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Education

GOVERNMENT LAW COLLEGE

Bachelor of Law (Five Year Degree Course) : First Class

Mumbai, India

2021

DELHI PUBLIC SCHOOL, MATHURA ROAD

Class XII: 85.6%

Class X: GPA-9.6

Delhi, India

2015

2013

Experience

Took a sabbatical to prepare for UPSC Civil Service Examination from July 2021- June2022 with law as my optional subject.

SHARDUL AMARCHAND MANGALDAS

May, 2021 | Delhi

- Drafted legal documents such as counter statements, notice of oppositions, rectification petitions, & evidence in support of application
- Worked on IP due diligence and advisory
- Researched on IT (Intermediary Guidelines) Rules, 2021

FREELANCE

Aug,2020 - Feb 2021

- Assisted startups including [CLAPBOX](#) and [Black BT LLP](#) with contract drafting and Intellectual Property Rights related issues

KHAITAN & CO

Feb - April, 2020 | Mumbai

- Drafted legal documents including trademark applications, counter statements, notice of oppositions, cease & desist notices
- Carried out trademark and patent searches
- Worked on trademark prosecution, IP litigation and due diligence
- Researched on data protection and privacy laws in various jurisdiction around the world

NAIK NAIK & CO

Aug - Oct, 2019 | Mumbai

- Worked with general corporate team and was part of commercial arbitration matters
- Drafted legal documents including business transfer agreement, license agreement, Non Disclosure agreement, Service agreement, Celebrity endorsement agreement
- Carried out general research on corporate commercial matters
- Specific research on personality rights and gaming laws in India
- Attended court proceedings at Bombay High Court

BRUS CHAMBERS

Feb - March, 2019 | Mumbai

- Drafted legal documents including complaints, legal notices and charter party agreements
- Studied and analysed major concepts of shipping laws in India and worldwide including arresting a ship, filing admiralty suit, releasing a ship vessel etc.
- Attended court proceedings at Bombay High Court

DHIR & DHIR ASSOCIATES

April- May, 2018 | Mumbai

- Assisted corporate litigation and advisory team
- Researched on issues related to Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016, and Indian Contract Act, 1872
- Attended court proceedings at Bombay High Court & National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT)

CGC PARTNERS, SUPREME COURT

February, 2018 | Delhi

- Prepared case notes and attended court proceedings at the Supreme Court, National Green Tribunal, NCLT and Delhi High Court
- Researched on POCSO Act, 2012
- Assisted in filing cases with the National Commission for Protection of Child Rights, New Delhi

INSTITUTE OF PERSPECTIVE STUDIES

January, 2018 | Delhi

- Researched on farmer suicides for Ms. Kota Neelima's book "Widows of Vidarbha"

DELHI INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION CENTRE, DELHI HIGH COURT

October, 2017 | Delhi

- Attended arbitration proceedings
- Prepared fact sheets for office records

CHAMBERS OF Sr. Adv. ASHOK SARAOGI, BOMBAY HIGH COURT.

August, 2017 | Delhi

- Attended court proceedings at Bombay High Court

GREENPEACE

June - July, 2017 | Delhi

- Worked as a coordinator for solar energy projects in Delhi

Publications

- Bar and Bench: [Why India needs to unite against the Environment Impact Assessment Draft, 2020](#) (30th July 2020)
- Journal of International Law and Society (NUJS): [Copyright Complexities of Social Media's Terms of Use: An Unending Debate?](#) (9th August 2020)
- Editor and contributor to [IPRMENTLAW](#) from February 2020 to May 2021

Certifications

- Selected by Ministry of Women & Child development to be part of the General Business Management Course by IIM Jammu
 - Part of Harvard Law School's CopyrightX program.
 - Completed distant learning General Course on Intellectual Property Rights by World Intellectual Property Organisation (WIPO).
 - Completed online course on Intellectual Property Rights and Competition Law by Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI).
 - Completed course on International Law by Indian School of International Law, Delhi
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Language: English, Hindi

Interests: DIY projects, reading, playing ukulele, pottery