# William Wren

Derrylamogue, Rosenallis, Co. Laois.

**Date of Birth:**21/12/1997

Education

2016 - 2020: BSc (Hons) in Sports Coaching and Performance (1st class honours), Waterford

Institute of Technology

Co. Waterford Modules include:

Strength and conditioning

Exercise medicine Sports psychology Sports physiology

2010 - 2016: Honours Leaving Certificate (410 points)

Clonaslee College

Clonaslee Co. Laois

# **Qualifications**

• Olympic Ireland: Olympic weightlifting level 1

• Gymnastics Ireland: GymEDGE

• Athletics Ireland: Athletics leader course

• FAI: Kickstart 1

• World Anti-Doping Agency – Anti-Doping Program

## **Employment History**

**Summer 2019** 

**Position: Activity manager** 

Plus Educational, Brunel University, Uxbridge, London

As activity manager, I managed a team of 14 activity leaders, line managing, rota planning rota and overseeing all activities and excursions. I set up, ran, organised and closed the summer school centre in Brunel University. I was responsible for the welfare of the 600 international students over the eight-week summer camp.

## **Academic year 2018 – 2019**

Position: Strength and conditioning coach

FSG Academy, Laan van Westenenk 4, 7336 AZ Apeldoorn, Netherlands

I was a strength and conditioning coach for a semi-elite basketball, football and volleyball team. The age range of the athletes is 12-20 years. This role involves developing individual-based workout plans for each athlete and coaching the athletes through each workout.

**Summer 2018** 

**Position:** Activity leader

Plus Educational, UCD, Belfield, Dublin 4

As an activity leader, I organised and supervised a variety of activities such as sports, discos and quizzes for students on campus. I also led educational excursions around Dublin and Belfast.

### **Summer 2017**

**Position:** House renovations

Philip O'Callaghan, 6 Fitzwilliam Street Lower, Dublin 2.

I was part of a team that helped renovate a Georgian house in Dublin for its owner, Philip O'Callaghan, who I had been employed by in 2016 in his business, The Examcraft group.

### **Summer 2016**

**Position:** General office worker

The Examcraft Group, 89F Lagan Road, Dublin Industrial Estate, Glasnevin, Dublin 11

Examcraft is a small private education business providing education resources to Irish secondary schools. I provided cover for administrative staff on annual leave over the summer months.

## **Summer 2014 & Summer 2015**

Position: Assistant to Warehouse Manager

Strathroy Dairy Ltd., Unit 5B, Stadium Business Park, Ballycoolin, Dublin 15.

Strathroy Dairy Ltd. is a family-run dairy distribution business. I assisted in the day-to-day running of the warehouse, including operating a pallet truck and verifying order sheets.

#### **Achievements**

- Awarded a place on the Department of Sport and Exercise Science honours list 2016-2017, 2017-2018, 2018-2019 and 2019-2020, achieving over 65% average mark across my 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year and a 70% average mark in my 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> year. Finishing with a 1<sup>st</sup> class honours grade.
- Senior Peer 2 Peer mentor for first-year students in Waterford IT. This involved advising students on how to approach class and assignments, arranging group activities and conducting educational workshops for the 1<sup>st</sup> year students.

#### **Interests and Activities**

- I currently partake in Brazilian jiujitsu and have a strong interest in all forms of martial arts.
- I enjoy all forms of athletics and regularly participate in 5k charity runs, particularly for Down Syndrome Ireland.
- I have a keen interest in computers, in particular, building and customising PCs.

### Referees

Dr Jean McArdle

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