# Simon Purcell - Curriculum Vitae

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#### Summary

A final year LLB Law Student studying at Trinity College Dublin with both a proven academic track record and legal experience. I pride myself on my strong analytical skills, an ability to solve complex problems, a commitment to excellence and an ability to perform both individually and as part of a team. My background in team and individual sports has honed these skills making me a well-rounded and dedicated candidate.

### **Key Skills**

LeadershipAnalytical ThinkingCritical ThinkingStrong Team PlayerDecision MakingCreativityOptimisticCollaborationCommunicationPerformance OrientatedLeadershipEvent Organisation

### **Career and Professional Experience**

May 2024 - August 2024

May 2023 - August 2023

# Golf Instructor/Assistant Golf Professional, Montclair Golf Club

Montclair Golf Club is one of the oldest and most prestigious golf clubs in the US. It currently has a membership of over 800 families.

- Built and ran a 10-week Junior Golf Camp which included 80 kids from the ages of 8 16.
  This camp included daily golf lessons, rules seminars and weekly golf competitions.
- Established and created almost 30 individual and team tournaments for the adult members across the span of a 16-week period. This involved, creating sign-up sheets online, setting tee times, officiating the golfers whilst on the golf course and also being in constant communication with the greenkeeping team.
- Reduced stock cost expenses by almost 15% from the previous summer through implementing a custom fit approach to golf clubs instead of bulk buying.

# August 2022 – February 2023

### **Legal Assistant, Tallans Solicitors**

Tallans Solicitors is the North-East's largest law firm specialising in personal injury, medical negligence, family law and conveyancing.

- Drafted multiple numbers of legal documents to be used in court proceedings with an almost perfect approval rate from the solicitors within the firm.
- Processed hundreds of client's final invoices, helping to reduce the number of outstanding payments and reduce billing turnaround time.

Handled hundreds of client calls, resolving close to 80% of inquiries independently.

# September 2017 - August 2022

### Assistant Golf Professional, Ashbourne Golf Club

Ashbourne Golf Club, established in 1991 is a members owned golf course in Co. Meath.

- Administered and controlled prize money of the value up to €50,000.
- Created and designed a new automated system to control member's credit in the golf shop, resulting in saving the golf shop almost €3,000 from the previous year.
- Greeted and assisted members and guests providing a memorable and positive experience at the club.
- Trained and managed 6 summer interns across several years which facilitated the daily operations of the club during the busy summer periods.

### **Education**

### September 2021 - Present

Trinity College Dublin – 4th year LLB – Currently holding a 2:1 grade.

# **September 2020 - May 2021**

Dunboyne College of Further Education –Law, Level 5 – Achieved a Distinction grade in all 10 subjects.

## **September 2014 – June 2020**

Ashbourne Community School, Ashbourne, Co. Meath

### **Achievements and Interests**

- Trinity Law Society Outreach programme mentor.
- Trinity English Conversion Classes volunteer.
- Senior Prefect in the penultimate and final year of secondary school.
- Member of the ACS winning Leinster GAA team 2019
- Member of the winning Leinster Mixed Foursome Team for Ashbourne Golf Club 2019.
- Junior Captain of Ashbourne Golf Club 2018.
- Captain of the Fred Daly golf team 2019.