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Re: Application to the Trainee Programme

Dear Sir/Madam,

My name is Rosaleen Dillon and I wish to apply to the Trainee Programme at ByrneWallace. I am extremely interested in pursuing a career as a solicitor and I believe that my academic achievements and my work experience to date make me a candidate worthy of consideration.

I studied law in Trinity College Dublin where I graduated with a II.I, and completed my LLM in International Law & Foreign Trade in ISDE Law & Economics School, Madrid, where I graduated with a First Class Honours. Moreover, during my LLM, I had the opportunity to study at ISDE's partner institution, Columbia Law School in New York, where I followed courses on corporate law, arbitration and M&A. I have also successfully completed all eight FE-1 Examinations.

Alongside my academic studies, I also have relevant work experience which I believe supports my application. Firstly, I am currently a paralegal in the Project & Data Management Unit in Arthur Cox, where I have worked on a variety of discovery and Loan Portfolio Management projects. For the past two months I have been on secondment to a client's office, working alongside their Data Protection team. Secondly, during my LLM I worked as a research assistant for my intellectual property professor and secured an internship in the legal department in Ernst & Young, Madrid. Finally, this October I will be moving to Brussels to start the Blue Book Traineeship in the European Commission in the Taxation & Customs Union DG.

ByrneWallace appeals to me due to the impressive accreditations it has received by awarding institutions. It has been recognised for its integrity and excellence, two values which I believe represent me as well. I believe the future is in technology and I would be delighted to train in a firm as progressive as ByrneWallace where innovation and technology is embraced as the best way forward.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely, Rosaleen Dillon