REBECCA CLEERE

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EXPERIENCE

Eversheds Sutherland, Dublin — Summer Intern (Data, IP and Technology)

May 2023 - August 2023

- Strengthened commercial awareness by curating a weekly industry newsletter on data and IP trends, while also gaining insights into industry risks and clients at Eversheds Global Tech Summit.
- Drafted service agreements, conducted due diligence and populated reports, prepared documents for CRO and wrote research memos for clients.
- Led a successful group social media recruitment campaign, securing a second-place finish, while serving as the head of finances.

English Lessons via Zoom, Online — TEFL Teacher (Part-Time Job)

June 2020 - April 2023

- Qualified as TEFL teacher (100 hour online course), taught 136 students to date and over 1000 hours of classes.
- Collaborated with experienced teachers to create audio and visual teaching aids.
- Fostered ongoing relationships with students, guiding them through an average six-month learning journey, while maintaining eleven students from my initial cohort.
- Teaching 11 hours a week during term time, and full time during summers.

The Networking Institute, Dublin — Diaspora Policy Analyst

June 2022 - August 2022

Published targeted and original research on African diaspora policy (20 pages and 8,000 words), which was used to advise the Irish Government on development strategies and policy goals in the region.

- Organised meetings with the Networking Institute, UCD Clinton Institute and hosted interviews with senior academics and policymakers in Ireland and Africa.
- Presented the research to diplomats and analysts involved in the diaspora community.
- Improved service delivery through analysing current diaspora strategies, and provided insight into improving these policies.
- Reviewed and assembled files of existing diaspora legislation for the Networking Institute.

Barry Healy and Company Solicitors, Phibsborough — Legal Assistant

October 2021 - January 2022

- Prepared legal documents for partners and reviewed paperwork, drafted notes of attendance for senior counsel and issued notices of court proceedings to clients.
- Accompanied partners to court sessions and mediations and met with clients.
- Performed case research on personal injury and medical negligence.
- Input client information into legal databases and compiled hard copy files.

Institute of Cultural Relations Policy, Budapest (Remote)— Research Internship

June 2020 - August 2020

- Authored and published a 10 page academic paper on domestic violence law in Iraq as a result of COVID19, which was published in ICRPs Quarterly Human Rights Journal
- Contributed 12 articles and blog posts on Middle Eastern law and women's rights.
- Collaborated with Human Rights Quarterly Review editors, and revised various submissions and projects.

LEADERSHIP

Editor in Chief - MENA Review.

Deputy Editor in Chief - The University Times.

Legal Research Officer - TCD Free Legal Advice Centre.

AWARDS

WASHINGTON IRELAND (FINALIST 2021)

Qualified for the final round of a prestigious US-Ireland internship programme.

IVEAGH FELLOWSHIP RECIPIENT 2022

One of five national recipients of a prestigious Department of Foreign Affairs award to students involved in international affairs and policy. Received an award of 5,000euro.

LANGUAGES

Spanish (Fluent)

Arabic (Intermediate)

PUBLISHED RESEARCH

The Increase in Domestic Violence in Iraq as a Result of COVID19 — ICRP Human Rights Series

Published as part of my internship with Institute of Cultural Relations Policy, Budapest.

The Sands Hotel, Tramore— Waitress

June 2020 - August 2020

- Worked in a busy team of 20 staff, serving an average of 100 customers per day.
- Responsible for serving customers, cleaning tables and pouring drinks.
- Promoted to breakfast supervisor; responsible for managing 2 staff members and overseeing breakfast shifts.

EDUCATION

Trinity College Dublin — *B.A Middle Eastern and European Languages and Cultures* SEPTEMBER 2020 - MAY 2024

GRADE: 2.1

SEMESTERS ABROAD: UNIVERSITY OF GRANADA, SPAIN (AUTUMN 2022) HEBREW UNIVERSITY OF JERUSALEM, ISRAEL (SPRING 2023)

LINK:

http://culturalrelations.org/Resources/2022/ICRP_Human_Rights_Issues_2022-01.pdf

Gendered Issues in Irish Law and Policy and Disability Rights— TCD Free Legal Advice Centre

Edited and formatted two 40,000 word projects as part of my role with FLAC.

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