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WORK EXPERIENCE

April 2018 – Present

DFMG SOLICITORS – DUBLIN, IRELAND

IP TRAINEE SOLICITOR

Currently working as a Trainee solicitor in the IP department under the supervision of Patricia McGovern.

- Attending meetings, calls and drafting correspondence with clients
- Participating in mediations, negotiations with clients and counterparties
- Reviewing agreements and documents
- Conducting legal research on relevant laws and regulations concerning diverse aspects of Intellectual Property Law, assessing potential infringements and passing off
- Conducting trade mark searches and drafting search reports, filing trade mark and design applications on Irish Patent Office and EUIPO websites
- Drafting Notices of Opposition and cease and desist letters

June 2016 – March 2018

PERANI POZZI ASSOCIATI LAW FIRM – MILAN, ITALY

IP LEGAL TRAINEE

Successfully completed the traineeship deepening my knowledge and specialising in Intellectual Property Law.

- Mainly focused on trade mark issues and litigation
- Drafted complaints, plea and appeals before the District Court and the Court of Appeal
- Attended the related hearings
- Conducted legal research on relevant laws and regulations concerning diverse aspects of Intellectual Property Law
- Drafted legal advices
- Reviewed documents on unfair competition, designs, patents, trade secrets, copyrights and agreements (e.g., licence, distribution, settlement, non-disclosure – “NDA”, assignment)
- Participated in negotiations with clients, counterparties and drafted correspondence
- Translated agreements from Italian to English and vice versa
- Collaborated with patent attorneys and engineers (working for the firm) on design as well as patent issues

November 2015 – June 2016

CREA AVVOCATI ASSOCIATI LAW FIRM – MILAN, ITALY

LEGAL TRAINEE

Traineeship focused on Intellectual Property Law covering, in particular, trade marks, copyright and design law.

Additional fields concerned:

- Unfair competition
- IT and data protection
- Civil and commercial law
- Arbitration and alternative dispute resolution

- Litigation
- Out-of-court issues, settlements and various agreements
- Participated in negotiations with clients, counterparties and drafted correspondence
- Translated agreements from Italian to English and vice versa
- Carried out legal research in several branches

March 2011 – June 2012

SORGATO LAW FIRM – MILAN, ITALY

LEGAL INTERN

Legal internship carried out during the academic programme, focused on criminal law.

- Drafted legal documents and memoranda on criminal law
- Carried out legal research and provided support to diverse criminal litigations
- Constantly assisted at trial and judicial settlements
- Lodged plea and appeals in the Registry of the Court of Milan
- Took part in the procedural negotiations with judges regarding the defence of clients

EDUCATION

2014-2015

TRINITY COLLEGE DUBLIN, IRELAND

MASTER OF LAWS – *INTERNATIONAL AND EUROPEAN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW*

Attended a one-year full time LL.M. in International and European Intellectual Property Law programme at the Trinity College Dublin (Ireland).

Overall GPA II.1

Relevant modules attended:

- Creative works and Intellectual Property
- EU trade mark law
- Freedom of expression and Intellectual Property
- International and comparative analysis of unfair competition and trade mark law
- Intellectual Property law & sport
- EU copyright, patent and design law

Final thesis on “Geographical indications and designations of origin. An analysis over the EU protection on agricultural products and foodstuffs” (25.000 words), with first class honour.

2008-2014

UNIVERSITY OF MILAN, ITALY

JURIS DOCTOR – *LAW*

Attended a five-years full time JD in Law programme at the University of Milan (Italy).

Overall GPA II.1

Final thesis on Intellectual Property Law: “The criminal law on the protection of design”, carried out after the five-years path, in nine months (85.000 words).

SKILLS

- Attention to detail
- Written and verbal communication
- Curiosity and enthusiasm
- Teamwork

- Problem solving
- Socialising
- Ability to work under and manage pressure

Computer skills: Mac and Windows systems; Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Power Point).

ACTIVITIES

- Attended the workshop “Towards a new legislation on Intellectual Property in the digital single market. Proposal for a new framework under INOFSOC and IPRED directives”. EU Parliament, Brussels (Belgium), March 3rd, 2015
- Attended the workshop “European patent: a variable geometry right? Limitation and amendments of claims during litigation”. Court of Milan (Italy), June 27-28th, 2014
- Created and managed a football team, selecting twenty players among Trinity College international students. Captained, registered and participated in the “Trinity Mega League” (11-a-side Trinity College domestic league). Dublin (Ireland), season 2014-2015

INTERESTS

- Travelling
- Football
- Sailing
- Ancient art
- Opera and theatre

LANGUAGES

- Italian (native)
- English (fluent)
- French and German (elementary/intermediate)

REFERENCES

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Upon request I may attach reference letters issued by all the above mentioned professionals whom I collaborated with.