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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

IP Consultant ▶akilsearch, Chennai

Mar 2023 - Present

End-end trademark prosecution including ER replies, show-cause hearings (more than 500 monthly)

- Having a refusal rate of 8 percent and getting registration for descriptive marks under section 9a and b notices of opposition counter-statement, rule 45, 46, 47, Rectification and Review Petition. Drafted well known trademark aquaconnect
- Drafted notice of cease and desist for client, reply to notices, settlement proposal.
 - Drafting USPTO Office Action and CNIPA (China trademark) replies
 - Carried on settlement agreements in trademark between client and USA based technology companies Box Inc and Ideagen.
- Reply to Copyright discrepancy
- Reply to Design Objection and attended the design hearings
- Handling the patent clients including coordinating with the patent agents, explaining to patent process

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Mar 2022 – Feb 2023

- Associate trainee Priggya Arora, Roorkee Mar 2022

 Provide 1P support and strategic counselling to entrepreneurs and inventors. Teach them now to develop IP policies for the start-ups
- Assisted in filing trademark applications, examination replies, opposition, and rectification, arguments for show cause hearings of trademark
- **Drafted US Trademark Office Actions**
- Written and published articles dealing with current developments such as the Cinematograph Amendment Bill, and global patents available on the PA Legal website
- Review and draft NDA and vetting of documents
- Assisted in publishing a blog on IPWatchdog, USA

INTERNSHIPS

Intern Aarde Law Chambers Makshatha Patel, Bengaluru

Sep 2021 - Nov 2021

- Draft and negotiate licensing agreements, research on a daily basis
- Carried out due diligence and vetting of contracts, Reply to Misjoinder/Non-Joinder of Parties
- Assisted renowned producer Hamsalekha in protecting his musical work against unfair infringement and claimingappropriate damages.

Legal intern ▶ Amalgamated Plantations Pvt Ltd

Dec 2020 - Jan 2021

- Review nondisclosure agreements; vendor agreements; assisted in compiling minutes of the meeting
- Assisted in trade dress protection and trademark for the Hathukuli tea brand

COURSES

Lawctopus Patent Law Course 1-31st May 2021

EDUCATION

B.a.II.b ▶ Heritage Law College, University of Calcutta; Percentile 84.25%

Aug 2017 - May 2022

ISC ▶Modern High School for Girls, Kolkata; Percentile 84.2%

Jan 2017

ICSE ► Modern High School for Girls, Kolkata; Percentile 94.5%

Jan 2015

EXTRA CURRICULAR

- Editor of the College Law Blog
- Represented college at the Jyotirrmoy School of Law Moot Court Competition on Maritime Law
- ITLOS. Semi-Finalist at the Protik Prakash Banerjee Memorial Inter College Debate

LANGUAGES

English Korean