# **Gergely Pap**

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#### PERSONAL PROFILE

3<sup>rd</sup> year student currently pursuing a Bachelor of Civil Law at the University of Galway. Student intern working at CIÉ Group Solicitors doing rotations in Property, Litigation and Commercial & Regulatory departments. Volunteer experience with charity and experience supporting students at the University of Galway. Mooting experience developing court etiquette and advocacy. Actively pursuing a career working within the legal industry as a solicitor.

### **EDUCATION**

2021 - Current Law (BCL) University of Galway

3<sup>rd</sup> Year Modules: TBC - (Professional Work Placement)

**2<sup>nd</sup> Year Modules:** Moot Court (73%), Industrial And Intellectual Property Law (75%), Information Technology Law (72%), Admin Law I (73%), Company Law I (60%), Company Law II (70%), Criminal Law I (63%), Criminal Law II (63%), EU Law II (64%), Evidence I (64%), Evidence II (70%)

2<sup>nd</sup> Year Overall Grade: 2.1

1st Year Modules: Constitutional Law (70%), Contract Law (66%), Tort Law (73%), Family Law (66%), Understanding the Law (70%), Critical Thinking for Lawyers (67%)

1st Year Overall Grade: 2.1

2019 - 2021 Leaving Certificate, CBS Wexford, Thomas St, Slippery Green, Wexford Irish (H2), English (H3), Maths (H3), History (H1), German (H3), Chemistry (H3), Music (H1)

Results: (544 points)

#### **Relevant Work Experience:**

#### September 2023 – Current CIÉ Group Solicitors Student Intern Córas Iompair Éireann

- Compose & circulate a weekly newsletter that includes legislative changes, recent rulings and general developments for our solicitors within the commercial & regulatory, property and litigation departments.
- Help with the drafting of letters, emails and contracts.
- Proofreading letters, opinions, contracts and other pieces of correspondence.
- Gather information for solicitors when they submit a research request.
- Review case files to determine whether solicitors are still waiting for any actions to be performed or if the file can be sent for closing.
- Attend meetings, tribunal hearings and other events to gain a deeper understanding of the application of law.
- Assist with administrative duties such as opening new case files, photocopying, binding folders for counsel, dictation typing and creating copies of documents for discovery.
- Spearheading a project to create a client newsletter.

# June 2023 - September 2023 Retail Assistant Primark Stores Limited

- Work in a fast-paced team environment to create an unforgettable customer shopping experience.
- Work alongside various teams, including tills, zoning, fitting rooms, returns and the warehouse.
- Commit to flexible working hours to ensure that the business does not have difficulties because of absences.
- Manage time effectively to complete tasks at a high standard whilst moving on to another department as required by the daily rota.
- Handle high volumes of cash flow with skill, care and diligence to ensure assets are accounted for properly.

## September 2022 – March 2023 Volunteer Student CÉIM Leader University of Galway

- Work as part of a team of four to prepare and execute CÉIM sessions.
- Organise weekly planning meetings.
- Facilitate 1<sup>st</sup> year students during CÉIM sessions to reinforce what has been learned in lectures through a
  friendly and informal environment.

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 Attend weekly debrief meetings with academic leads to establish the weekly agenda and gather information from other teams about any current issues, queries and possible activities that may need to be implemented into individual sessions.

# September 2018 - August 2019 Charity Shop Volunteer Barnardos Charity Shop, Wexford

- Provided customer service to anyone who needed help.
- Managed inventory in the back room to prepare new stock to be brought onto the shop floor.
- Took on the responsibility of handling money while bringing the weekly earnings to the local post office whenever there was a need to send the funds to the main branch of Barnardos.
- Periodically reorganised the items that were on the shop floor to keep a presentable appearance.
- Worked as part of a team consisting of permanent employees and volunteers to achieve the daily agenda.

#### **SKILLS PROFILE**

Languages: Fluent English, verbal and written, fluent (Native) Hungarian, verbal.

IT Skills: Fully working proficiency in Microsoft Office including Word, Excel and PowerPoint via Credly and from office work experience with CIÉ Group Solicitors.

**Flexible/Adaptable:** While organising CÉIM sessions, leaders may have sudden things come up regarding individual schedules. Therefore, flexibility for when a planning meeting can be held must be had to find a time slot when everyone will be accessible.

**Teamwork:** Due to being exposed to group environments, adaptability to different settings improved to allow for effective teamwork to take place. This has developed people skills, an ability to quickly build rapport and create connections; however, constant improvement is needed to become the best team player possible.

**Communication:** Effective Communication enhanced after working together with other students to run classes to facilitate 1<sup>st</sup> year students, working in a busy retail environment and being a student intern in a legal office where detail is a core value to ensure satisfactory results.

#### **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- University of Galway internal moot competition finalist.
- All-Ireland Shot Put Champion both in schools and clubs.
- Represented Ireland In the SIAB championships in both England and Wales, coming in third place both times.
- Royal Irish Academy of Music, Grade 8 classical flute qualifications
- Kilkenny Music Festival, flute category winner.
- Gave a presentation about the contents of the An Bord Pleanála Dart+ West public hearing to Lorcan O'Connor, the Group CEO of CIÉ.

### **INTERESTS/HOBBIES**

**Badminton:** Play badminton as a member of Galway Lawn Tennis Club since 2021 and participate in social badminton within Dublin

Fishing: Currently focusing on light rock fishing in Dublin as a hobby angler targeting pollock, wrasse and sea bass.

### **REFEREES**

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