# ROHAN DEVEREUX

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#### **EDUCATION**

- University College Dublin
- B.Science in Applied and Computational Mathematics expected May 2026
- o GPA: 4.05/4.20 | Courses in Pure, Applied, Computational and Financial Mathematics
- o College of Science Academic Award 2024 | Entrance Scholar 2022
- o Classical Association of Ireland Centenary Medal 2023
- University of Edinburgh, College of Science and Engineering

2024-2025

Exchange student for one year | Only student nominated by the UCD College of Science out of 400+ potential candidates

# • Gonzaga College Dublin (High School)

Graduated 2022

- Achieved 8 H1s in the Irish Leaving Certificate (Highest grades achievable in final school examinations; In the top 0.1% of results in the country) in Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, English, French, Irish and Ancient Greek
- o International Junior Science Olympiad in Doha, Qatar: Bronze Medal

2019

o Irish Junior Science Olympiad: Silver Medal

- 2019
- Andrew Bacon Award for Mathematics and Science | 'Men Speechless' Award for Rhetoric 2022 (Awards for the best STEM student and the best student in writing and public speaking in the year group)

## WORK EXPERIENCE

• Ishara Investments | Data Science Intern

2024-Present

Building and implementing data science projects in Python to enhance hedge fund fundamental investment research in the biotech sector

• UCD School of Economics | Statistical Research Assistant

Summer 2024

- Conducted statistical analysis for a paper scheduled for publication in early 2025, focusing on the determinants of demand for private health insurance in Ireland
- O Utilized R programming to perform multiple regression analyses, evaluations of statistical significance and decompositions of endogenous effects, contributing to the statistical rigor of the paper
- o Independently formulated hypotheses and tested their validity against empirical data
- Reviewed literature in health economics and econometrics in order to gain a wider understanding of the subject matter and its statistical treatment

## • Deerpark Tennis Club and Shankill Tennis Club | Coach

2022-2024

- o Taught tennis technique and managed more junior coaches
- Volunteer coach to help prepare members of the Irish Visually Impaired Tennis team for the World Championships in Italy, contributing to their achievement of two bronze medals

# • ING Bank N.V. (Dublin Branch)

Winter 2020

Intern in Finance | Interned in Client Management, Risk, Finance, Compliance and Accounting

- o Performed valuation, compliance and accounting exercises
- Doubled the efficiency of balance sheet creation by developing a program to automate accounting calculations
- o Researched BMG Cash Management and presented ideas for growth to senior management

• Fighting Words Spring 2020

- Winter 2019
- Performed statistical analysis of the relationship between access to clean water and sustainable development across different countries and regions, examining the root causes in each context
- o Presented findings to senior staff and recommended specific actions based on the results

## • Simon Community | Volunteer

Fall 2019

- o Developed strategies for increasing revenues in charity shops, leading to a 25% increase in fundraising
- Analyzed inventory, price and sales data in order to optimize inventory turnover rates, pricing and store layout, thereby maximizing revenue generated

# TECHNICAL SKILLS

# • Computer Programming

- Proficient Python programmer, experienced with well-recognized packages (e.g. NumPy, SciPy, Pandas, Scikit-learn, TensorFlow, Matplotlib)
- o Intermediate C++ programmer, focus on algorithm design
- o SQL; R; Mathematica; LaTeX; Microsoft Office

### Quantitative Skills

- O Statistical and Probabilistic Modeling: Inferential and Bayesian methods, Markov chains
- o Machine Learning: Supervised and Unsupervised learning methods (Regression, cluster methods etc.)
- o Differential Equations: Linear and nonlinear, using analytic and numerical methods
- O Numerical Problem-solving using Programming: Methods such as the Runge-Kutta and Adams-Bashforth
- o Financial mathematics: Stochastic calculus, Options pricing, Black-Scholes model and PDE, Greeks
- Linear Algebra: Eigensystems, diagonalization, relation to systems of differential equations

## **CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

## • Edinburgh University Trading and Investment Club | Quantitative analyst

2024-Present

- Focus on developing trading strategies utilizing Mathematics and software programming at a fund with over £92,000 in AUM
- o Implementing approaches such as mean regression, pairs trading and momentum-based strategies
- Backtesting strategies using Python by splitting historical data into training and testing sets to minimize the risk of overfitting
- Edinburgh University Formula Student | Statics (Creative Business Presentations) Team Member 2024-Present
  - Working on developing business models and pitches regarding self-driving cars for the Business Plan presentation at Formula Student UK in Silverstone
  - Examining financial, commercial and technical aspects of the industry to plan prospective business ventures

## • Gonzaga College French Debating Team

2021-2022

Silver Medalist in the 2022 Alliance Française Joutes Oratoires Debating Competition

# Gonzaga College Model United Nations Team

2019-2022

- o Distinguished Delegate in the Blackrock College Model United Nations Competition in 2020 and 2022
- o Mentored junior members of the delegation, including other award winners

#### Debating

- o Top Ten Irish National Junior Championship | Finalist UCD Junior Schools Debating Competition 2019
- Compete in debates as a member of the UCD Literary and Historical Debating Society
  and the Edinburgh University Debates Union

### **HOBBIES & ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**