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Placement Partner Organisation:
Enterprise Ireland



Job Description:

I was an Intern in the Life Sciences and Engineering department. Both departments run events, programmes and initiatives around the area of business development. I got involved in all of it, social media, events, project management, public speaking etc.

What I Did:

Start Date: June 2016

End date: June 2017

- Med In Ireland – Largest MedTech event in the country
- Big Ideas – Entrepreneurship event where people pitch to investors for funding.
- Social Media – Managed two Twitter accounts and trended to #1
- Data Analysis – Analyzed performance of companies and presented findings
- Public Speaking – Did many presentations on my own work and department work.

Learning Outcomes:

I developed skills in teamwork, communication, time management, organisational skills, social media, public speaking, data analysis.

I really enjoyed my work placement and I have developed a good professional network which is priceless. I have project management experience on two events which were on a national level, this filled up my CV with an array of skills. I have references from my managers and access to them for advice whenever I need. I would **STRONGLY** recommend you do a placement.

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