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**Education**

**University College Dublin,** *Ireland*  **2016-2020**
BCL Law with History **First Class Honours (1.1)**  - Developed legal research skills, knowledge of Irish law, European Union Law

**University of Vienna,** *Vienna, Austria*  **2019**
- Erasmus participation on International and European Legal Studies Program

**Scariff Community College,** *Co. Clare, Ireland* **2010-2016** - I was awarded 540 points in my Leaving Certificate

**Work Experience**

**Leahy Reidy Solicitors,** *Limerick* **2019**

* I worked as a legal intern in Leahy Reidy Solicitors. I performed tasks such as researching cases, draft client letters. I was mainly involved in property and conveyancing issues, but I also got exposure to employment and ward of court applications.

**Mount Anville GAA Coaching**

* I am currently coaching fifth and sixth class in Gaelic football during the school term.

**Rodgers Centra,** *Scariff***,** *Co Clare* **2015 - 2018**

* I have worked on a part time basis during the college year and a full-time basis during the Summer months in a local grocery shop.

**Cúl Camps,** *Clare*  **2016-2018**

* During the Summer of 2016 and 2018, I was a coach in Cúl Camps. I taught children between the ages of 5-13 the basic GAA skills. This role required impeccable communication and leadership skills.

**Mentoring,** *UCD*  **2017**

* In 2017, I mentored the incoming first year students in UCD who were entering the Law with History programme, showing them around campus and advising them about their course and UCD life in general.

**London School,** *Rovereto, Italy* **2017**

* In the Summer of 2017, I travelled to Northern Italy where I taught children English with London School Rovereto. I taught various age groups grammar rules which improved their spoken English in a summer camp.

**Personal Achievements**

* I achieved 540 points in my Leaving Cert examination in 2016, the second highest in my school.
* I received the Merit award from the LCETB (Limerick Clare Educational Training Board) after completing secondary school. This award was made by my teachers for category of student who contributed most to student life during my six years.
* I have been a part of various intercounty and club camogie teams, who have achieved success. My biggest success to date was in 2019, where we won the Clare Senior County Championship for the first team and were the first Clare team in thirty years to win the Munster Senior County Club Championship.
* I also have captained various teams throughout my camogie career, most notably I captained the U21 team to Under 21A success in 2019.
* I took part in a corporate law trip to London with UCD School of Law.

**IT and Language Skills**

* I also have completed the ECDL programme (European Computer Driving Licence).
* I have an intermediate standard in both Irish and German. I have completed the A standard in German.
* I worked at the Student Legal Service volunteer clinic offering students legal advice.

**Other Skills**

* I possess good team working skills, having played golf and soccer as a child and having played camogie for the majority of my life. I feel that by playing these sports I am a very good team player and have learned to adapt well to a competitive environment.
* Having had numerous part time jobs in both retail and the education sector, I believe my communication skills to be very good. In stressful and time sensitive situations I ensure my instructions and communications are clear and concise.
* I also am a punctual person with good time management skills. I displayed such skills in early morning shifts and also in lesson and exercise planning when teaching and playing GAA.

**Interests**

* I have a keen interest in current affairs and have deep love of history.
* I am a very active person. I enjoy swimming and running, playing golf and hiking. I am also a keen camogie player and have represented my local club and county.
* I am a keen traveller, having visited many countries in Europe, Asia, New Zealand and the US, with many plans to visit more.

**References**

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