

Rosalyn English

Personal Information

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Education

University: 2013 – 2017 BBL Business and Law, University College Dublin
January – May 2016 Erasmus in Université de Rouen, France

Current GPA: 3.47

Secondary Schools: 2012 – 2013 The Institute of Education
2007 – 2012 Mount Anville Secondary School

Work Experience

Intern in Anthony Joyce & Co. Solicitors

July – August 2015

- Worked alongside the solicitors and graduate trainees in the residential conveyancing area.
- Wrote articles targeted at the ordinary reader on legal topics such as licensing, the process of making a catastrophic injury claim and the PTSB tracker mortgage scandal which was very topical at the time. This involved detailed research and working to strict deadlines.
- Learned the firm's process of completing post-sale files. This involved me sourcing documents and making payments, then forwarding the necessary information to other solicitors in order for Anthony Joyce & Co.'s undertakings to be discharged.
- Prepared affidavits.

June – July 2014

- Worked in the Debt Solutions department.
- Gained practical experience in the area of personal insolvency and residential conveyancing.
- Responsible for sourcing documents from various bodies such as the Revenue, estate agents and clients to prepare and finalise submissions to the clients' banks.

Server in The Hill NYC

June – August 2016

- Worked in a fast-paced environment in Manhattan, New York.
- Demonstrated the highest standards of hospitality to guests.
- Coordinated with the bar staff, busboys and kitchen staff to ensure smooth operation.
- Broadened interpersonal skills working with customers and as part of a team from a different cultural background.

Server in TGI Friday's Dundrum

October 2013 – January 2016

- Gained invaluable people and communication skills, as well as the ability to work efficiently as part of a team in highly pressurised situations.
- Tasked with ensuring guest satisfaction and securing repeat customers.
- Promoted to server after several months working as a door host and a server assistant.

Achievements and Interests

- **Negotiation:** Currently competing in the UCD Student Legal Service (SLS) Negotiation Competition 2016. Semi Finalist in the UCD SLS Negotiation Competition 2015. As this competition involves having a partner, I further developed my team working skills. I have also gained an insight into the importance of taking all factors of the negotiation situation into account when trying to reach an agreement, such as the clients' wishes as well as legal ethics.
- **Law Forum:** Class Representative 2016-2017 and 2013-2014 for the Law modules in my course. I have the responsibility of attending Staff/Student consultative forums and communicating the comments and issues of my peers to the Law Coordinators in UCD.
- **Business Forum:** Class Representative 2016-2017 for the Business modules in my course.
- **UCD Student Legal Service:** Participating in giving student legal clinics to students with law issues, as well as being involved with the Student Legal Convention 2015.
- **Mooting:** Participated in the Cecil Lavery Mooting Competition in UCD in 2014. I worked with my teammate to prepare written submissions and then orally present said submissions to the opposing counsel in front of a judge.
- **Debating:** Reached the quarter final of the James Joyce Maiden's debating competition in UCD in 2014. This competition is run for students who have never debated at Third Level before. Having never debated before this at all, I really developed my public speaking confidence and ability through participating in this weekly event.
- **Travel:** Strong interest in travelling. I thoroughly enjoy meeting new people, especially those from different cultural backgrounds with different lifestyles. I spent the second semester of third year studying in France. From June to July, I worked in New York. In recent years, I have seen parts of Europe, the Middle East and South East Asia.
- **Tag Rugby:** Team member playing in the UCD league.
- **Hiking:** Amateur hiker.
- **French:** Keen interest in the language. I successfully completed law modules through French while I was on Erasmus.

Other Achievements

- 2016** Attended the UCD Chest Compression Training Programme.
- 2012** Captain of the Mount Anville Senior 1 badminton team.
- 2011** Obtained the Bronze Gaisce award.
- 2010** U16a Hermes hockey team, winners of the Jacqui Potter Juvenile Cup.

References available on request