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Educational Qualifications

LL.M. International Commercial Law (2016-2017) University College Dublin

Course Outline:

Corporate Governance; Patent Law; International Tax Law; Regulatory Governance; Trade Mark Law; Law of Conflicts; and Research Project.

B.Sc. (Hons) Business & Law (2012-2016) **2.1 Honours** Dublin Institute of Technology

- Graduated in the Top 5 of my class.

Final Year Subjects:

Employment Law, Evidence Law, European Human Rights Law, Civil Procedure, Global Strategic Management*, Law Research Dissertation

*Involved in various group case-study projects presented for peers and academic evaluation.

Undergraduate Thesis

‘The Evolution of Workplace Gender Equality Within The European Union: Ireland’s Perspective.’

- Undertook in-depth literature review of journals and academic texts;
- Consistently challenged and appraised the findings in these texts;
- Consulted with various Lecturers that would be specialised in this area in order to gain a greater knowledge through receiving feedback;
- Analysed findings and submitted recommendations for future changes on this issue; and
- Ensured work was completed in a timely manner by finishing three weeks prior to deadline for submission.

Leaving Certificate (2012) – Clonkeen College, Blackrock, Co. Dublin.

Honours: Business (B3), Economics (B3), Maths (C3), French (C3), Geography (C3)

Pass: English (B1), Irish (C1) Common: L.C.V.P (Merit)

Work Experience / Key Responsibilities

Legal Assistant (July 2016)

Andrew D. King BL, Dublin

- Identifying appropriate laws regarding cases that Mr King was working on at the time;
- Assisting Mr King in researching articles, precedents set by the courts and any other relevant material for his aforementioned cases; and
- Accompanying Mr King while he was meeting with clients and took notes regarding the content of same.

Legal Intern (Banking) (July 2015)

McCann FitzGerald, Dublin

- Creating bibles of recently completed transactions to be filed in case of future necessity;
- Attending Trainee Solicitor workshops to gain a greater insight to the operation of the firm;
- Printing and filing paperwork to be used by Associates and Partners; and
- Attend court with a partner from the Litigation department to experience other aspects of the work that the firm does.

Achievements and Interests

Academic Participated in many events as part of DIT's Law Society.
Completed ECDL course in Clonkeen College.

Sport Previous captain of Cabinteely FC and Park Celtic FC.
Leinster Schools Tennis Winner.
Member of Seafield Golf & Country Club.

Travel Organised and planned travel to many locations throughout Europe, United States, Hong Kong and New Zealand.

Skills Profile

Teamwork Can work independently or as part of a team to motivate, plan and build relationships – developed through college group projects, work and sport achievements.

Problem Solving Strong analytical skills and capacity for research. Ability to respectfully question others thoughts. Great attention to detail – all traits necessary for undergraduate dissertation.

Communication Deliver presentations in a concise format and express my opinion while working as a team – demonstrated in college case-studies.

Leadership Ability to motivate people around me and adopt an inclusive approach where people do not feel involved – developed through sporting achievements.

Referees

Academic Mr Sean Byrne (Research Project Supervisor) Dublin Institute of Technology. **P:** (01) 402 3204 **E:** sean.byrne@dit.ie

Work Mr Andrew King BL **E:** andrew.king@lawlibrary
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