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**Education**

1999-2007 **St Cronan's Boys’ National School,**

Bray,

Co. Wicklow.

2007-2013 **Presentation College,**

Bray,

Co. Wicklow.

2013-2017 **University College Dublin,**

Belfield,

Dublin 4.

**Leaving Certificate 2013: 580 Points**

**UCD: BCL Law with History**

Stage 1 GPA: 3.57 Stage 2 GPA: 3.6

Stage 3 GPA: 3.55 Stage 4 GPA: 3.77

**Employment History**

May 2017 - Present: Editor of the College Tribune

* Responsible for the production of a 36-page, Berliner size newspaper, every two weeks during the academic term
* Overall management of the newspaper, including finance, administration, and distribution
* Leading a team of 13 section editors and over 30 writers and photographers
* Selling advertisements to companies to finance the print costs
* Overseeing development of talented writers
* Handling all internal and external communications on behalf of the paper
* Handling news tips with discretion
* Dealing with sources in strict confidence

September 2017 - Present: Tutor in the Sutherland School of Law

* Teaching criminal law tutorials to small groups of 15-20 students
* Encouraging effective student participation in class
* Dealing with student queries about tutorials

July 2015 - May 2017: News Editor of The College Tribune

* Developed a team of news reporters
* Wrote front page news stories
* Advised colleagues on defamation issues
* Adhered to legal guidelines
* Fact-checked news pieces from contributors

June 2016 - August 2016: Tax Intern in Deloitte

* Prepared personal income tax returns
* Drafted and amended wills
* Liaised with clients and the Revenue Commissioners
* Researched areas of tax case law and EU competition law
* Researched personal tax law for an article in the September 2016 Issue of “Deloitte Private Matters Newsletter”
* Assisted managers in the Private Clients Department
* Drafted letters and emails to clients

August 2014 - July 2015: News Editor of The University Observer

* Wrote news pieces under strict deadlines
* Developed and mentored a team of news reporters
* Interviewed local and national figures for stories

May 2014 - August 2014: Co-Editor of Oxygen.ie

* Worked with the Editor to run Ireland’s biggest student website
* Researched potential national and international student stories
* Helped to assign articles to contributors
* Designed and published all articles online through Oxygen’s own content management system
* Handled all external communications on behalf of the brand

**Interests and Achievements**

* Peer Mentor in UCD for the 2014/2015 academic year
* Shortlisted and nominated for the “RSA award for Journalism relating to Road Safety” at the 2015 and 2017 Smedia Awards
* Received the UCD Entrance Scholarship in 2013
* Former Social Media Officer with the UCD History Society
* Quarter Finalist in the 2015 Vivian Lavan Moot Court Completion in UCD
* Courtroom Judge in the 2016 Pro-Am Moot Competition in UCD
* Received a subject prize medal from Pres Bray for achieving a result of 96.4% in the Leaving Certificate Geography exam
* Served as Captain of the school chess team
* Fully qualified driver
* Projects as a freelance writer include editing a best-selling Ebook, and writing news summaries for Wonker, an American start-up based in California

References available upon request