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**Education**

**University College Dublin 2012- Present**

BCL; Law with Politics, current GPA: 3.44 2:1 equivalent

**Laurel Hill Coláiste FCJ, Limerick 2006-2012**

Leaving Certificate Points (all subjects Higher Level): 530

**Work Experience**

**January 2014- Present:**  Millward Brown Market Research: Telephone market researcher. Carrying out various surveys for numerous contracted clients. This heightened communication skills and involved working with confidential information and being professional. Competitive atmosphere heightened ambition and will to perform.

**September 2013- November 2013:** Oxfam Ireland. Member of the direct dialogue team which sought to encourage the public, in Dublin and surrounding regions, to register for small monthly donations so as to allow the charity to budget for their responses to humanitarian crises around the world. The door-to-door element of the role entailed conversing with the public and effectively communicating the message while also creating a rapport of trust. It also gave me the opportunity to work in a highly competitive target driven atmosphere which was extremely valuable experience.

**Interests/ Hobbies and Achievements**

* Currently part-taking in the skills for working life programme run by UCD careers centre. Involves weekly workshops run by employers in areas such as team-work and leadership. Upon completion I will receive a diploma supplement to my degree transcript.
* Selected for a summer school run by the University of Tulsa law school in UCD during June 2015 undertaking a course in International Intellectual Property, attaining an A grade in the final exam.
* Entering my second year in UCD I was selected as a peer mentor which involved inducting the incoming first years in law with social justice. I engaged with them in regard to their queries and needs both socially and academically, and helped them adjust during the transition into life at University.
* Elected Ceannaire in 6th year by both my peers and staff members. This position entailed liaising with school authorities on issues both academic and social that arose during the year. Developed public speaking skills, including composing and delivering a graduation speech, and also representing the school at functions. Organising a charity event to provide Christmas presents for children in a disadvantaged area of Limerick
* Active member in Castletroy Golf Club Limerick, currently playing off a golfing handicap of 10. Represented the club winning Munster titles in both junior cup and senior foursomes, and progressing to national level. Selected to play for Munster in the interprovincial championships at both u15 and u18 level.
* Played hockey for 8 years with Limerick Hockey Club. Member of the clubs first team, which was promoted through the divisional system in Munster from the 6th division to the 1st division over the course of 5 years. During this time we also won the Irish Challenge Cup in 2011. Represented Munster at both u16 and junior levels.