**Darragh Regan**

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**Personal Statement**

As a keen and enthusiastic law graduate, I am seeking an apprenticeship position within your firm. I have an interest in a role which will offer challenging opportunities and the chance to maximise my potential. Being **honest** and **reliable** with **highly developed interpersonal skills**, allows me to communicate with colleagues and clients alike in an appropriate and professional manner**. I pride myself in being able to** **work on my own initiative and adapt well to new situations and tasks.** I am committed to providing the highest quality of service to all.

**Education:**

**FE1s Obtained To Date:**  Tort, Criminal & Property.

**FE1s Completed To Date:** Constitutional, Company & Contract. (Pending Official Results)

**Third Level**: Bachelor of Civil Law (BCL)
Dublin City University.

2013-2016

Graduated in Top 20 of Class with a 2.1

**Secondary**: St. Nathy’s College
 Ballaghaderreen
 Co.Roscommon

2007-2013

**Legal Academic Experience:**

**Andrew Jackson Law Firm, England-** June 2014

* Worked along side a number of solicitors in a range of specialisms (Family,Property,Corporate,Private Clients and Compliance).
* Gained experience in drafitng affadavits, filing documents, proof reading debentures, writing memos and legal research.
* Provided support for general duties within the office, such as attendance/minute taking, dealing with client queries, taking phone calls and emailing in a busy office environment.
* Gained valuable experience regarding court procedure, and appropriate judicial interction
* Witnessed the drawing up of wills. Also learnt the duties of a solicitor when a person dies intestate.
* Learnt about various legal challenges that arise within a large law firm and the complexities that can arise when client expectaions are not met.
* Supported a family law solicitor during client interviews.
* Attended custody case hearings.

**Free Legal Advice Centre (FLAC)-** October 2013-May 2016

* Attended training seminars which focused on areas including Employment Law, Consumer & Criminal Law, Public Order Offences and the Legal Relationship between the Landlord and Tenant.
* Assisted fully qualified solicitors/barristers during clinics in which legal advice would be offered to members of the public.
* Skills obtained include: Legal Review Skills, Legal Researching, Case Research and Experience with Clients.

**Voluntary Work:**

**SUAS Volunteer Programme-**September 2013- December 2013

* Volunteered weekly at Virgin Mary Boy’s Primary School in Ballymun with a literacy support scheme.
* Had responsibility for supporting two chidlren to develop confidence in their literacy skills

**Key Achievements:**

* Class Represenative DCU 2015-2016
* Received a first class honours result in my final year group project which proposed legislation regarding the publication of private sexual images.

**Previous Employment:**

**SuperValu-** September 2016-present

* Working full time as a cashier. I deal with customer conflicts in a manner that ensures a high standard of customer service.

**Outback Steakhouse-** July 2016-September 2016

* Worked as a waitress at Outback Steakhouse. My effective use of time management in a fast paced environment as well as a demonstration of positive energy was vital during this employment.

**Trispace Catering-** October 2015- December 2015

* Worked as a waitress for different events that took place on DCU campus. These events included the graduation ceremony and Christmas parties.