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# CLIONA O' CONNELL

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## SUMMARY

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I completed my secondary school education at Mt. Mercy College and Bruce College, Cork.

Total CAO Points: 530

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## SKILLS

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- I have excellent interpersonal skills and display a genuine interest in people.
  - I work to deadlines and prioritise accordingly. I work well as part of a team.
- I possess strong legal writing skills which I greatly developed during my studies at University College Cork.

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## WORK HISTORY

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**Receptionist**, 03/2015 to 09/2017

**Lehane Motors** – Airport Road, Cork

Front desk responsibilities: managing service bookings and office supply orders, filing and paperwork, use of Kerridge and sales software.

**Work Experience**, 05/2017 to 06/2017

**JW O'Donovan Solicitors** – 53 South Mall, Cork

- Attended Court with Associates
- Assisted with compilation of documents
- Researched and drafted memos for Associates

**Researcher**, 06/2016 to 07/2016

**Gigwalk** – 539 Bryant St, Suite 401, San Francisco, California 94107

**Retail Assistant**, 05/2016 to 07/2016

**Primark** – Wilton, Cork

**Shop Floor Assistant**, 02/2014 to 07/2014

**Quish's Supervalu** – Ballincollig, Cork

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## EDUCATION

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**Undergraduate Law Degree: Bachelor of Civil Law, 2017**

**University College Cork** - Cork

**Year 1: (Second Class Honours, 2:1)** Foundations of the Legal System (2:1, 68%) / Law of Torts I (2:2, 58%) / Law of Torts II (2:1, 65%) / Constitutional Law: Fundamental Rights (2:1, 60%) / Constitutional Law (2:1, 66%) / Law of the European Union (2:1, 66%) / Criminal Law (2:2, 58%)

**Year 2: (Second Class Honours, 2:1)** Law of Contract (2:1, 65%) / The Law of Evidence I (2:1, 60%) / The Law of Evidence II (2:1, 65%) / Economic Law of the European Union (2:1, 66%) / Family Law: Child Law (2:1, 67%) / Law of Property I (2:1, 61%) / Law of Property II (2:1, 66%) / Principles of Public International Law (2:2, 58%) / Commercial Law (2.2, 57%)

**Year 3: (Second Class Honours, 2:1)** Banking Law (1:1, 70%) / International Human Rights Law (2:1, 66%) / Law of Equity: Trusts (2:1, 64%) / Company Law: Fundamental Concepts and Doctrines (2:2, 58%) / Company Law II (1:1 71%) / Sources and Foundations of Environmental Law (2:1, 67%) / Family Law: Family Relationships (2:1, 66%) / Law of Equity: Doctrines and Remedies (45%) / Financial Services: Law and Regulation (2:1, 60%) / Jurisprudence (2:1, 65%)

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## OTHER SKILLS AND INTERESTS

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### **Travel:**

- I have travelled extensively both in Europe and the U.S.A.

### **Academic:**

- Chairperson of the winning National Young Social Innovators (2011). As a result, I was invited to speak at the ASTI National Congress in Killarney.
- Diogras Medal for academic achievement (Mt. Mercy College)
- Discover Cork History Schools Project Winner

### **Riding:**

- Earlswell Summer Showjumping League (3rd place, 2013). I am a keen rider and, for many years, was a member of Showjumping Ireland and Earlswell Riding Club.
- Farrangalway Novice Horse Pairs Hunter Trial, Kinsale (2012)

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## EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AND CHARITY WORK

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Victor Dowling Animal Rescue Centre

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## REFERENCES

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Mr. Alan Hyde: Character reference (086) 2534 385

Mr. Paudie Donegan: General Manager, Lehane Motors (021) 481 7700