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**PROFILE**

Law graduate with a Master’s degree in Intellectual Property and Information Technology Law. All FE-1 exams completed. Currently working as an English Language Teacher in Cork.

**EDUCATION**

2021 – 2022 **LL.M. of Intellectual Property and Information Technology Law**

Trinity College Dublin, Dublin, Ireland

**Final Grade:** 1.1

**Dissertation:** Law in the Cyber-Age: The Facebook Oversight Board. This required extensive research into the operations of the newly established Facebook Oversight Board and academic commentary concerning its role in monitoring Facebook in light of its role in global events.

**Core Modules**:

* LL.M International Trade Law
* LL.M International and European Copyright Law and Policy
* LL.M Data Protection Law, Policy, and Practice
* LL.M EU Media Regulation
* LL. M Regulation of Cyberspeech
* LL.M Introduction to Cyber Security Law and Policy

2017 - 2021 **Bachelor of Civil Law (Clinical)**

University College Cork (UCC), Cork, Ireland

**Final Grade:** 2.1 **Year 3 Grade:** 2:1 **Year 2 Grade:** 2:1 **Year 1 Grade:** 2:1

**Core Modules**:

* Company Law I
* Company Law II
* Contemporary Issues in Corporate Law
* Economic Law of the European Union
* Financial Services: Law and Regulation Law
* Privacy & Data Protection Law

2011 - 2017 **Leaving Certificate**

Christian Brothers College, Wellington Rd, Cork, Ireland

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

June 2024 – June 2024 **Legal** **Intern**

**O'Flynn Exhams LLP, Cork, Ireland**

Responsibilities:

* Researched regulations and legal precedents on specific technical points for the Litigation Team.
* Drafted Terms of Sale documents for the Property Team.
* Assisted a client with Data Mapping for GDPR compliance.
* Took minutes of meetings and calls with clients.
* Proof-read and filed documents.

July 2024 – Present **English Language Teacher**

June 2022 – January 2023

**Cork English College, Cork, Ireland**

Responsibilities:

* I teach both adult and teenage students of various nationalities.
* Preparation of lesson plans to ensure classes are responsive to student’s needs.
* Actively engage students to ensure a motivational class atmosphere.
* Work with colleagues to prepare instructional activities for joint classes.

February 2023 – May 2024 **English Language Teacher**

**Anh Van Hoi Viet My (VUS), Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam**

Responsibilities:

* Prepared daily lesson plans to ensure classes were structured, effective, and motivational.

September 2019 - March 2020 **Legal Research Assistant**

**Arthur Cox & Co. Law Firm, Dublin, Ireland**

Responsibilities:

* Prepared a draft of the monthly update sent to Corporate M&A clients, this is a write-up of changes in the law and relevant case law that would concern Corporate Clients.
* Collected articles of note and sent them to Corporate M&A Fee-Earners as weekly publications.
* Researched and wrote documents on various areas of Corporate M&A Law for Partners and Associates.
* Worked with the new Pro Bono Department to manage the internal data system and developed the Pro Bono internal webpage.
* Volunteered with the Immigrant Council of Ireland helpline as part of Arthur Cox Pro Bono.

**2017 - 2019 Bar Kiosk Team Leader**

Compass Catering Ltd., Cork, Ireland

**SKILLS**

* **Legal Research** – Refined in preparing my LL.M Dissertation.
* **Presentation** – Strong oratory skills are essential in my role as a language teacher.
* **Communication** - Strong verbal and written communicator. Represented the UCC Moot Court Society at the International Law Student Association 2021 Jessup Competition.
* **Organisation -** Proven ability to multitask and deliver results by deadlines. Maintaining excellent grades while balancing part-time work and obligations for various Society memberships.
* **Teamwork -** Strong team player as part of the Cork English College teaching team.

**OTHER EXPERIENCE**

2021 - 2022 **St. Vincent De Paul Charity Member at Trinity College Dublin**

* Took part in volunteering activities such as Letter Writing and Food Packing.

2020 – 2021 **UCC Moot Court Society Member**

* Represented UCC in the International Law Student Association 2021 Jessup Competition.

2017- 2019 **UCC Powerlifting Club**

* First Year Representative and I competed at the Irish Powerlifting University Championships.

2017 – 2018 **First Year Class Representative for Law Pathway**

* Raised student concerns at Law Representative meetings with the Head of the School of Law.

2017 – 2018 **UCC Philosophical Society**

* Member of the Annual UCC Debating Competition organisation committee.

**ACHIEVEMENTS**

* 2023 - Awarded “Teacher of the Year” by VUS, Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam
* 2022 - Graduated with a First Class Honours LLM degree from Trinity College Dublin.
* 2022 - Obtained a Qualifi Level 5 TEFL Diploma (168 hours).
* 2018 - Shortlisted for Fresher of the Year Award at UCC STAR’s Awards for society work.

**REFERENCES**

* Available on request.