# **Rachel McQuillan**

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# **EDUCATION**

#### 2019-2022 Technological University Dublin

Bachelor of Laws (LLB) | Final Year award classification: 1.1November 2022Relevant modules:Final year: law and technology (70%), administrative law (75%), equity (68%)Second year: competition law (66%), employment law (67%), company law (64%), property law (70%), constitutional law (62%), European law (68%)First year: family law (56%), tort law (53%), criminal law (60%), contract law (54%)

#### 2018-2019 The Dublin Academy of Education

Leaving certificate: English (H4), Irish (H5), maths (O4), French (H4), geography (H3), economics (H3), agricultural science (H3), biology (H3) Leaving certificate points: 440

#### 2012-2018 Dominican College Sion Hill

#### Awards:

- Employee of the month September 2023 & April 2024 Elephant and Castle Bray
- Third place in the Sion Hill Albertus Magnus speech writing competition 2018
- Gaisce bronze award 2017

## WORK EXPERIENCE

#### Legal

**Hussey Fraser Solicitors** 

Work experience

January- March 2017

- 9 weeks transition year work experience in Hussey Fraser Solicitors.
- Primarily responsible for administration and organisation.
- I gained valuable experience working in a legal environment.
- Observed meetings with clients and gained familiarity with various relevant statutes and case law.

## Non-Legal

## Deloitte

Tax summer internship

June 2023- August 2023

- During my internship at Deloitte, I had the opportunity to work with key clients, including some of the firm's largest and most prestigious clients.
- I was privileged to be asked to complete specialised training for one of the firm's largest clients, tailored to meet their unique requirements
- I completed projects in the following areas;
  - A sensitive redundancy that necessitated precision
  - A tax planning project ensuring the accuracy of a substantial lump sum payment

## **Elephant and Castle Bray**

Head waitress

- June 2022- September 2024
- Promoted to head waitress following being awarded employee of the month
- Developed leadership skills in this busy team based role.
- Ensuring problems are solved in a timely manner to the customer's satisfaction

#### **Costa Coffee Shankill**

Barista

November 2021-March 2022

- This role introduced me to large company systems and processes in a target driven environment.
- This required accuracy and speed whilst still delivering excellent customer service.
- Worked efficiently as part of a team to ensure smooth running of the café.

#### The Anchor Bray

Front of House

July 2021-October 2021

- Responsible for taking food and drink orders in a timely manner.
- This was a customer faced role and refined skills learned in my previous employment.

#### Camile Thai

Front Counter Associate

November 2019- July 2021

- Over time, I grew my role to include the following
  - Handling cash
  - Opening and closing
  - Training new staff members
  - Completing cash sheets
  - Managing the procurement system on behalf of the staff

# **HOBBIES & INTERESTS**

Hobbies: Sea swimming, piano, pottery

Interests: reading, podcasts, French (completed a course in Lutèce Langue in May 2023)

## REFERENCES

Available upon request