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ByrneWallace 88 Harcourt Street, Saint Kevin's, Dublin 2, D02 DK18

Dear Manager of the Trainee Programme,

I am a JS student of Law in Trinity College Dublin, and it is with great enthusiasm that I write to you seeking a place on the ByrneWallace 2018 Summer Internship Programme. I would love the opportunity to become an intern at ByrneWallace. I believe I have the necessary skills to both contribute to the work being done, and gain essential experience from my time at the firm.

I truly feel that ByrneWallace is the perfect fit for me. I am seeking an atmosphere in which I can gain an insight to a clinical legal working world. ByrneWallace's approach, of prioritising the morale of the workplace, would immediately involve me with the challenging inner workings of the firm and would definitely give me a genuine professional legal experience. Teamwork and cooperation is so important as it can help me improve considerably in the long term. Their approach to their staff, particularly interns, displays a genuine commitment to helping each individual realise their full potential.

I am very keen to improve my ability to work closely with clients. I believe ByrneWallace makes the dynamic needs of their many clients, and community at large, a priority. Their recognition that the client service they are providing is occurring in a constantly developing commercial world, results in an admirable proactive approach, which encourages this close client relationship which I would love to contribute to.

I am impressed by the vast amount of practice areas, as well as their international client base and locations around the globe. I am very interested in both International Relations and Information Protection Law, so knowing that ByrneWallace provides an opportunity for this sort of work really consolidated my desire to apply.

One thing that really stood out for me with ByrneWallace was their commendable efforts in promoting social responsibility. I personally am involved with regular soup runs and other

charity events through my University, and I recognise the importance of looking after the community when you are in a position to make a difference. I truly feel that ByrneWallace are fantastic in regard to this, and would feel very comfortable in such a positive working environment.

Working with ByrneWallace as an intern would not be something I would take lightly. I would work extremely hard to ensure that I make a positive and beneficial impact during my time there, as well as ensuring that I leave my experience having gained real insights and skills, essential for furthering my legal career.

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