

Chorus Coaches

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1. **Before becoming a coach, what was your role at Chorus?**
Group Manager Volunteering.
2. **How long have you worked at Chorus?**
It will be three years in May, time flies. I started on National Volunteer Week, while moving house!
3. **What excites you about being a coach at Chorus?**
The opportunity to empower people to be their best. Watching people grow and learning from this myself! Being part of something bigger and creative is exciting, learning on the fly and helping to shape something that will make a big community impact.
4. **What is your work style/what is the way best to support you at work?**
I love working on lots of different projects, the variety in work is important to me and keeps me on my toes. I'm a people person, I like to work hard but also have a bit of craic! (craic is fun in Ireland!) Best way to support me at work; being adaptable, focus on outcomes.
5. **What is your pet peeve?**
People who watch videos turned up loud on their phone.
6. **What makes you laugh?**
Tommy Tiernan (Irish Comedian) and Tiktok videos (more recently!)
7. **What was your first job?**
Working in an administration support role in a Farm Machinery reception in Ireland started working in school holidays and Saturdays really young from about the age of 12!
8. **What lesson did you learn on that job that you keep with you today?**
Don't be afraid to put yourself out there and try new things.
9. **What are your passions outside of work?**
Spending time with my family, the beach, travel, wine and friends, good food and serial killer documentaries!
10. **People would be surprised if they knew:**
I was big into performing arts in Ireland, in my final year in school, I played Rizzo in the musical Greece!

