

# Emma Creaven

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## Education

### 2015 FE-1 Candidate

### 2014-2015 NUI Galway- LL.B (Bachelor of Laws) Obtained 1.1 (70.00)

**Subjects:** Administrative Law 71%, Administrative Law II 70%, Banking Law 67%, Criminal Law I 64%, Criminal Law II 68%, Equity I 65%, Equity II 77%, Law of the Sea 75%, Media Law 68%, Land Law I 71%, Land Law II 70%, Legal Essay 70%

### 2011-2014 NUI Galway- Bachelor of Corporate Law, Obtained 1.1 (73.37) 1st in the class.

**3rd Year Subjects:** Labour Law I 70%, Labour Law II 74%, Insurance Law 70%, Environmental Law 75%, Legal and Business Ethics 74%, Health and Safety Law 63%, International Trade Law 73%, Comparative Competition Law 73%, Industrial and Intellectual Property Law 72%, Employment Relations 76%, Cross Cultural Management 83%

**2nd Year Subjects:** Commercial Law 72%, Company Law I 74%, Company Law II 70%, European Union Law I 72%, European Union Law II 70%, Principles of Microeconomics 77%, Principles of Macroeconomics 80%, Management 75%, Business Finance 84%, Marketing Principles 66%, Management of Organisational Change 72%, Legal Essay 74% (*“Critically assess A, B and C v Ireland [2010] ECHR 2032, what must Ireland do now in order to comply with this judgment?”*)

**1st Year Subjects:** Tort Law 77%, Constitutional Law 74%, Contract Law 70%, Irish Legal Systems 70%, Legal Methods and Research 79%, Accounting 86%, Management Information Systems 70%

### 2011-2013 NUI Galway- Dioplóma sa Ghaeilge (Dlí) Obtained 2.1

### 2006-2011 Dominican College, Galway, Leaving Certificate 560 points.

Higher Level: Irish (A1), French (A1), Geography (A1), Biology (A2), Accounting (A2), English (B2), Mathematics (A1, Ordinary Level)

## Work Experience

**October 2015 – present: Academic tutor for Contract, Tort & Property Law, School of Law, NUI Galway**

**June 2015 Summer Intern, A&L Goodbody, Corporate Department-Mergers & Acquisitions**

- Conversion of companies under the new Companies Act.
- Prepared memos

- Conducted research to assist in the preparation of commercial transactions, mostly in relation to the new Companies Act 2014.
- Verification of documents for a capital raise.
- Carried out CRO filing.
- Reviewed contracts and amended terms, whilst liaising with other departments.
- Assisted with the verification, copy checking and preparation of booklets & documents with the litigation department, for various high profile cases.

**2012-present: Member of the Counting staff for the Galway West Constituency.**

**2013-2014 Legal Intern, Berwick Solicitors, Galway.**

- Drafted letters to clients and prepared case briefs, and had documents sworn.
- Engaged in general office duties, such as photocopying and managing reception.
- Processed client payments.
- Conducted legal research to assist in the preparation of cases.

**Voluntary work: Mentor Leader** on the Mentor Connect Programme NUI Galway (2014), and **FLAC student legal advisor** (2014).

## **Skills**

**Leadership:** Developed through the role of Mentor Leader at NUI Galway.

**Communication:** Developed as part of the role of Mentor Leader and as a FLAC volunteer, and also from communicating with the Returning Officer of the Galway West Constituency in the various referenda and elections.

**Teamwork:** Developed through previous internship experience, when preparing files and case briefs, and from working to achieve targets with fellow Mentor Leaders.

## **Interests**

**Golf:** frequent golfer at the Glenlo Abbey Hotel and Golf Club.

**Reading:** in particular fiction and biographies.

**Swimming:** member of Kingfisher Club NUI Galway.

## **Achievements**

Awarded an Entrance Scholarship to NUI Galway in 2011, based on my Leaving Certificate Results.

University Scholar at NUI Galway for the academic year of 2011/2012 and 2012/2013 due to 1st and 2nd year results.

Presidential award (ALIVE Certificate) in 2014 and 2013 for volunteering as a Mentor Leader and Mentor at NUI Galway.

Completion of a Basic Irish Sign Language Certificate in 2014, certified by the Centre for Sign Language Studies Galway.

Recipient of a SIPTU Second Level Senior Cycle Scholarship (2010/2011).

Selected to represent Dominican College Galway in a drama at the National Concert Hall, Dublin, to mark 800 years of the Dominican Order in Ireland in 2007.

## **Referees**

Mr David Higgins, Partner at Berwick Solicitors, Galway.

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