Dr Katie Cornally Somers

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EDUCATION DETAILS

Courses SheCodes Online Workshops Sept '22 – Nov '22

Basics, Plus and Responsive

Third Level University College Cork, Ireland.

Qualifications MB, BCh, BAO Medicine

Honours Degree, 2:1

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

June 2019 – May 2022: Capital & Coast and Hutt Valley DHBs

- Full time trainee with Royal Australia and New Zealand College of Psychiatry
- Training completed across adult inpatient, adult community and child and adolescent mental health, crisis response team and eating disorder services.

June 2018 - June 2019: Tauranga Hospital, Bay of Plenty NZ

- Psychiatry Registrar in Mental Health and Addiction
- Working with the Alcohol and Drug (AOD) and Opioid Substitution Treatment (OST) teams in a community role

October 2017 - May 2018: Full time locum, Ireland

- Doing locum work throughout Ireland large and small hospitals
- Psychiatry including on call, general medicine, oncology, surgery and ED

May – August 2017: Hawkes Bay Hospital, New Zealand

- House Officer in Relief
- Covering general medical and surgical runs

Dec 2016 - May 2017: Hawkes Bay Hospital, New Zealand

- House Officer in Psychiatry
- 23 bed inpatient facility
- Daily attendance of handover meetings and twice weekly MDT
- Primarily dealing with the medical problems of psychiatric inpatients with a focus on giving autonomy to patients regarding their health

April - July 2016: Cork University Hospital

- Intern covering Gastroenterology and Endocrinology teams
- Including patients admitted on general medical take

January - April 2016: St Stephens Hospital, Cork, Ireland

- Intern in Psychiatry
- An inpatient facility with 20 acute beds and 60 long term beds.
- Vovered rural North Cork for community support of outpatients
- Included doing on site call and psychiatry on call for North Cork (pop. 160,000)

October 2015 - January 2016: Bons Secours Hospital, Cork, Ireland

- Intern in Orthopaedic Surgery
- Including working 1 day a week in the *Medical Assessment Unit*

July – October 2015: South Infirmary Victoria University Hospital, Cork Ireland

- Intern in Plastic Surgery and Maxillofacial Surgery
- Covering the admissions/discharges and inpatient care for 7 consultants

PRESENTATIONS

DrAM Presentation Wellington Regional Hospital - Catatonia and Autism Spectrum Disorder, Case Study and Literature Review, Feb 2020

Gastroenterology Journal Club, Cork University Hospital - Perioperative Bridging Anticoagulation in Patients with Atrial Fibrillation. James D. Douketis, M.D et al. N Engl J Med 2015

Journal Club, St Stephens Hospital – Interventions for reducing benzodiazepine use in older people: meta-analysis of randomised controlled trials. Rebecca L. Gould et al. The British Journal of Psychiatry Feb 2014

Final Year Project Presentation UCC - Pre and intraoperative factors predictive of transfusion in cardiac surgery Mr Kishore Doddakula

COURSES

- New Zealand Resuscitation Council Certificate of Resuscitation and Emergency Care (CORE) Advanced Nov 2019
- Mental Capacity and the Law May 2019
- HONOS Training Jun 2018
- Engaging Effectively with Māori Workshop Nov 2018
- ASSERT training, UCC, October 2015.

MERITS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- Certified by National Youth Council of Ireland to deliver Child Protection Training for volunteers with vulnerable children
- Development and Engagement Officer of UCC Societies Guild Executive 2013 - 2014
- Child Protection Training Officer UCC St Vincent de Paul Society 2013-2015
- Peer Support Leader in University College Cork 2012-2014
- President UCC St Vincent de Paul Society 2012 -2013
- Finance Officer UCC Surgical Society 2012 2013
- Class Representative on Student Council 2011 2012
- OCM UCC St Vincent de Paul Society 2011 2012
- Summer Camp Leader Edmund Rice Action Camp 2008 2010
- Diograis Award from Mount Mercy College for Social Awareness 2009
- Bronze and Silver Gaisce 2007 2009

SKILLS AND INTERESTS:

• I hold an open water dive licence and have been at dive sites over the world and always try to learn a language of my next holiday destination. I also run and have completed a marathon as part of a healthy work life balance