

EDUCATION

- LLM in Privacy Law and Cybersecurity at University of Southern California, GPA: 3.74/4 *May 2022*
 - *Master of Laws in Privacy Law and Cybersecurity (Certification in Technology & Entrepreneurship Law)*
- B.B.A., LL. B (Honors) at National Law University, Odisha, CGPA: 5.8/8 *May 2019*
- Commerce Stream, Class XII, The Daly College, Indore: 89.2% *April 2014*
 - *Gold Medal, English & Economics*

WORK EXPERIENCE

- **CBRE USA, Los Angeles, Global Data Privacy Office, June - September 2022**
 - Produced a playbook on the Location Intelligence sharing practices of the company, and the legal implications of each of the clauses in the standard agreement involving the same.
 - Researched and oversaw the project of email footers in the Americas (involving North America, Canada, Mexico and other LATAM countries), which involved ensuring the uniformity of disclaimers in the email footers, about the data retention and protection measures, followed by the Company.
 - Reviewed and updated the Data Subject Access Requirements log, along with the Privacy Policy and Employee Privacy Notice, as per the CPRA.
 - Created a system for uploading data inventory responses on OneTrust, in compliance with the California Privacy Rights Act 2020 (CPRA), and interviewed 50+ employees about the data sharing practices of their division.
 - Conducted research on APEC Cross Border Privacy Rules, and Privacy Recognition for Processors certifications, along with Direct Marketing laws in APAC nations.
- **Victoriam Legalis, Mumbai, Technology, Media & Telecommunication, April 2020-May 2021**
 - Led a team of three legal associates to draft the terms and conditions, privacy policies and intellectual property (IP) policies for six mobile applications, including the leading global dating platform.
 - Analyzed local laws and the General Data Protection Regulation to ensure all third-party agreements were consistent and complied with the same, for the fastest growing unicorn in India, and two ed-tech and media service platforms.
 - Reviewed, drafted and vetted endorsement agreements, assignment agreements, and independent contractor agreements for 17 top-tier Indian label houses, artists, celebrities and authors.
 - Prepared a research note on the liability of a computer owner in case a third-party downloads unlicensed software on the owner's computer.
 - Conceptualized and contributed content for the monthly newsletter 'Gnosis', published by the firm.
- **CA Binod Ku. Agrawal, Bhubaneswar, IBC and Taxation, July 2019- March 2020**
 - Drafted responses to an examination report issued by the Registrar of Trademarks (TM); affidavit of use of TM in India; supplementary response to examination report issued by the Registrar of TM and a summary of investigation report on TM usage in India for a global business conglomerate.
 - Led a team of seven legal associates in preparing the IP chapter of a due diligence report for a minicorn.
 - Conducted TM evaluations and rendered validity and licensing opinions to 10+ international clients.

KEY INTERNSHIPS

- **Khaitan & Co., Kolkata, Dispute Resolution and IP, February - March, 2019**
 - Assisted in drafting an opinion, with respect to differences between a Public Limited Company and a Private Limited Company.
 - Researched on the implication of assignment of license of any intellectual property rights under the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999.

- **Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas, Mumbai, Dispute Resolution, Jan - Feb, 2019**
 - Researched on the principles of ‘Audi Alteram Partem’, in the cases of ‘*Harbans Lal v Commissioner*’, ‘*Fateh Singh v State of Rajasthan*’, and ‘*Keshav Mill Co. v Union of India*’
 - Conducted due diligence for a Global Business Conglomerate, with respect to capturing miscellaneous agreements entered into by the parties.
- **Nishith Desai Associates, Mumbai, Technology, Media & Telecommunications, November 2018**
 - Prepared a research note on the legality of clickwrap, shrinkwrap and browsewrap contracts, in India.
 - Conducted research on trademark licensing and its validity, under the Trademark Act, 1999.
- **Naik, Naik & Co., Mumbai, Technology, Media and Telecommunications, December 2017- January, 2018**
 - Conducted research on the role of intermediaries under S.79 of the Information Technology Act, 2000.
 - Conducted research on the licensing requirements for screening a film, under the Cinematography Act, 1952.
- **Shardul Amarchand Mangaldas, Mumbai, Project Finance, November – December, 2017**
 - Conducted research on the doctrine of self-impressing, under the Hindu Succession Act, 2005.
 - Assisted in preparing the Corporate and Indebtedness chapter for a due diligence report for a power generation company.
- **Karanjawala & Co., New Delhi, November - December, 2016**
 - Researched on cyber laws with respect to organic search results, pertaining to the case of ‘*Feldman v Google*’.
 - Assisted in research in the then ongoing case of ‘*Cyrus Investments Pvt. Ltd. & Anr. v Tata Sons Limited & Ors.*’
- **Khaitan & Co., Kolkata, Corporate Litigation Team, November - December, 2015**
 - Prepared a research note on Broadcasting Guidelines, as applicable in the state of West Bengal.
 - Conducted Research on constitutionality of section 29A of the Arbitration and Conciliation (Amendment) Act, 2015.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- **Teaching Assistant**, Digital Media Transactions, University of Southern California 2022
- **Co Vice-President**, Privacy and Cybersecurity Law Society, University of Southern California 2022
- **LLM Representative**, Legal Technology Association; Intellectual Property and Technology Society, University of Southern California 2022
- **Awardee**, Dean’s Academic Excellence Award, University of Southern California 2022
- **Published**, ‘Have the Berne Convention’s Moral Rights Provisions been Accurately Implemented in National Laws? A Comparative Study of the United Kingdom, India, and the United States’, in “International Journal of Legal Developments and Allied Issues”, ISSN - 2454 1273, Volume 6 Issue 5 - September 2020.
- **Completed**, ‘DL-511E Advanced Course on Software Licensing including Open Source’, by World Intellectual Property Organization November 2020; Cyber Law, Data Protection and Online Reputation Management,’ by National University of Juridical Sciences 2018; Competition Law and Competition Assessment’ Workshop, by Competition Commission of India 2016; Rio +22 UN Sustainable Energy for All India Programme 2015
- **Attendee**, ‘All About Music’ conference conducted by Truly Musical LLP, 2020; Law of Confidentiality’ Workshop conducted by Adyopant Legal, 2015.
- **Speaker**, NJ Yasaswy Memorial Moot Court Competition, held at ICFAYI University, Dehradun, 2015.
- **Rank 1** in the Internal Moot Court Competition at NLUO, 2015.
- **Awardee**, Delegate of High Commendation, in the Doon School MUN, 2013, KIIT MUN, 2014 and Harvard MUN, India, 2012.
- **Member**, Moot Court Society; IDIA, NLUO, 2016 & 2017.
- **Junior Editor**, NLUO Student Journal, 2016.