**Oisin Murphy**

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**Profile:**

I am a highly motivated, diligent and dedicated Law and Political Science graduate from Trinity College Dublin who has acquired ample legal experience. Throughout my degree and previous employment positions, I maintained a high degree of initiative and self-motivation by challenging myself to undertake duties above and beyond what was expected of me. I am familiar with working in a busy, demanding work environment and I continue to be methodical and adopt a systematic approach to work and see all tasks through to fruition.

**Legal Work Experience**

**Motor Insurers Bureau of Ireland June 2018 – Present**

I currently work as an Administration Assistant in the Claims Department. I ensure that all information regarding accidents in Ireland involving an untraced, uninsured or a foreign registered vehicle is submitted onto our internal system precisely, timely and accurately. My responsibilities extend to include regularly corresponding with solicitors, claimants and insurance companies alike.

**IDA Regional Office, Athlone, Co. Westmeath December 2017 – March 2018**

I was employed as an assistant legal executive for the IDA Property team. My role primarily encompassed organizing both hard and soft copies of deeds to properties owned and controlled by the IDA. I was further exposed to other legal issues such as insurance matters as a direct consequence of being in regular communication with the in-house solicitors. My time working for such a prominent semi-State body in a legal capacity was an incredible opportunity to develop the required skills for a career as a solicitor.

**Hoey and Denning Solicitors**, **Tullamore, Co. Offaly September 2016**

Throughout my time at Hoey and Denning, I was involved in court preparation, administrative work, and running errands for the partners. It provided me with further insight into the daily routine of solicitors, which has enhanced my desire to pursue a career as one.

**Ronan Daly Jermyn Solicitors, Galway Office July 2016**

I accepted an offer to intern with Ronan Daly Jermyn in their Galway office. This four week programme was a fascinating and valuable experience that solidified my interest in becoming a corporate lawyer. I worked predominately in the Corporate Property section, but often assisted with Employment work too. My responsibilities included drafting documents, research, attending court, running errands, and even writing articles for the company's newsletter.

**Patrick Hogan & Co. Solicitors, Ballinasloe Co. Galway Summer months of 2012, 2013 and 2014**

I worked as an office assistant at a local solicitors firm which involved filing, photocopying, signing wills, updating databases and running other errands. I was also afforded the opportunity to correspond with the solicitors/partners regularly.

**Other Work Experience**

**Garbally College, Ballinasloe, Co. Galway June 2015**

I was assigned to the role of supervising at a specialist centre for the Leaving Certificate in 2015. It was my duty to read the examination papers to the candidate, and ensure all tests were completed honestly and fairly.

**Self Employed Grinds Teacher 2013-2018**

I previously gave grinds in Maths, Accounting and Business to both Leaving and Junior Certificate students. This position required organising regular one to one tuition sessions with my students where I ensured that the information was effectively communicated to them.

**Education:**

**FE-1 Examinations, Law Society of Ireland October 2017 – March 2018**

October 2017 – Company Law (54), EU Law (57), Contract Law (58), Equity (52)

March 2018 – Criminal Law (70), Constitutional Law (68), Torts (54), Property Law (57)

**Trinity College, School of Law, Dublin 2 September 2013 – May 2017**

**Law and Political Science - LL.B. (Political Science)**

First Year 2:1 Second Year 2:2

Third Year 2:1 Fourth Year 2:1

**Third Year Results:**

Equity 69 (2:1), EU Law 68 (2:1), Administrative Law 66 (2:1), Political Violence 61 (2:1) Democracy and Development 55 (2:2) Irish Politics 58 (2:2)

**Fourth Year Results:**

Company Law 64 (2:1), Evidence 67 (2:1), Jurisprudence 68 (2:1), Tax Law 65 (2:1), Commercial Law 66 (2:1), International Trade Law 64 (2:1), Corporate Governance 71 (1:1)

**Overall Grade: 65% (2:1)**

**Garbally College, Ballinasloe, Co. Galway -Leaving Certificate (590 Points) 2011 – 2013**

Mathematics (A1) Business (A1) Geography (A1) Accounting (A2) French (A2) Irish (B1) English (B3)

**Personal achievements**

* I am the recipient of three scholarships, based on my Leaving Certificate results: The All-Ireland Scholarships, Trinity College Entrance Award and Barra Flynn Memorial scholarship.
* In 2012, I was offered and accepted the opportunity to attend special Maths and Science classes in NUIG to represent Ireland, as a result of my Junior Certificate results.
* I was successful in securing second place in Ireland for World Maths Day competition in 2012, with my class winning the over-all group award.
* I have a keen interest in the Irish language. I won scholarships to attend the Gaeltacht for three years in succession. I was a member of the Gael Linn debating team reaching the All-Ireland Final in 2011. In addition, I was part of a team which was runner up in the All Ireland Feachtas Quiz in 2013.
* In 2012 and 2013 I was awarded Student of the Year at Garbally College.

**Interests and activities**

I am an avid reader, and I have a keen interest in politics both nationally and internationally.

I follow many sports, particularly rugby, soccer, GAA. I enjoy playing tennis, golf, and swim regularly.

I have reached grade 8 on the piano with the Associates Boards of the Royal School of Music.

### References

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