

Daniel Delaney

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FE-1 candidate with extensive work experience in both legal and financial services, and educational background in law.

Education

- Master's in Finance, Nova School of Business & Economics** ☑ Aug 2021 – Present
Lisbon, Portugal
- *Financial Times*; MSc Finance Ranking - #11 Worldwide
 - Thesis Topic; 'Equity Research and Financial Outlook for Diageo in 2023 and Beyond'
 - Expected / Current Grade - Second Class Honours, Grade 1
- Bachelor of Business & Law, University College Dublin** Sep 2017 – May 2021
Second Class Honours, Grade 1 - GPA 3.4
Dublin, Ireland
- Leaving Certificate, St. Marys College C.S.S.p** Sep 2011 – May 2017
Points Obtained - 531 / 625
Dublin, Ireland

Professional Experience

- Legal Intern, Fieldfisher Ireland** ☑ Jun 2022 – Jul 2022
Dublin, Ireland
- Prepared and reviewed briefs for counsel, and documents for lodgement in the High Court for multiple legal teams over a six-week period.
 - Attended client consultations and court proceedings as a representative of the company, and gained extensive experience with legal database case management systems.
 - Researched and co-authored two articles published alongside senior associates and trainee solicitors as part of company insight into key planning and environmental updates - available at Lexology.com;
 - 'EIAR Guidelines' - published on 4th July, 2022.
 - 'Waltham Abbey RA v An Bord Pleanála & Ors [2022] IESC 30' - published on 8th September, 2022.
- Investment Analyst, Atlantic Bridge Venture Capital** May 2021 – Aug 2021
Dublin, Ireland
- Worked within the University Bridge Fund, focusing on emerging AI, software and deep-tech research from leading international universities, ranked in the top 5 funds of its kind globally.
 - Built independent investment research on European seed accelerator programs, and created financial models for startups already under management with the firm.
 - Gained first-hand experience with one of Ireland's largest and most active growth equity firms, with over €1.2 billion assets in management across eight funds.
 - Two three month internship periods completed with Atlantic Bridge, with the first beginning in May 2019.
- Brand Ambassador, Verve Marketing Agency** Sep 2018 – Jan 2020
Dublin, Ireland
- Identified target audiences, created marketing campaigns and executed large-scale events for clients in the Irish market.
 - Collaborated regularly with large international brands such to promote product launches to the general public and potential industry clients through on-site promotional campaigns.
 - Managed large scale promotional events frequently on location alone, or as team leader, which involved management of groups of up to ten people.

Legal Intern, Compton Solicitors

Jun 2019 – Aug 2019
Dublin, Ireland

- Worked closely with partners & associates to assist with the annual licensing renewals of large volumes of restaurant, hospitality and entertainment firms.
- Operated with independent responsibility to liaise with clients, accountants and architects to assemble the proofs required for every application and case.
- Ensured all client and in-house documents were in compliance with newly-implemented European GDPR guidelines, and followed up with employees and clients in cases where a breach may have occurred.

Computer Skills

Legal Evolve Case Management System (Advanced)

Skilled with legal database case management systems through first-hand experience and comprehensive training during my internship period in fast paced international solicitors office.

Microsoft Office Programs (Advanced)

Microsoft Office Excel Expert examination taken in April 2022 as part of MSc program.

Python Programming Language (Intermediate)

Proficient in Python within the context of R&D. Built automatic trading bot based on market technical indicators as part of MSc program.

Bloomberg Terminals (Intermediate)

Comprehensive training and first-hand use of Bloomberg Terminals throughout master's and undergraduate degree.

Extracurricular

UCD Commerce & Economics Society, Final Year Representative

Elected as final year representative to Ireland's largest and oldest business orientated university society with over 4,000 members every year.

Nova SBE Venture Capital & Private Equity Society

Contributed to the organisation and execution of corporate, social and training events for one of Nova's newest business societies, including activities such as panel discussions & guest lecturers.

UCD Advocacy & Mooting

Maintained a keen interest in advocacy throughout my undergraduate degree as a result of participating in public speaking competitions in school. Competed as a team and individually in university moot competitions on topics such as medical negligence and contract law.

Volunteering

Extensive volunteering and fundraising work across Ireland with charities such as the 'Irish Guide Dogs for the Blind' & the 'Beaumont Hospital Foundation', including working at events such as the annual 'Mizen2Malin' charity cycle, and the RDS Horse Show.

Piano, Grade 7

Distinction awards at the highest level of examinations from the Royal Irish Academy of Music.

Languages

English (Native Language)

French (B2 - Professional Proficiency. Spent three months on exchange in France as part of a comprehensive language course.)

Irish (B1 - Conversational Proficiency)