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B.A.LLB (hons.) & LLM -Corporate & Commercial Law

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QUALIFICATIONS

Bar Council of India Exam	Passed- January 2021
LLM- Corporate & Commercial Law 2018-2019	70% - Queen Mary University of London
B.A.LLB (Hons.) 2012-2017	4.76/7 CGPA-- Damodaram Sanjivayya National Law University, Visakhapatnam
Class XII(CBSE Board)	72.5%-DPS Gandhinagar
Class X (ICSE Board)	71%- Eklavya School, Ahmedabad

RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE***Assistant Manager – General Corporate- Bharat Forge Ltd. [May 2022 to Present]***

- Assisted on Asset Purchase agreements, takeover of company with relation to SEBI compliance with Takeover code & LODR, investor rights, exit clauses.
- Drafting experience in Term sheets, Investor Rights agreements, Stock Purchase Agreement for Venture Capital Transactions, PE transactions .
- Drafting experience in share purchase, share subscription, international supply contracts, privacy policies, lease deeds, consultancy, master service agreements, MOU, NDA, leave and license agreements and basic purchase agreements, Framework Agreements etc.,
- Drafting Experience in Terms of Use & Privacy Policy for subsidiary company websites. IT license agreement negotiations for indirect licensing cost in SAP software.
- Competition compliance in lieu of, filing notice with CCI for proposed merger & acquisition combination as per CCI regulations.
- Experienced in filing User affidavits and Trademark oppositions, interim replies in case of Trademark and patent infringements.
- Worked on LIBOR to SOFR transaction documents for facility Agreements and ISDA agreements.

Part time Associate- Parth & Dhara Bhatt, Ahmedabad, [Jan 2021- September 2021]

- Advisory Services: Rendering opinions on structuring of commercial transactions, transfer of shares to foreign shareholders, Aviation importing & licensing laws.
- Documentation: Drafting of various opinions relating to foreign investments and technology sharing agreements, joint venture agreements, shareholders agreements and share purchase agreements

Legal Intern with Slaughter & May London, [December 2018- April 2019]

- Due diligence Review: for cross border merger & acquisition, merger control issues under Enterprise & Regulatory Reform Act 2013 and compliance issues with the Competition and Markets Authority (CMA) and various international financial regulations.
- Assist solicitors & paralegals during & post transitional phase of BREXIT to mitigate possible risks and prepare for legal compliance regulation for various cross border clients.
- Due diligence leveraged buyouts compliance as per the norms of British Venture Capital Association.

- Reviewed legal contracts for consultant & partners.

Legal Associate at QX Inc. Ahmedabad, [January 2018- August 2018]

- Gained significant knowledge of UK & USA contract law by working on legal compliance for multi-million currency contracts, such as GDPR.
- Reviewed existing and drafted new contracts developing close attention to detail, personal responsibility and technical as well as legal knowledge.
- Liaised with sales and commercial staff and contributed to team meetings to agree sound contractual terms with client companies.

Interned at Tatva Legal, Hyderabad, [December 2016- January 2017]

- Research & draft listing agreements protocol and requisite documents of companies & its legal procedure.
- Research on Asset purchase and management agreements & OEM agreements.
- Vet and assist on due diligence report for demerger of corporate entities and financial institutions and participated in compliance of a new corporate entity & winding up of a company as per the decree of NCLT.

Interned Y.J. Trivedi & Co., Ahmedabad, March 2016- May 2016,

- Drafting of oppositions, legal notice regarding deceptively identical trademarks, filling of various TM forms, such as TM-5, TM-24, TM-18, TM-10 and matters relating to Trademarks under geographical indications.
- Extensive research on Trademark & Copyright act. Assisted in legal proceedings pertaining to trademark infringement and protection of distinguishing marks between two registered trademarks

Interned with Wadia Ghandy & Co., Ahmedabad December 2015- January 2016.

- Assisted corporate team and did extensive research on requirements for the creation of charge under the Companies Act 2013 and Company (Registration of Charge) Rules 2014.
- Prepared brief notes on the various guidelines of SEBI and RBI regarding the appointment of stockbrokers, sub brokers and other intermediaries in the stock market.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- *Debate*

Participated in Intra College British Parliament Debate ‘Vakta’16’.
Second in NUALS Kochi Parliamentary Debate 2016.

- *Publications*

Presented paper for publication in QMUL Journal for law titled “*Arbitrating Antitrust and Merger Control Issues*”, received merit for the same under LLM Dissertation.

SKILLS

- Strong research background, trained in client negotiations and amicable dispute resolution.
- Proficient in use of online database such as Westlaw, Kluwer Arbitration, Lexis Nexis, SCC.
- Fully Conversant in use of Microsoft office.
- Languages proficient in English, Hindi, Gujarati & Malayalam.