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To Whom This May Concern

I am a final year Law and Political Science student at Trinity College Dublin. I am writing to apply for your Summer Internship Programme after meeting your representatives at a recent Careers Fair.

Throughout my time at university, I have considered many avenues and professions upon graduating. A Law and Political Science degree provides a fantastic starting point to enter a career that showcases my talents, personality and skill set*.* I have previously undertaken work experience and internships in both small and medium sized law firms and I truly believe that a career as a corporate law solicitor will provide the opportunities to display and enhance the knowledge I have acquired. I am passionate, hard working, eager to learn, co-operative and a good communicator. I have the ability to work independently and as part of team, to meet deadlines, see all tasks through to fruition and I am not one to shy away from a challenge. This is evident in the referees and achievements I have obtained since I initially took interest in the legal profession.

As an internationally recognised and prestigious law firm that offers some of the best facilities and opportunities for potential solicitors, I believe ByrneWallace is the best place to launch my legal career. I was instantly intrigued by the firm after noting it won Law Firm of the Year in 2016. I feel confident that I could contribute substantively to the work of your office while strengthening the skills I will need for a career in corporate law. The areas of law in which you practice, namely taxation, corporate governance and investment funds, appeal greatly to me but I would also relish the opportunity to work in any of the areas on which your firm focuses. I know that obtaining an internship with ByrneWallace would offer an invaluable insight into the operation of a top quality law firm.

Please find attached a copy of my Curriculum Vitae as requested. I am available for interview at your convenience.

Yours faithfully

Oisin Murphy