

Sorcha Ryder - Curriculum Vitae

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PROFILE:

A responsible, adaptable and outgoing student in final year Law at Trinity College Dublin. Throughout my time at college, I have been able to successfully balance both my academics, part-time work and multiple co-curricular activities, proving myself to be self-motivated and to perform well under pressure. My wide range of commitments has strengthened my ability to work well with all types of people.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING:

Primary: St Fiachra's National School 2001-2009

Secondary: Dominican College Griffith Avenue 2009-2015
540/625 Leaving Certificate Points (All Higher Level subjects)

Tertiary: Trinity College Dublin 2015-2020
Law (LL.B.)
Current Grade 67% (II.1)

CAREER HISTORY:

Customer Care Assistant, McDonald's Artane

01/08/2015 - 09/09/2018

- Greeted customers, managed complaints/queries.
- Booked and ran birthday parties.
- Maintained a clean lobby.
- Trained on all stations of the restaurant.

Reference: Louise, Assistant Manager - 0866004674

Corporate Recovery Intern, Baker Tilly

10/09/2018 - 14/06/2019

- Arranged payments for creditors.
- Updated monthly accounts and dealt with a range of external parties by letter, phone and email.
- Fully trained on reception.

Reference: Neil Hughes, Managing Partner - 0862626817

Trinity College Student Tour Guide, Authenticity Tours

24/05/2019 - Present

- Lead private/public tours groups throughout campus grounds.
- Provide an informative, entertaining and personal tour.
- Represent the College to tourists and visitors.
- Advertise the tour and handle transactions at ticket desk.

Reference: Joseph O'Gorman, Manager - Joseph@authenticitytours.com

Case Worker, The Irish Innocence Project

01/05/2017 - 01/05/2018

- Examined trial transcripts and legal documents.
- Critically assessed evidence and judgements.
- Worked under a barrister and met with clients.

Reference: Dr. Edward Matthews BL - 0874195794
edward.matthews@griffith.ie

Customer Assistant, Easons

14/05/2019 - 30/08/2019

- Trained on all aspects of the store; till, stockroom and on the floor with customers.
- Upselled book promotions successfully.

Reference: Caron Butler, Store Manager - CButler@easons.com

President, The University Philosophical Society

26/03/2018 - 28/03/2019

- Head of the oldest and largest student society in Trinity College.
- Led a 22 person council to put on weekly events, national competitions and chamber debates.
- Booked international high profile guests as Honorary Patrons each week, eg. Mayor of London Sadiq Khan.
- Secured our yearly sponsorship with PWC and negotiated meetings with College bodies and external parties.

Reference: Ryan Grunwell, Current President: 0894136659 / president@tcdphil.com

INTERESTS AND CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

- Soup Run Volunteer at Mustard Seed Soup Run.
- Writer for Trinity FLAC 2019 Research Project on Immigration and Asylum Law in Ireland.
- Speaker Liaison Officer for Trinity Arts Festival (2019-2020).
- Treasurer for Trinity Comedy Society (2019-2020).
- Civic Engagement Officer for lobby group Students for Sensible Drug Policy Trinity (2019-2020).
- Editor of Trinity Women's Review Publication (2018-2020).
- Piano - 2004 - Present. Current Level: Senior Certificate.
- Hosted a Panel Discussion on the Future of Irish Abortion Rights (Feb 2018).
- Equity Officer for the Trinity IV Debating Competition (Jan 2018).
- Senior Member of the Council of the University Philosophical Society in 3rd year. (2017-18).
- Finalist in the Irish Times Debating Competition (Feb 2017).
- Convened the Women's Open and Trinity IV Debating Competitions (Jan 2017).
- Drama - 2001 - 2016. Current Level: Grade 10.
- Ballet - 2001 - 2015. Current Level: Grade 6.
- Further hobbies include reading, cooking, collecting music records and travelling.