**Emma Stout**

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**Education**

**2015-16** The Law Society FE1 exams

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Company 70 Property 63

Criminal 69 Equity 61

Constitutional 62 Tort 54

Contract 61 EU 51

**2014-15** The Honourable Society of King’s Inns Diploma in Legal Studies 2.1

**2006-09** St. Patrick’s College, Drumcondra Bachelor of Education2.1

**2000-06** Malahide Community School Leaving Certificate 490 points

**Work Experience**

**St. Andrew’s N.S., Malahide, Co Dublin June 2017 – present**

* Employed as a permanent primary school teacher with particular responsibility for a range of children on the autism spectrum including Asperger’s syndrome.

**KPMG, 1 Harbourmaster Place, Dublin 1 June – July 2016**

* Worked within a team of KPMG professionals reporting ultimately to Conor O'Brien, Head of Tax & Legal.
* Carried out research in relation to personal and corporate taxation issues, and succession tax including CAT.
* Conducted cross-border reviews of double tax treaties in relation to aviation leasing structures for Irish leasing client companies.
* Conducted research and compiled charts and grids in relation to tax residency issues for persons and companies.
* Gained valuable experience working with professional advisors in a client context.
* Worked in teams with hierarchical structures of PQE expertise, learning how these teams work best together and how to interact within them at my level.
* Drafted memos based on the research I conducted, and collated data collected into digestible formats for more senior team members.

**Grant Thornton, 24-26 City Quay, Dublin 2. May 2016**

* Worked in a practical, hands-on role within this team.
* Responsible for a large number of assets within a distressed portfolio being managed by GT in receivership. As these were primarily real property assets (residential and commercial) I was required to assess legal ownership from public/searchable sources, verify vacant possession or lease status and generally maintain income through securing rental streams with agents or prepare for sale (including securing and repairing the assets, and liaising with agents to sell). The sales process included instructing agents on valuation, survey, BER requirements and sales commissions.
* Worked within a corporate team structure environment but was given significant autonomy to work within instructed parameters, budgets and client requirements.
* Interaction with a wide variety of external agents and advisors from diverse backgrounds.
* Exercised initiative in difficult situations and was proactive in problem-solving.

**Department of Education and Skills September 2015 – June 2017**

* Worked as a substitute teacher in a variety of Dublin primary schools during FE1 studies.

**St. Andrew’s N.S., Malahide, Co Dublin August 2009 – June 2015**

* Employed as a permanent primary school teacher.
* Prepared daily, fortnightly and long-term education plans in accordance with department curriculum guidelines.
* Taught the full curriculum daily.
* Liaised with psychologists and other professionals regarding the education of students with special needs.
* Conducted assessment and evaluation of the student’s progress and communication with parents and colleagues regarding pupils’ progress.
* Collaborated with colleagues on a daily basis as part of a team.

**Elverys Sports, Swords, Co Dublin October 2008 – August 2009**

* Employed as a sales associate, acquired knowledge of sports organisations, associations, apparel and equipment.
* Reconciled cash upon close of business each day.

**H Samuel Jeweller, Swords, Co Dublin May 2006 – September 2009**

* Sales associate, acquired knowledge of high quality jewellery, good salesmanship and customer service.
* Reconciled cash upon close of business each day.

**Landry’s Inc. Bubba Gump, Times Square, NY Summer 2008**

* Employed on J1 visa as a waitress as part of a diverse, multinational team, serving customers from all over the world.

**Café Provence, Malahide, Co Dublin 2005 – 2007**

* Employed as a waitress. Responsible for customer service and reconciliation of cash.

**Interests and Achievements**

**Music** Achieved ‘Senior Silver Medal Certificate’ from the Royal Victoria College of Music, London.

**Sign Language** Co-President of the St. Patrick’s Sign Language Society and teaching assistant to the Sign Language of Ireland tutor.

**Tag Rugby** Played in both the Heineken Tag Rugby League and for the King’s Inns Tag Rugby Team in the Summer League with the Law Society.

**European Youth Parliament** Alumnus of the Irish Debate team.

**Teacher, Beaumont Hospital School, St. Raphael’s Ward** Provided one to one tuition to children in attendance of St Raphael’s children’s ward. Gained experience working with children with special needs, children recovering from neurological surgery and children with ABI (Acquired Brain Injury). I worked in conjunction with medical professionals and staff.

**100 Minds** One of the original 100 candidates for the ***100 Minds*** project. This challenged 100 young entrepreneurial students to generate an idea to raise €1000 each for Temple Street Children’s Hospital. I raised over €1000 personally and together the project raised €138,000. https://www.100minds.org

**Languages**

Proficiency in Irish, German and conversational Irish Sign Language.