Curriculum Vitae of Robert Dinan

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I am a final year Law International student in UCC. In third year, I completed an exchange with East China University of Political Science and Law in Shanghai. From my previous experience interning at an international commercial law firm, to debating in the University World Championships, I believe I have the necessary attributes to make a great commercial lawyer.

**Education**

**Christian Brothers College (CBC), Sidney Hill, Cork**

**Leaving Certifcate 554 points**

**Law International**

**University College Cork**

 1st Year 2.1

 2nd year 2.1

 3rd year 1.1

**East China University of Political Science and Law**

* One of China’s most prestigious law schools 2019/20 academic year

**Experience**

**Legal Intern | AllBright Law Offices, Shanghai | September 2019 - January 2020**

I undertook an internship in the arbitration department of one of Asia’s leading commercial law firms. I edited the English translations of contracts, emails and memos for international clients. This role also entailed researching and contributing to the firm’s newsletter in the form of journal articles.

**Intern | Irish Chamber of Commerce, Shanghai | December 2019 - February 2020**

The Irish Chamber of Commerce in Shanghai seeks to aid and connect Irish business people in Shanghai. My role with the organisation was to contact Irish companies looking to enter the Chinese market, to facilitate a connection with Chinese suppliers. I also helped to design the Chamber’s newsletter.

**Merchandising Assistant | PRL Group | June to August 2018**

This job entailed the delivery and stocking of goods in stores throughout Munster. The daily interaction with different store managers further im[roved my communication skills and gave me an understanding of how to satisfy the needs of varied clients.

**Waiter/Server Nandos Restaurant, Vancouver, Canada May 2019-August 2019**I worked at Nandos in Kerrisdale, Vancouver. This job entailed welcoming customers, taking orders and serving food. This experience improved my ability to problem solve and taught me to provide excellent customer care.

**Skills & Abilities**

 **Debating:**

* Represented Ireland at the World University Debating Championships in Cape-Town 2019.
* Represented Ireland at the European University Debating Championships in Novi Sad 2018.
* Represented UCC at inter-varsity competitions such as:
	+ Oxford IV, Cambridge IV, Imperial College London IV

**Organisational roles:**

* Vice-Auditor of UCC Philosophical (Debating) Society 2018/19
	+ This role entailed organising events at our university, inviting guest speakers and allocating our society’s budget.
* Social Officer of UCC Philosophical Society 2017/18
* Head Coach of CBC Debating Society 2015/16

**Charitable Activities:**

* Organised public speaking lessons for DEIS schools in Cork with UCC Philosoph

**Sport:**

* Winner of South Munster Rugby Clubs U16 Cup 2014/2015 and U18 Cup 2015/16
* Winner East China Rugby Cup with Shanghai Dolphins 2019/20

**Interests**

Debating, rugby, tennis, politics, film

**References**

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