Catherine Dolan

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Education

2016 – 2020 Bachelor of Business and Law, University College Dublin

- First year GPA; 3.6, class ranking 17th in a class of 117.
- Modules include; General Introduction to the Irish Legal System, Business Economics, Constitutional Law, Contract Law, Comparative Legal Studies, Data Analysis for Decision Makers, Information Communications Technology in Business and Business in Society.
- Second year GPA; 3.72, class ranking 7th in a class of 111.
- Modules include; Principles of Finance, Nominate Torts, Negligence and Related Matters,
 Criminal Offences and Defences, EU Constitutional Law, EU Economic Law, Quantitative
 Methods in Business, Financial Accounting 1, Information Management and Business Analytics.
- Third year, first semester GPA 3.63. My class ranking is unavailable as I was on Erasmus in second semester of third year.
- Modules include; Financial Accounting 2, Company Law I, Criminological Theory, Strategic Market Management, Theory of Court Practice, Business Strategy.
- Third year, second semester spent in Bocconi University, Milan.
- Modules included; Introduction to the legal system, Sustainable Operations, International Comparative Business Law and International Business Management.

2010-2016 Eureka Secondary School, Kells, Co. Meath

- Junior Certificate 2013, achieved 10 A's.
- Leaving Certificate 2016, achieved 575 points.
- Student of the Year in Leaving Cert 2015-2016.

Employment History

2019-Jun/Jul Intern, Designer Group USA, North Carolina, USA - Biomass and Energy Company

- Liaised with greenwood suppliers in North Carolina and Florida.
- Applied for Phytosanitary certificates from USDA, filled out the 577 form.
- Managed the inflow of raw materials and organised shipping logistics with UPS.
- Conducted research on the forestry industry and biomass sector in North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida and Kentucky.

2018-Jul/Aug Intern, Nathaniel Lacy & Partners, Kells, Co. Meath - Solicitors

- Assisted with preparation for trials by preparing documents for discovery and putting together briefs for Counsel.
- Attended client meetings and trials. Gained invaluable experience in litigation in practice, particularly in the field of personal injury claims.
- Worked closely with a Senior Partner researching and preparing a presentation for the Licensed Vintners Association on recent developments in Public Liability, Surveillance Law, Workplace Bullying & Harassment and GDPR.

2016-Jun-Aug Intern, Airsynergy, Granard, Co. Longford – Cleantech Company

- Office duties for the Co-Founder including preparing submissions for Awards including Engineers Ireland Excellence Award and the Irish Times Innovation Awards.
- Gained experience in the importance of attention to detail when filing patents.

Achievements and Interests

- Recipient of a **UCD Sports Scholarship** for Ladies Gaelic Football 2017/2018, 2018/2019.
- Recipient of an **entrance scholarship** into UCD 2016.
- All Ireland Public Access to Law Champion 2014. In the All- Ireland final, I was presented with the prestigious Harry Hill Award for Best Speaker.
- Selected as **Senior Prefect** in my Leaving Cert year. The role involved representing the student body on occasions, acting as role models for the younger students and generally undertaking a leadership role in the school.
- Gaelic football; I have won a club championship with Lurgan Ladies at every underage group including a double at U16 and U13, all division 1.
- Cavan Senior Club Champions 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 Player of the Match in the 2015 final.
- Winning team member of the 2019 **Legal Advise Competition** Bocconi University.
- Chief fundraiser for Madoya School Fundraising Project, Kenya. Last year I raised €23,353 (alongside my family) for Madoya School, Kariobangi in Kenya.

Skills

IT Skills: Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft PowerPoint, Microsoft Access.

Communication Skills; Excellent interpersonal skills developed through delivering a number of presentations as part of my undergraduate degree, regularly liaising with a variety of stakeholders in my role with Nathaniel Lacy & Partners and Designer Group USA, as well as playing a variety of team sports growing up.

Interests: Sport, keeping fit, understanding people and how to get the best out of everyone.

References available upon request