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Ms. Beth Onslow,
HR Administrator,
Byrne Wallace,
88 Harcourt Street,
Dublin 2.

Dear Ms. Onslow,

My name is Maeve Lowry, a final year Law and Political Science student in Trinity College Dublin. I am interested in joining Byrne Wallace on the 2018 Trainee Solicitor Programme as I want to help shape the world we live in and feel a position in Byrne Wallace would provide me with the best opportunity to do so.

Through my work with the Trinity College Student Union’s Lobby Group I have gained first-hand experience of the immense influence governmental bodies and large corporations have over our daily lives; working directly with your clients, some of these prominent bodies and companies included, would allow me to fulfil this ambition.

I have proven myself as a natural leader and team-player, having taken on several roles of responsibility throughout my life. Currently, I am Editor-in-Chief of The Eagle: Trinity Law Gazette, I am also a sitting member of the Law School Alumni and Development Committee, and, as mentioned, I am a Student Lobbyist. I possess an enquiring mind and I seek to continue my personal development after leaving academics. The intellectual challenge a role in Byrne Wallace would offer and the opportunity to become fully engaged with clients excites me greatly in this regard. I am a tenacious worker; dedicated to the task at hand, motivated to achieve the best outcome, and persistent in pursing that. Such tenacity has been evidenced in various aspects of my life; captaining sports teams, in academic aspirations, and as a member of committees

At this point in my development, acquiring the highest level of training is crucial as I progress into the professional world. Byrne Wallace has stood out for me above all other firms for this reason. The strong learning and development ethos of Byrne Wallace, matched with your state of the art research facilities, particularly entices me. It is also important to me to find a supportive working environment. Having advised a number of training contract brochures it is evident to me that Byrne Wallace fulfils this objective also; offering a friendly, encouraging yet challenging work environment, and facilitating a healthy work-life balance from the off-set, an important matter on which a number of other firms seem to fall short.

Please find attached my C.V for further information on my skills and experience.

I look forward to hearing from you soon,

Yours sincerely,

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Maeve Lowry