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## **Re: Graduate Programme**

Dear Karen/Tracey,

I am writing in regards to the graduate positions available in Fieldfisher. I would love the opportunity to interview for one of the positions that you have to offer. Becoming a Solicitor has always been a professional goal I aspire to achieve. Your company's excellent reputation and footing in the legal sector makes it an extremely appealing programme to be part of.

I am currently completing a post-graduate LLB degree at University of Limerick. It is a yearlong programme which I will graduate from in August 2021.

I recently graduated with a first-class honours in BA Criminal Justice from University of Limerick. I was awarded best grades in my course in year two. I also received personal congratulations from the President of UL on three occasions over my four years of study. The variety of legal and social science modules I took throughout this course has provided me with ample knowledge of the law and also various other fields as stated in my CV attached.

Aside from academics, I completed an internship with Hugh J. Campbell & Co. Solicitors, in which I gained valuable insights in the world of a solicitor and carried out many differing tasks throughout my time there. It helped further grow my interest in law and I have become extremely passionate about the legal sector. Please find a letter of reference attached.

I am an extremely hard working individual in all aspects of my life and have always strived to do the best, which is evident from my long history of work experience and volunteering. I am a team player who is also not afraid to work off my own initiative in order to come to the best possible end goal. As a young woman I am a very diligent and honest worker who is not afraid to work persistently to achieve my goals.

Please find my CV attached and I thank you in advance for taking the time to read it. I look forward to hearing from you and I am available via phone or email.

Yours faithfully,

Michelle McDermott.