**Conor Bates**

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Co. Cavan.

**Professional Summary:**

Highly Organised and reliable Business and Law student with over three years of customer service experience. Resilient, team player and intently hard-working individual who is willing to take a task on with a good attitude and drive it to its conclusion. Practical, strategic and analytical thinker. Particularly interested in the areas of Banking and Finance, I am currently seeking a training contract commencing in 2019.

**Professional Experience:**

**Airsynergy August 2017**

**General Counsel Intern**

Airsynergy is an exciting and disruptive innovator of renewable power products. Here, I gained invaluable insights under the guidance of Legal 500 GC, Adrian Kelly.

* Legal drafting - Discerning the important information from communications and documents and drafting of legal documents.
* Engaged in numerous meetings with external law firms and consultants in discussion of complex company and insurance law and compliance issues.
* Proofreading important legal documents such as recently approved patents from the EPO.

**Radisson Blu, Farnham Estate June 2014 – May 2017**

**Senior Bartender**

Skilled and energetic worker in a fast-paced and professional working environment. Highly regarded among peers and management as hard-working, friendly and reliable.

* Supervisory authority over the bar in the absence of management, learning valuable communication, leadership and delegation skills.
* Inspiring positive relationships with customers, resolving disputes and complaints using exceptional interpersonal and dispute resolution skills.
* Protecting the health and safety of guests with keen attention to detail, ensuring service areas are always immaculately clean, organised and free from hazards.

**Citizen Bar Chicago June 2016 – August 2016**

**Host**

Organised private and commercial parties and events including professional commercial clients such as Goldman Sachs and JP Morgan Chase & Co.

* Organised reservations and parties via phone and online bookings.
* Engaged customers with excellent social skills as the first employee to encounter new customers and attract them into the business.
* Organising floor plans and seating arrangements to facilitate day-to-day needs.

**Education:**

**BBL Business and Law at University College Dublin** September 2013 – May 2017

Second class honours degree - Final year GPA 3.45.

**St. Patrick’s College Cavan** September 2008 – May 2013

535 points achieved including A1s in Higher Level English and Business Studies.

**Achievements and Interests:**

**Senior Prefect**

One of seven senior prefects elected from a year of over 120 students. Elected based on good attitude, strong ability to lead among peers and high approval from teachers.

* Acted as Liaison between the student and teacher bodies.
* Organised school activities such as soccer tournaments and the school play.
* Ensured the school was well represented at external events.

**Gaelic Football**

Member of Killygarry GAA senior team.

* Captain of the youth team at every underage level from U.12’s through to U. 21’s.
* All-Ireland Feile Champions in 2009. (Captain)
* Represented Cavan at every underage level through to U.18’s.

**Athletics**

Member of Annalee Athletic Club. Competed in a range of events over 8 years.

* Represented my club, county and province at national level.
* Attained over 120 medals for a variety of events.
* Won 1 All-Ireland relay gold medal representing my county.

**Volunteering**

* Activities include coaching children’s teams, selling weekly lotto tickets, attracting sponsorship and participating in fun-runs, bag-packing and stewarding.

**IT Skills**

Proficient user of Microsoft Office including Word, Excel, PowerPoint.

Referees available on request.