where previous disparities between person's level on the hierarchal employment ladder becomes less prominent, encouraging more effective communication between all members of the firm. In addition, the firms strong growth in both the Corporate and Property departments is extremely appealing. This is reflected by the number of solicitors rising from 97 to 121 in only a few years. In this vein, I believe the growing and innovative nature of the firm, is precisely the environment in which I could thrive. The opportunity to work along-side experienced lawyers, while gaining invaluable exposure to legal and business issues, would undoubtedly benefit my legal aspirations.

I firmly believe, I am the ideal Intern to have within your firm. The LL.M in International Commercial Law has strengthened my ambition to pursue a successful career in Corporate Law. I am a natural born leader and this has been reflected through my achievements in sport. My diligent and goal orientated nature ensures that my work is always completed to the highest of standards. This has been reflected through my ability to successfully work as part of many group projects in college and also through many of my sporting achievements.

I would like to thank you for your time and consideration. You may contact me at any time on 087 124 6871.

Yours sincerely,  
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