# Kevin Barrett

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# Education

2010 - 2016 CBS Kilkenny

2016 – Present University College Dublin

Leaving Certificate (595 points)
Business & Law

#### Achievements

# At CBS Kilkenny

- McFadden Medal Winner (Historical award for the 6<sup>th</sup> year student who has contributed the most to life in the school over the years) and Student of the Year in 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2015.
- Elected to the Student Council and served on the Public Relations team
- Former captain of the CBS Kilkenny Irish language debating team

### As part of a team

- Third Place at the BT Young Scientist for Biological & Ecological Sciences at Intermediate Level
- National Semi-finalist in the Concern All Ireland team debating competition
- Second place at the Feachtas Tráth na gCeist National Final

### On a personal level

- Recipient of the Tony O'Brien Scholarship Award and the UCD Bord na Gaeilge Scoláireacht Scéim Cónaithe twice (Irish speaking residence scholarship)
- Recipient of the Gasice bronze medal for community work and personal development
- Best Website Design at the Eir Junior Spiders in 2015, and nominated five times over three years in other categories
- Served as Public Relations Officer and Records Secretary with LawSoc (one of the largest university societies in Ireland) and Treasurer of the Irish Language Society, An Cumann Gaelach, in UCD.
- Twice semi-finalist of the Irish Times debating competition

# **Work Experience**

UCD College of Social Sciences and Law (June 2018 - Present)

• After a summer internship, I continue to work as a marketing intern in UCD to promote degrees and events managed by the college. My role involved video editing, graphic design, developing ad campaigns and social media management.

UCD Career Development Centre (September 2018 – January 2019)

- As a Career Ambassador, I promoted career workshops and job events to my fellow students.
- Gaelchultúr (September 2017 Present)
  - As a fluent Irish language speaker, I work part time in the evenings assisting Irish language classes and occasionally supervise examinations.

### Eurocamp (Summer 2017)

• I spent a summer in France working as a holiday courier on a campsite. I was tasked with cleaning and preparing mobiles, dealing with maintenance issues, checking in customers & responding to any problems or inquiries guests had.

Education First (June 2018 – August 2018)

• My role as an excursion leader involved being responsible for groups of 60 English language students and giving tours of significant landmarks in Ireland.

#### References

Derek O'Brien Academic Administrator
Emma Donovan Marketing Manager, UCD

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