

Dear Sir/Ma'am,

I am writing to express my sincere interest in securing a position of an associate at Spice Route Legal, Mumbai office. My name is **Shambhavi Sharma** currently a **fifth-year** student at the Institute of Law, Nirma University, Ahmedabad, and I bring to the table a strong background in Intellectual Property Rights complemented by practical experience in various reputed firms.

I am particularly drawn to Intellectual Property Rights as the interaction of innovation with law immensely excites me. I consider it not just a legal field but a realm where my interests align, and I foresee a dynamic future in it.

Having completed my **honours in Intellectual Property Rights** and undertaken a comprehensive **FICCI course on IPR**, I have developed a robust foundation in intellectual property law. Through my internships at **Fidus Law Chambers, Khurana & Khurana Advocates & IP Attorneys and Krishna & Saurastri Associates LLP and CIPRA, NLSIU IP Centre**, I have honed skills of drafting and gained valuable insights into the intricate aspects of intellectual property. I have drafted notices of opposition, counter-statements, evidence in support of opposition and evidence in support of the application, cease and desist notices, possible opposition for clients, prepared case notes, assisted in briefing advocates and carried out extensive research work and authored articles. Apart from the core IP internships, I have worked in **Chandhiok & Mahajan, AMLEGALS, KS Legal & Associates, HRLN GNLU** and under **Add. Adv. Gen. Anil Mehta**, wherein I dealt with IBC, Competition Law, FEMA, Arbitration, and Criminal Law.

Further, I have gained exposure in the field of IPR and corporate law with my articles published in **NLSIU Blogs, IIPRD and ICLRP, SLS Pune Blogs**. Further, I was adjudged as the '**1st Runners Up**' in the **Gujarat Law Society Debate Competition**. In my law school journey, I was adjudged as the **Semi-finalist in the 4th SYAR National Mediation Competition** and a **Quarter-finalist in the 3rd NUJS Mediation Competition 2021**. I have participated in panels as a speaker, and actively associated with **IDIA** (Increasing Diversity by Increasing Awareness) which helps the underprivileged to pursue the 5-year law program free of cost. Currently, I have been leading a team of over 50 students as the **Chairperson of the Centre for Law and Justice, ILNU**.

I am particularly drawn to Spice Route Legal due to its stellar reputation especially within the IP sector in such a short span of time. I am passionate about innovation and its interaction with the law, which drives me to this arena. Your team of young and bright minds, headed by Mr. Mathew Chacko, who is a Technology Law enthusiast, propels my eager self to gain practical experience under the supervision of the Spice Route team.

Sincerely,

Shambhavi Sharma