

Colm Hegarty

Master of Law

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Education

DCU / LLM (Master of Laws)

SEP 2022 - MAY 2023, Dublin City University DCU Glasnevin Campus

Contemp. Legal Issues in Commercial Practice, Legal and Socio-Legal Research Skills, Race, Minorities & Indigenous in International Law, Judges and Judging, EU Trade Law and Policy, European and International Human Rights Law, Intellectual Properties

DCU / Arts: Joint Honors (Law)

SEP 2019 - MAY 2022, Dublin City University DCU Glasnevin Campus

Constitutional Law, Contract Law, Criminal Law, Property Law, Equity and Trusts, European Union law, Tort Law, and Company Law.

Skills

As a dedicated law student with a passion for the legal field, I have developed a diverse set of skills and qualities that have prepared me to excel in the practice of law. Through my academic coursework, work experience, and extracurricular activities, I have honed the following skills:

Legal Research and Analysis: Proficient in conducting in-depth legal research, processing complex information, and analysing case law and statutes to support legal arguments. This skill was integral to completing my masters thesis.

Communication: Effective verbal and written communication skills, essential for client interactions, negotiations, and courtroom presentations.

Experience

Dunnes Stores / Sales Assistant

OCT 2021 - AUG 2023, Dublin, Blanchardstown

Effective Communication: My experience has sharpened my communication skills, enabling me to convey information clearly and professionally to customers, colleagues, and management. I've also become adept at active listening, which helps me better understand customer preferences.

Teamwork and Collaboration: In a collaborative retail environment, I've learned to work harmoniously with diverse teams. My ability to cooperate, contribute ideas, and adapt to various working styles has been a strong suit, resulting in improved team dynamics.

Time Management: Juggling multiple tasks and responsibilities in a fast-paced retail setting has honed my time management skills. I've become proficient in prioritising tasks, meeting deadlines, and ensuring efficiency in daily operations.

Achievements

Completed Master's Programme and Thesis while also working part time to fund tuition fees:

Thesis Title: Patents and Pandemics: An Examination of the Effect of Intellectual Property Laws on the Global Distribution of COVID-19 Vaccines