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Professional Qualification

Qualified Advocate of the All India Bar Association and enrolled with the Karnataka State Bar Council	2022
Academic Qualification	
King's College London, London, UK Master of Laws – LL.M. in International Business Law (Achieved 67% - Dissertation nominated for Ondrej Petr Creative Writing Prize)	2023
Christ University, Bengaluru, India An integrated programme of Bachelor of Arts & Law – B.A. LL.B (Achieved 68.23% - Amongst the top 5%)	2020
Sri Kumarans Children's Home Pre-University , Bengaluru, India Pre-University, Karnataka State Board, (Achieved 92.5% - Amongst Top 5).	2015
Deccan International School , Bengaluru, India Indian Certificate of Secondary Education, (Achieved 81.83% - Amongst Top 10).	2013
Work Experience	

Ravivarma Kumar Associates, Bengaluru

[July 2021 – February 2022]

Legal Associate

- O Successfully challenged the new affirmative action policy to backward classes in Madras High Court, Kerala High Court, and the Supreme Court of India. Drafted the writ petitions and obtained a stay order.
- O Drafted written arguments in the case challenging the Karnataka government order regarding cattle slaughter.
- o Provide legal opinion to a cooperative society on the manner of conducting of meeting in a cooperative society specifically focusing on the irregularities that arose and its legal implications.
- o Filed a Public Interest Litigation for slum dwellers in Bangalore who were deprived of their shelter.
- Represented the wife before the Bangalore Mediation Centre for a family dispute regarding custody of the child and was part of a conciliation proceeding.

Advocate Rajendra Reddy, Chittoor

[December 2020 – June 2021]

Junior Advocate

- O Drafted pleadings in matters relating to Transfer of Property Act, Negotiable Instruments Act, Specific Performance Act, and Indian Contract Act.
- Represented the property owner before the Special Land Acquisition Officer regarding inadequacy of compensation granted under Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act.
- o Conducted legal notices on dishonor of cheques.
- o Represented a commercial bank before the District Consumer Forum in a case involving forcible repossession of a hypothecated vehicle.

Daksh, Bengaluru

[October 2020 – November 2020]

Legal Intern

- O Collated data on the status of criminal cases against Member of Legislative Assemblies in Karnataka, Bihar, Assam, Goa, Chhattisgarh, Kerala, and Arunachal Pradesh.
- o Comparative quantitative analysis of data regarding insurance claims before Consumer Tribunals in Maharashtra and Madhya Pradesh.

Cyril Amarchand Mangaldas, Bengaluru

[May 2019]

Legal Intern

- o Prepared a note on the pitfalls of 2019 Personal Data Protection Bill.
- o Drafted a legal opinion on competition law issues in pharmaceutical industry and on current regulatory regime for health care application.

J Sagar Associates, Bengaluru

[April 2018 – May 2018]

Legal Intern

- Prepared a brief note on the Special Economic Zone Act and allied Rules with specific reference to GST compliances.
- Researched on the criminal liabilities for occupying a building without occupancy certificate in Karnataka and reviewed compliance required under Payment of Gratuity Act, Payment of Bonus Act, and Prevention of Sexual Harassment at Workplace Act.

Tatva Legal, Bengaluru

[October 2017 – November 2017]

Legal Intern

- o Presentation on the validity of 'options' under securities law.
- o Prepared a note on unfair trade practices under the Consumer Protection Act, 1986.

Advocate Kalyan Basavraj, Bengaluru

[December 2016]

Legal Intern

- Drafting legal notices for consumer complaints and dishonor of cheques.
- Observation of proceedings in City Civil Court, and High Court of Karnataka.

Co-curricular Activities

Accredited Mediation Advocate, Standards and Competency Mediation Advocacy (SCMA) & Association	2019
of Mediation Assessors, Trainers and Instructors (AMATI), London	
Certificate of Merit in Mediation Advocacy, Singapore International Mediation Institute, Singapore	2019
Certificate of Merit for Arbitration and Mediation Advocacy Training, Global Academy for Advocacy	2019
in Dispute Resolution, New Delhi, India	
Semi-finalist, Ratan K Singh Arbitration and Mediation Competition.	2019
Top 20 Qualifiers, National Law School - Trilegal International Arbitration Moot, National Law School	2018
of India University, Bengaluru.	
Semi-finalist, National Moot Court Competition, Jayothi Vidyapeeth, Jaipur.	2018
Runners up, National Moot Court Competition, Geeta Institute of Law, Panipat, India.	2017

Leadership Experience and Volunteering

Paralegal Volunteer, District Legal Services Authority, Kolar, Karnataka

2020

Sensitized the students at a primary school on the fundamental rights available in the society and collaborated with 9 other paralegal volunteers to aid in running of the District Legal Services Authority for a day every week.

Core Committee Member, Environmental Law Committee, Christ University, Bengaluru Supervised the logistics for the flagship event of the committee - talk by conservational biologist Dr. Krithi K.

2017

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Key Skills

Languages: English, Telugu, Kannada, and Hindi.

IT Skills: Competent to use all Microsoft packages.