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## Education

### UCD

September 2017

- 1<sup>st</sup> Year Business and Law completed with 3.57 GPA.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Year Business and Law completed with 3.47 GPA.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Semester 1 completed with 3.47 GPA.
  - Currently attending Bocconi University in Milan, as part of an Erasmus exchange .

### Leaving Certificate

June 2017

- 590 points

## Work Experience

### Meagher Solicitors

June 2019 – July 2019

Summer internship

- **Litigation**
  - Preparation for case hearings including preparing Books of Pledges, assisting on filings in court.
  - Assisting generally in last minute organisation for full hearing.
  - Supporting solicitors at hearings by taking attendance notes.
  - Attended relevant meetings involving defamation proceedings with clients.
- **Commercial**
  - Assisted in due diligence on a purchase of a significant non-Irish sporting organisation by investigating & researching the business around the best mechanism of structuring a purchase and estimating market value for the purchase.
  - My own contribution was specifically relied upon by the firm in their advices to their client.
- **Learning Outcome**
  - Ability to manage work assignments in a high pressure environment
  - Fully delivered on tasks to completion on my own initiative.
  - Collaborated well with all levels of staffing
  - Ability to understand the importance of tasks and to prioritise appropriately.
  - Flexibility to do whatever is required to support the business.
  - Appreciation of the work done and ability to move forward.

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### Centra, UCD Campus

September, 2018 – January 2020

*Employment during College.*

- **Shop Floor Work**
  - Operating the till, coordinating stock deliveries and displays, stock takes and daily opening & closing of the premises.
  - Performed supervisory duties when required
- **Learning Outcomes**
  - Responsibility and trustworthiness for management of cash
  - Responsibility for ensuring the premises are secure
  - Communication skills while dealing with the public and other staff.
  - Gained experience while working in a fast paced environment and having to be quick and accurate under pressure
  - Balancing college and work experience, including early starts and late finishes.

### Hollister, Dundrum Town Centre

August, 2017 - September 2018

*Employment during College*

- **Stock Associate**
  - Logistics management, including accepting deliveries, managing stock orders and replenishment of merchandise on the shop floor.
  - Logging of stock data correctly on shop ERP systems.
- **Brand Representative**
  - Managing customers, including signing customers up to the company loyalty system, securing sales by assisting customers and maintaining a high standard for the merchandise on the floor.
- **Learning Outcomes**
  - Communication skills while dealing with the public and other staff.
  - Gained experience while working in a fast paced environment and having to be quick and accurate under pressure
  - Balancing college and work experience, including early starts and late finishes.

### The Taste of Dublin, Iveagh Gardens

June, 2018

*Employment during College*

- **Festival Currency Dealer**
    - Marketing of festival currency, use of card machines and management of cash.
    - Circulating amongst the festival goers to generate sales.
  - **Learning Outcomes**
    - Communication skills while dealing with the public and other staff.
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### **Transition Year - Work Experience**

- UCD Sports Centre, Belfield, Dublin 4
- St. Mary's Boys National School, Booterstown
- Ding, Ballsbridge, Dublin 4

### **Transition Year – Social Outreach Experience**

- Jailbreak 2018 – Completed a race in 3<sup>rd</sup> place around Europe, in support of SVP and Amnesty International.
- Habitat for Humanity – Travelled to Zambia to build houses for local families.
- The Capuchin Centre – helped prepare & serve meals to their clients
- The Peter McVerry Trust – spent valuable time listening and chatting with clients.
- Royal Hospital, Donnybrook – spent afternoons listening and chatting with patients.

### **Skills/Achievements**

- **School Vice-Captain** - Elected Vice-Captain of the school by teachers and peers, being tasked with a huge number of organisational tasks, such as organising the Graduation and the Debs and also leading a team of prefects, rounded off by a speech to the entire school at the end of the year.
- **Kairos Leader** – Chosen as a leader in running a retreat for 5<sup>th</sup> Year students, while in 6<sup>th</sup> Year, ensuring the smooth running and setup of a 4-day retreat, as well as completing a 1 hour personal speech to the entire group at the retreat.
- **St Vincent de Paul Charity Work** – Elected president of the SVP Committee in school.
- **First Aid** – Completed the Community First Aid Course with St. John's Ambulance 2011.
- **Marketing** – Completed the Skills Cert 'Step into Marketing' course as part Transition Year.
- **Junior Science Olympiad** – Competed in the Junior Science Olympiad, in DCU.
- **Formula 1 Engineering Competition** – Competed & reached National finals in Dublin Castle. Learned many engineering, business and marketing skills in the competition.

### **Hobbies**

- **Camino de Santiago** – Completed a section of the famous pilgrimage in 2015 with my father and other classmates.
- **Sport** – Played rugby since I was six years old, playing with the school Senior teams and with Lansdowne FC. Also an avid fan of football and basketball. Taken up Ultimate Frisbee in UCD this year. Elected as the Social Secretary on the 18/19 Committee.
- **Music** – Show a deep appreciation for the medium of music. Also, play the guitar and enjoy attending concerts.
- **Travel** – Enjoy travelling and experiencing new places, including my exchange to Milan.
- **General knowledge** – Always had a huge interest in general knowledge and table quizzes, in particular geographical topics.