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Objectives

I am recent law graduate and have a degree in Bachelor of Civil Law. I am keen to source a challenging role in a dynamic company which will offer early responsibilities, a progressive career path and the opportunity to maximise my potential.

Education

2014 – 2017 **Dublin City University: Bachelor of Civil Law (BCL)**

First Year Results:

Law of Torts – 67%
Irish Legal System – 58%
Criminal Law – 42%
Constitutional Law – 65%
Public International Law – 65%
Foundations of Law and Legal Research – 65%
Advanced Criminal Law – 50%
Advanced Torts – 66%
Comparative Law – 61%

Second Year Results:

Moot Court – 61%
Property Law – 64%
Company Law – 61%
Contract Law – 63%
European Union Law – 52%
Advanced Contract Law – 63%
Family, Law and Society – 60%
Company Law 2 – 66%
Healthcare, Law and Society – 62%
Advanced Property – 65%
Advanced European Union Law – 64%

Third Year Results:
Equity — 65%
Trusts — 61%
Jurisprudence — 64%
Jurisprudence II — 63%
Genetics, Law and Society — 64%
International Human Rights Law — 66%
Law of Evidence — 61%
Law and Body Politics — 63%
Intellectual Property Law — 68%

2008 – 2014 **Pobalscoil Gaoth Dobhair**

Leaving Cert Results: 425 points

Experience

May 2017 - Present

Employer: FX Buckley

Position: Waitress

Responsibilities:

During my experience working in FX Buckley, I learned how to work well as a team. I developed people skills, and with the consumers mainly being tourists I was able to exercise these skills daily. Although this does not relate directly to law, I hopefully have acquired the skills to be part of a successful team in future employment.

June 2017 - August 2017

Employer: Kenny Boyd and Co Solicitors

Position: Legal Intern

Responsibilities:

While working as an intern, I worked directly with partners and associates on complex, high value work. I was provided with training and practical day-to-day experience. I had first hand experience in assisting with property and shares sales, drafting and witnessing wills, separation deeds and researching case law in particular legal areas. I was responsible for answering phones and dealing directly with clients who entered the practice. I organised client files and read intensively into each case.

April 2013 – April 2017

Employer: Golden Dragon Restaurant

Position: Waitress

Responsibilities:

Working as a waitress I have dealt directly with the general public through which I have acquired excellent people skills. I quickly learned to work as a member of a team and got on well with the other members of staff. It helped me become more independent and my wages help me fund university course. I was also responsible for ordering stock for the restaurant and managing the daily accounts.

June 2014 – August 2014

Employer: Tobar Training Centre

Position: Volunteer

Responsibilities:

During my volunteer work at the Tobar Training Centre I worked with both young and old people with special needs. I learned to adapt to the needs of all age groups. I took part in fundraising and the day to day life of the centre where I worked directly with those with special needs. Although I was working as part of a team we were each assigned to do one to one work which I found fulfilling.

September 2013 – April 2014

Employer: Irish Wheelchair Association

Position: Volunteer

Responsibilities:

During my time volunteering at the Irish Wheelchair association I learned how to cater for the needs of others and was part of a hard working team. I helped during fundraising for the association such as bag packing and ticket selling which further enhanced my teamwork skills. I learned to understand how difficult it was on a daily basis for people with disabilities.

Additional Achievements

As I grew up in a Gaeltacht I am fluent in the Irish Language and went to Gaeilge speaking primary and secondary schools. I have a certificate in ECDL which taught me various computer skills.. I also have a certificate in first aid and life-saving.

References

References are available upon request.