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LL.B, LL.M Candidate, FE1 Candidate.

DATE: *17th of October 2017.*

OPENING: *Trainee Solicitor Position*

TO: *Hiring Manager*

Having previously applied at undergraduate level for a traineeship, I was disheartened not to have secured one my first time around. However, I did not let this feeling last for long I instead decided to focus on myself and my professional and educational development. I completed my Bachelors of Law with Economics graduating in August with a high 2:1 degree, I took the decision to undertake a Master's in Law. This further educational experience will further nurture the skills necessary to be a successful trainee, including my presentation, time management, legal research and legal writing skills. As well as undertaking an LL.M. I am also sitting my FE1's. I recently sat Criminal, Company, Equity and EU law and await the results of these examinations. In addition to this I am working on campus in the University of Limerick as a residential assistant. The details of this position I have previously outlined in my resumé.

Taking these steps to improve myself professionally I did not feel was enough so I am continuing to pursue my personal development through volunteering both on and off campus. I have also completed the Law Society MOOC in Employment Law to further development and specify my knowledge to suit that of a solicitor in a commercial environment. Coupling this with the high levels of professional experience I have gained from companies such as Northern Trust I believe I am an ideal candidate for a traineeship at Byrne Wallace. I have the professional skills, experience and demeanour required to be an invaluable asset to any team I will work with.

I am also incredibly passionate and determined to succeed in the legal field. I am constantly striving to better myself and use every one of the twenty four hours I am given each day to my full advantage. In particular I am incredibly passionate about intellectual property law and know that this is an area that I would love to work in within the firm. I believe as well as all that I have outlined that I am personable, incredibly motivated and hardworking and that there is no one willing to work harder for Byrne Wallace as a trainee (and beyond that) than I am.

I am available immediately for interview. Thank you sincerely for taking the time to consider my application, please do not hesitate in getting in touch should you have any questions.

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