



JACQUELINE O'DONOVAN OBE

MSC FCIWM FCILT FIIRSM FCIHT FIOC FQSI

Jacqueline O'Donovan OBE is recognised as an innovator and a leading force as one of the most influential trailblazers in the waste, logistics, transport, and construction industries.

Contact

PHONE:

Jacqueline: +44 (0) 7778 877038

Brianan (PA): +44 (0) 7503 635414

Email

Jacqueline: jod@odpr.co.uk

Brianan (PA): pa@odpr.co.uk

Expertise

- Waste Management
- Recycling
- Built Environment
- Health and Safety
- Construction
- Demolition
- Business Management
- Business Finance
- Human Resources
- Training
- Fleet Management
- Logistics
- PR
- Marketing
- Scaling a Business
- M&A
- Exiting Strategy
- Diversity & Inclusion
- ESG
- CSR
- Sustainability

Experience

2024 - To Date

Serial Entrepreneur

Embarking on a new chapter, pioneering initiatives, ventures, and investments, following the sale and exit of O'Donovan Waste.

1988 - 2023

Managing Director

O'Donovan Waste

Disposal Limited

- Developing and executing tactical business strategies and operating plans that reflect the short, medium and longer-term goals and priorities of the company as well as its profitable growth.
- Maintaining positive and trust-based relationships with business partners, customers, stakeholders, professional bodies, and associations.
- Building and enhancing the company's public profile in the media, at events, meetings, speaking engagements, presentations etc.
- Overseeing the company's business operations, financial performance, investments, and projects.
- Establishing company policy for health and safety ensuring all employees and contractors own their individual responsibility.
- Forming strategic financial planning and budgets.
- Supervising, developing, guiding, supporting and delegating executives and the management team in their duties.
- Embedding operating objectives and standards of performance with the management and wider team.
- Chair management meetings, building, motivating, and supporting an effective executive team.

**JACQUELINE
O'DONOVAN.**



JACQUELINE O'DONOVAN OBE

MSC FCIWM FCILT FIIRSM FCIHT FIOC FQSI

Honours and Awards

- Order of the British Empire (OBE) awarded by His Majesty King Charles III
- Freedom of the City of London – Worshipful Company of Carmen
- Presidential Distinguished Service Award for the Irish Abroad presented by Irish President
- Family Director of the Year Award - IoD
- Outstanding Woman in Construction Award 2016
- Constructing Excellence Achiever of the Year 2016
- Outstanding Commitment to Innovation Award - British Irish Trading Alliance 2016
- Businesswoman of the Year 2016 - Vitalise
- 'Most inspiring Businesswoman' Award 2016 - Best Women
- Irish World Award for Commitment to Cyclist' Safety
- Leader of the Year Award 2017 - Women in Logistics
- Industry Champion Award 2017 - FTA Everywoman in Transport and Logistics Awards
- Woman of the Decade in Enterprise and Leadership - Women's Economic Forum
- UK Private Businesswoman of the Year 2018 - PwC National Private Business Awards
- Outstanding Female Entrepreneur - Best Business Awards
- Building Magazine Female Leadership Award - Building Awards
- Business Woman of the Year - The National Women's Business Awards
- Business Woman of the Year Award - SME National Business Awards
- London and Southeast Mentor of the Year 2019 - Forward Ladies Awards
- Entrepreneur of the Year 2019 - Growing Business Awards
- National Finalist 2020 Growing Business Top 20 SME leaders - EY Entrepreneur of the Year Award
- Family Business Director of the Year - IoD Awards
- Growing Business Top 20 SME UK Leader
- Silver Woman in Construction - National Business and Construction Awards
- The "David Jamieson" Award - Institute of Couriers
- Lifetime Achievement Award for Outstanding Dedication and Leadership to the Transport Sector - The Worshipful Company of Carmen
- Business Leader of the Year - Global Irish Diaspora Award – Winner 2023



JACQUELINE O'DONOVAN OBE

MSC FCIWM FCILT FIIRSM FCIHT FIOC FQSI

Qualifications

- Business Sustainability Management - Institute for Sustainability Leadership (CISL) University of Cambridge
- Master's Degree in Demolition Management – University of Wolverhampton
- Level 3 Certificate in Occupational Health & Safety, National General Certificate - National Examination Board in Occupational Safety & Health (NEBOSH)
- NVQ Level 4 in Waste Management Operations Managing Transfer of Non-Hazardous Bio-degradable Waste - Waste Management Industry Training and Advisory Board (WAMITAB)
- NVQ Level 4 in Waste Management Operations, Managing Treatment of Hazardous Waste - Waste Management Industry Training and Advisory Board (WAMITAB)
- Certificate of Professional Competence in International Road Haulage Operations (in accordance with Directive (EEC) 74561) - RSA
- Working Time Directive in Road Transport - Road Haulage Association (RHA)
- NVQ Level 2 Certificate of Safety Compliance - ASET
- Certificate in Risk Assessment - Business Training & Solutions (BTAS)
- Certificate in Drivers' Hours & Tachograph Management - Road Haulage Association (RHA)
- Certificate in Contracts of Employment - Arbitration and Conciliation Service (ACAS)
- Certificate in Recycling for Sustainability - Middlesex University
- Certificate of Achievement – Recycling for Sustainability - CESMB
- Certificate in Aggregates Quality Protocol Good Practice Workshop - WRAP
- Certificate in Health & Safety in The Workplace - Chartered Institute of Environmental Health
- Certificate in Duty to Manage & Asbestos Awareness - NATAS Training
- Certified Fleet Operator Recognition Scheme FORS Practitioner - FORS
- Certificate of Transfer of Knowledge - FORS
- Certificate of In-House Drivers Hours & Daily Walk Around Check Training Seminar - RHA
- Certificate in Managing Your Operators Licence - RHA
- Certificate of Attendance, Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum Keynote Seminar - Westminster Forum Projects
- Certificate in Fire Safety/Fire Risk Assessment - Fire Services Safety Partnership



JACQUELINE O'DONOVAN OBE

MSC FCIWM FCILT FIIRSM FCIHT FIOC FQSI

Qualifications

- Certificate in Discipline & Grievance - Arbitration and Conciliation Service (ACAS)
- Certificate in Information & Consultation - Arbitration & Conciliation Service (ACAS)
- Certificate in A New Approach - Arbitration and Conciliation Service (ACAS)
- Certificate in Drug & Alcohol Awareness & Workplace Screening Procedures - Drug-Aware
- Certificate in Hazardous Waste Regulations - CIWM
- Certificate in Hazardous Waste Classification & Coding - CIWM

Memberships

- Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Waste Management
- Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Logistic and Transport
- Fellow of the Chartered International Institute of Risk and Safety Management
- Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Highway and Transport
- Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Couriers
- Fellow of the Quantity Surveyors Institute