Claudia Macklin

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Final year Bachelor of Law student in University College Dublin with a current 2:1 honors seeking an internship in an experienced and dynamic commercial law firm such as Byrne Wallace Solicitors.

**Education**

University College Dublin, Bachelor of Civil Law. 2014-2018

Current GPA: 3.3 (2.1 equivalent)

Relevant Subjects:

EU Competition Law A-, Employment Law A-, Intellectual Property Law B+. Company Law B+, Contract law B, EU Economic Law B, Commercial Law B-.

Coláiste Oiriall, Monaghan, Leaving Certificate. 2008-2014

Results: 500 points

Relevant Subjects: Maths B1, English B2, Irish B1 and French B1.

Received Awards for:

* Awarded the position of senior prefect.
* Received The Principal’s Award in my final year. An award for enthusiasm, consistent hard work and endeavour.
* Fluent Irish speaker.

**Employment History**

Waitress, Howells and Hood Restaurant, Chicago, Illinois. May – August 2017

* Worked on a team of twenty waitresses in a busy restaurant in Chicago.
* Awarded for achieving high sale target for Anchor Steam beer.
* Personally responsible for six to eight tables per shift.
* Provided excellent customer service.

Waitress, OMNI Catering, Santa Barbara, California May – August 2016

* Travelled to California and worked as part of a team of waitresses for a catering company.
* Demonstrated an ability to cater a range of events.
* Responsible for setting up the venues, food service, providing great customer service and breaking down the venue.

Waitress, Castle Leslie, Glaslough, Monaghan. March– November 2015

* Responsible for training new wait-staff.
* Supervised weekend staff when manager was not present.
* Catered private events for thirty to seventy guests.
* Responsible for balancing the books after a shift and dividing out colleagues’ tips.
* Negotiated with managers on behalf of the wait-staff regarding equal division of tips and job roles.

**College Involvement**

UCD’s Student Legal Service Society September 2016 - Present

* Responsible for advising students on legal queries.
* Communicated through email and face-to-face meetings.
* Attend bi-weekly meetings with other members of the committee to deal with students’ queries.

UCD Tennis Society September 2015 - Present

* I play tennis every Tuesday with the society’s intermediate training session.
* Participate in amateur matches.

UCD’s Law Society September 2014 - Present

* Attend and participate in debates and networking events set up by the society regularly.

**Additional Skills**

IT:

* Awarded honours grade in European Computer Driving License Course
* MS office proficient.

Languages:

* Fluent Irish speaker. Attended an Irish language secondary school.
* Intermediate level of French.
* Achieved a B1 in Leaving Certificate French.
* Completed a post Leaving Certificate French language module in UCD. Achieved a B grade in the overall assessment.

Presentation:

* Researched a response to a Public Consultation for a group presentation for Competition Law module achieving an A grade in the assessment.
* Spearheaded group presentations in front of 150+ university students for a Law and Legislation module and General Introduction to Legal Studies module. Achieved B grade in both modules.
* Partook in public speaking competitions in Leaving Certificate

**Interests and Achievements**

* Volunteering: Active member of The Lion’s Club Monaghan. Host meetings bi-weekly in order to read and record the local newspaper on to tapes for the elderly and visually impaired.
* Sport: Member of UCD’s Tennis Club. Hold membership in Monaghan Tennis Club and a tennis club in Quinta do Lago, Portugal.
* Travel: Passionate about travelling, most recently my opportunities to take part in the J1 visa programme, living abroad in Chicago, Santa Barbara and Australia.
* Music: Awarded distinction in six grades on the piano under the Royal Irish Academy of Music. Achieved an A2 grade in music for the Leaving Certificate.
* Dance: Classically trained ballet dancer. Awarded distinction and honours for six grades under the Royal Academy of Dance Ireland.

**References**

References available upon request.