



Graduate Programme 2022

Mark: I remember seeing the Central Bank's Graduate Programme advertised online and applying for it seemed like an instant no brainer.

Shaina: I knew I wanted to work in finance, but I wasn't sure what particular area I would be best suited to, and the Central Bank offers so many placements in so many different roles.

Andrew: You get a good taste and feel through rotation of whether you'd like one area over another.

Philip: One thing that's great about the Central Bank is that there are a number of staff-led networks. Personally, I'm proudly part of the Cultural Diversity Network.

Mark: I think there are a lot of opportunities to get involved in different clubs at the Central Bank. I had entered into a competition organised by the Camera Club. It was something that I really enjoyed.

Shaina: Personally, I've been involved with the National College of Ireland's Early Learning Initiative Programme, which partners with local schools to help them attain their educational and career goals.

Andrew: The bank have been very supportive in creating a grad network I suppose.

Philip: People help you in a way that they will reach out to you. I'm kind of shy. Reaching out to people would have been very hard for me.

Nicole: Working with the European Central Bank, I think it gives great international exposure. Interviewing different board members from the firm I supervise, I don't think you would get that in any other organisation except for the Central Bank of Ireland.