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Personal Profile

I am a final year Law and Accounting student at Maynooth University, originally from County Galway. I am a driven, hardworking and friendly individual, with a desire to complete any job to the highest standard. I have been fortunate to obtain enriching work experience with several accounting practices of varying sizes in a number of different roles tied closely to my degree. I believe this exemplifies my diligent character and ability to manage both third level study and professional services work. I am now looking to gain experience in the corporate legal sector as I approach the end of my degree.

Work Experience

TaxAssist Accountants

Sep 2019 – Dec 2019

4 Lower Main Street, Lucan, Co. Dublin

- I joined TaxAssist Accountants in Lucan in a part-time capacity in the first semester of final year. I managed the completion of income tax returns and CGT returns for private clients in a high-pressure environment due to the closeness of the income tax deadline. In this client-facing role, I provided accurate advice relating to clients' tax returns, ensured proper compliance with relevant tax legislation as well as Revenue practice, and filed returns and submitted payment of their liabilities in a timely manner suited to the client. I also played a central role in organising the timely registration of the directors of our company clients with the newly established RBO.

Mazars

Jun 2019 – Sep 2019

Block 3, Harcourt Centre, Harcourt Road, Dublin 2

- I joined Mazars last summer as an intern in their Insolvency & Financial Advisory department. I assisted the Insolvency team with a diverse portfolio of fixed charge receiverships on behalf of several international private equity funds. This manifested in the preparation of bank reconciliations, receipts and payments accounts, VAT and RTD returns for receivership cases. I also aided in the preparation of property disposal reports and outcome statements, as well as ensuring the timely discharge of invoices, preparation of financial tracker reports for our clients and drafted statutory documentation for the CRO. I also assisted the Financial Advisory team with a financial due diligence project on a UK based tech retail firm. This involved liaising with the target to obtain their interim management accounts, where I was tasked with reconciling and producing comparative financial analysis and commentary on same for inclusion in our report.

Walsh O'Brien Harnett

Oct 2017 – Jan 2019

104 Baggot Street Lower, Grand Canal Dock, Dublin 2

- I worked part-time during the academic year and full-time during summer 2018 within the firm's tax team. I gained extensive experience in the completion of income tax, corporation tax, CGT and VAT returns, including the computation of all necessary schedules and supporting documentation. I was also involved in substantial pre-audit work for clients under Revenue audit, including a state school and a large digital marketing firm. I also gained experience in corresponding with clients and Revenue, as well as ensuring proper AML and KYC compliance.

Matheson

70 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Grand Canal Dock, Dublin 2

23rd – 27th July 2018

- As part of Matheson's 'Career First Programme' aimed at first year law students, I spent one week working in the firm's Banking and Capital Markets department. I was placed under the instruction of a trainee in the department who assigned me work for the week. I was involved in researching sections of the Companies Act and preparing an internal memo on same, legal research and reviewing documents.

Education

Holy Rosary College, Mountbellew: Secondary Education (2011-2017)

Leaving Certificate (6 Honours) – 540 Points

- English H2
- Irish H2
- Accounting H1
- Business H2
- German H2
- Biology H2
- Maths O1

Maynooth University: BCL Law and Accounting (2017- 2020)

First Year – Annual Mark 79%

Semester 1

- Tort Law First
- Contract Law 2:1
- Intro. to Law First
- Intro. to Legal Research First
- Intro. to Financial Accounting First
- Microeconomics I First

Semester 2

- Criminal Law First
- Constitutional Law First
- Intro. to Law II First
- Legal Research Methods 2:1
- Financial Accounting I First
- Fund. Finance and Accounting First

Second Year – Annual Mark 79%

Semester 1

- Company Law First
- Management Accounting First
- Financial Accounting II First

Semester 2

- Admin Law First
- EU Law First
- Evidence First
- Taxation: Income & VAT First
- Financial Accounting III First

Achievements

- **No. 1 Class Ranking out of 10** (1st & 2nd Year) 2019
- **DCU National Moot Court Competitor** (8th out of 27 teams) 2018
- **Leaving Certificate Prefect** (nominated by teaching staff) 2017
- **PURO Coffee Basic Barista Training Course** 2016
- **Public Access to Law National TY Mock Trial Competitor** 2015

Interests

My main passion is music, I especially enjoy live music and I love going to concerts. I also play the guitar, mandolin and tin whistle. When I am at home in Galway, I get together with friends and we play together, sometimes at sessions in local pubs. I follow the GAA in hurling, camogie and football. I enjoy being active and going to the gym, and I like to play various sports with my youngest sister at home as she is very passionate about them. I also enjoy reading and keeping up with current affairs.

References

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