

Sam Sheridan

Education:

University College Dublin

BBL, Business and Law, 2011 – 2016

Current GPA: 3.14

St. Michael's College, Ailesbury Road, Dublin 4, Ireland

2005 - 2011

Leaving Certificate points: 510 (Business, Biology, Religion, English, French, Accounting)

Experience:

Intern at PwC Ireland

June 2015 - July 2015

- Member of the Third Party Assurance team within the Risk Assurance line of service
- Worked closely with a Senior Manager, Manager and a fellow intern on a discovery project for a large multinational client in the Banking sector
- Compiled minutes of daily conference calls between PwC managers and clients
- Insight gained into the discovery process used to identify risks facing large banking sector clients and discovery of the internal controls implemented to mitigate identified risks
- Improved my professional writing, communication and presentation skills;
- Undertook a leadership role within my 'Intern Project' team which involved making a presentation to a panel of Partners;

Intern at Dunnes Stores

Worked as an intern in the Legal/Insurance department during the following periods:

- July to August 2012 (7 weeks)
- January 2013 (2 weeks)
- March 2013 (1 week)
- May 2013 (2 weeks)
- August 2013 (4 weeks)
- January 2015 (2 weeks)
- January 2016 (2 weeks)

My role involved:

- Assisting the in-house legal function in an administrative capacity;
- Working directly with the in-house solicitor attached to the Online Retail team during the pre-launch and launch period of Dunnes Stores' online store facility;
- Researching both urgent and non-urgent legal queries on request of the Director of Legal e.g. issues relating to commercial property, data protection, intellectual property law, licensing, food labelling regulations, employment law and tax amongst others;
- Writing memo's for the Director of Legal summarising my research and recommendations for next course of action;
- Designing, creating and implementing a functional database of archived legal case files with Microsoft Access using IT skills learnt on my degree course;
- Assisting the Insurance litigation team with both legal and non-legal case file management;

Research at Halo AR Ltd

- Halo AR Ltd is an early stage, venture backed, Irish start-up currently developing wearable eyewear to run augmented reality applications;
- Founded by a UCD Masters of Civil Engineering student and close personal friend;

My role involved:

- Assisting in the preparation of an on-stage presentation for the final round of the AIB Hatch Start-up Competition at Web Summit 2014;
- Producing a report on request of the founder in February 2015 analysing the marketing activities of other similar companies and evaluating their respective strategies.

Tennis Coaching at:

UCD Sport Summer Camp

June 2014 – August 2014

- Delivered tennis lessons to children aged 4-12;
- Independently managed groups of up to 20 players;
- Responsible for the safety, well-being & engagement of players.

Deerpark Lawn Tennis Club

Part time basis from September 2012 to May 2014

- Assistant coach under the direction of the Head of Coaching;
- Delivered tennis lessons to children aged 6-14.

Caddy at Woodland Golf & Country Club, Boston, MA, USA

June – August 2013

J1 Visa Work & Travel Programme

Fundraising/Volunteer Experience:

80km Cycle in aid of Special Olympics & Barnardos: Organised a tag rugby and social event for my friends and co-workers asking them to sponsor me on a cycling event in August 2014

Voluntary Tutoring at UCD Access Centre: Tutored a Junior Cert student from September to November 2014 in Business Studies and English on a one-to-one basis as part of the UCD Access Centre's programme for schools of low socioeconomic status

Interests:

- **Tennis** - Played competitively representing UCD Tennis Club at intervarsity level and for both UCD and Deerpark LTC in Dublin Lawn Tennis Council leagues;
- **Rugby** - Played for St. Michael's College and Bective Rangers from U8 to U20 level. Currently play tag rugby in a social league;
- **Golf** - Keen golfer with a 14 handicap. Former juvenile member of Foxrock Golf Club;
- **Cycling** - Take part in mid to long distance events in the Leinster region;

References:

Academic Reference:

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