

Kate O'Brien

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Clinical Experience:

July 2017-July 2018 Emergency Medicine SHO, St Vincent's University Hospital

April-July 2017 Endocrine Intern, University Hospital Waterford (UHW)

Jan-April 2017 Rheumatology Intern, UWH

Oct 2016-Jan 2017 Urology Intern, UWH

July-Oct 2016 Orthopedic Intern, UHW

Education

2010-2016 Medicine MB, BCh, BAO (Hons) (NFQ Level 8) (Undergraduate)
University College Dublin, Ireland (GPA: 2.67)

2016 American Heart Association ACLS for Healthcare Providers

2014 American Heart Association BLS for Healthcare Providers

2010 Limerick Tutorial College, Limerick,

2004-2009 St. John Bosco's C.C. Kildysart, Co. Clare

Skills and Achievements

Research & Audits

- **Research:**
 - Assessing the effectiveness of reported positive out-of-hours positive blood culture results
 - Mobile Devices in a Healthcare setting- Fomite for pathogenic bacteria?
- **2014 Audits:**
 - Prevalence of infection rates and document compliance of peripheral Intravascular catheters in St. Michael's Hospital.
 - Prevalence of infection rates and usage rates of short-term urinary catheters in St. Michael's Hospital.
- **2013 Student Summer Research Awards** Poster presentation – Pediatrics presentations to Primary Health Care. This involved self directed data collection, analysis using SPSS, writing an abstract, designing a poster and presenting.
- **Attended the UCD research symposium on Emergency Medicine research 2014**

Awards

- Gordon Watson Intern Award 2017
- Student scholarship to GLMA's 31st Annual Conference, Denver, Colorado.
- Selected participant for the Wavechange programme 2014
- Committee member awarded Medium Society of the year and a society award at the Irish Gay and Lesbian Awards 2013.
- Education & Research Grant Saint Vincent's hospital 2012

Teaching

- 2016 Train the trainer course
- 2016-2017 Peer teaching for final year students in UHW
- UCD Emergency Medical Student Society Ireland (EMSSI) Committee member 2013/14
- Student member of the College of Psychiatrists of Ireland and attendant of the Psychiatry Summer School 2012/13.

Technology

- Tech editor for the UCD college tribune 2013-2014.
- Co-ordinated the development of a website for a group project (MDSA40040 Reproductive Medicine, Psychological Medicine and Child Health) and individual project (MIS10040 Web Design and Analytics)

Team Work

- Integration Officer of UCD LGBT Society to organise and adapt 100+ events to cater for the need of new society members.
- Demonstrated excellent teamwork skills as UCD Psych Committee member in organising Medfest in UCD in 2013 and 14.
- Facilitated online promotion of the UCD EMSSI Pre-hospital Medicine day 2014

Work History

- July'12-Nov'13 Home Care Plus - Home care assistant.
- Aug'10 West County Hotel, Ennis, Co Clare -Accommodation Assistant.
- June- Aug'08 Coast Bar and Restaurant, Kilkee golf club, Co Clare -Bar attendant and waitress.
- July-Aug'07 Cappa Pier, Kilrush-Swimming instructor's aide

Interests:

Cycling, Bike maintenance, Gaelic football, Mountain Hiking, New technology, Personal Development and TED talks.