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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- LL.M student, Specialisation – Intellectual Property Laws.
- B.A. L.L.B. (Hons.) (Specialization: Energy Laws) at University of Petroleum and Energy Studies, Dehradun (2013-2018) : CGPA: **2.42/4** (Percentage: **60.5%**)
- 12th Standard (CISCE Board) : 69% (Central Modern School, Kolkata)
- 10th Standard (ICSE Board) : 81.8% (Calcutta Boys' School, Kolkata)

WORK EXPERIENCE

- **Chambers of Counsel and Advocate Swatarup Banerjee at the Hon'ble High Court at Calcutta, Counsel Chambers, Kolkata.** *[April, 2022-April, 2023: 12 months]*
 - Did extensive research, prepared concise notes on case briefs, drafted notes of arguments and assisted senior counsel before various tribunals and the hon'ble High Court with respect to:
Applications under section 117(a) of the Patents Act, 1970 at the High Court at Calcutta; assisted senior counsel in appearing on behalf of the 'controller of patents' on various patent prosecution matters therein.
Writ petition applications under Article 226 of the Constitution of India at the High Court at Calcutta
Applications under section 241 of the Companies Act, 2013 at the National Company Law Tribunal, Kolkata.
 - Extensively researched, collated relevant judgements and prepared concise notes on case briefs on:
Applications under section 30 of the Recovery of debt due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993
Applications under section 12 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996
Applications under section 60(5) read with rule 11 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016,
Applications under section 7 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016, applications under section 17 of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.
- **Supriyo Basu and Associates, Advocates, Law Firm, Kolkata.** *[May-July, 2023: 11 weeks]*
 - Prepared due diligence reports on the legal viability and validity of ownership of such immovable property (plot of land which is to be developed as a real estate project) by meticulously examining its relevant Deeds of Conveyances to accurately trace and thus establish its legitimate succession/sequence of ownership up to 30 or 90 years.
Thereafter thoroughly examined whether the concerned plot of immovable property (plot of land) is compliant with all relevant real estate laws as applicable for development of real estate projects in the state of West Bengal.
After successfully concluding all the aforementioned processes I prepared the 'title report' on the said real estate development project to be handed over to concerned bank emphasising whether title of the plot of land and project to be so executed atop it is compliant with all relevant laws and thus legally sound to be deemed credit worthy by it.
 - Drafted deeds of conveyance for sale of immovable property and assisted in the registration of the same.

INTERNSHIPS

- **Chambers of Senior Advocate Ms. Indira Jaising, The Supreme Court of India, Law Chambers, New Delhi.** *[July-August, 2017: 4 weeks]*

Extensively researched and helped formulate arguments in the matters of

Nippun Saxena v Union of India,

Goolrookh M. Gupta v Sam Rusi Chhotia,

Bhaskar Nandi v Union of India,

Rashminara Begum v Union of India.

- **Chambers of Advocate Ashim Kumar Burman, The High Court at Calcutta, Law Chambers, Kolkata.** *[January-February, 2017: 4 weeks]*

Did drafting and assisting in the preparation of draft/counter statements relating to various cases civil in nature.

Drafted a deed of partnership for the formation of a business.

- **World Wide Fund, head office, NGO, New Delhi.** *[January-February, 2016: 4 weeks]*

Attended NGT court sessions daily and prepared a detailed report of the cases that were heard and ruled upon on a daily basis.

Authored a research paper titled, "Judicial activism and Environmental law in India" featuring the foundation of Environmental laws in India as laid down by the Judiciary, especially the green bench in the Supreme Court of India.

- **Gujarat National Law University, Centre for Sports Law and Research, University, Gandhinagar.** *[December, 2015-January, 2016: 4 weeks]*

- Submitted reports on the following research issues:

Determining the need and an analysis of National Sports Development Bill, 2013.

Defects in the native scenario that discourage development of sports law in India.

sports and entertainment law in India.

Impact assessment of Sports law and entertainment and media law in the European Union,

- Worked on the compilation of the weekly news bulletin for the GNLU-Centre of Sports and Entertainment law.

- Submitted a Research paper that is also due to be published, titled- "Case analysis and Comparison of Hockey India and the Bosman case."

- **Chambers of Advocate Sourav Chatterjee, The High Court at Calcutta, Law Chambers, Kolkata.** *[June-July, 2015: 4 weeks]*

Drafted petitions under sections 438, 439, 374(2), 401 and 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973

Prepared written notes of arguments and did elaborate research on case laws for aid and reference in the petitions.

- **Chambers of Advocate Kishore Bannerjee, Sealdah District Court, Law Chambers, Kolkata.** *[December, 2014-January, 2015: 4 weeks]*

Researched on various points of law related to the Civil Procedure Code, 1908, the Transfer of Property Act, 1882 and Limitations Act 1963.

Researched Case laws in support of different cases being handled by his office.

Did proof reading and bail application drafting under section 438 of CrPC, 1973.

▪ **International Hope Foundation, NGO, Kolkata.**

[May-June, 2014: 4 weeks]

Did proof reading, editing, preparing reports, poster and chart making,
Did survey of street children under the Kolkata Police and Hope Foundation
Collaborated with their “Nabadisha” Project,

- Taught ‘formal’ and ‘non-formal’ children.
- Contributed efforts towards acquiring sponsorship under Int. Hope Foundation, Kolkata.

MOOT COURT EXPERIENCE

- Participated and qualified till the quarter finals in the Anasal University International Moot Court Competition, (2017).
- Participated and qualified till the quarterfinal rounds in the IMS Unison University National Moot Competition, as the First Speaker, (2015).
- Participated in UPES intra moot competition, as the First Speaker (2014).
- Participated in UPES intra moot competition, as the First Speaker (2013).

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

- Qualified till the semi-finals at the Intra UPES Parliamentary Debate competition, 2017.
- Chaired the UPES intra- Youth Parliament completion (lok Sabha) as speaker.
- Participating in the NLSIU Bangalore International Negotiation Competition, as of 15th April, 2016.
- Won the “Best Parliamentarian” award in the University of Petroleum and Energy Studies National Youth Parliament, 2016.
- Chaired the UPES Intra MUN, 2015 as the CHAIR-PERSON of the UN-HRC.
- Participated in the 4th National Law University, Bhopal, National Parliamentary debate Competition, 2015.
- Won the “High Commendation” Award in the Indira Gandhi National Model United Nations, 2015.
- Won the “Special Mention” Award in JECRC National Model United Nations, 2015.
- Won the “Best parliamentarian Award” in the University of Petroleum and Energy Studies National Youth Parliament, 2015.
- Won the “Best Delegate Award” in University of Petroleum and Energy Studies International Model United Nations, 2015.
- Participated in the 35th Frank Thakur Das Memorial Debate, 2015, as speaker.
- Won the “Best Delegate” award in the UPES Intra Model United Nations, 2014, as the delegate of the Russian Federation in “International Atomic Energy Agency, committee.”
- Participated in the JP Youth Parliament, 2014, representing the university in the ‘Lok Sabha’ as “MP of Meerut”. The university team won the “Best Delegation” award.
- Participated in the Ram Manohar Lohiya National Law University Parliamentary Debate Competition, 2014, as speaker.
- Participated in “UPES Parliamentary Debate Competition, 2014 as speaker.
- Participated in “UPES Parliamentary Debate Competition, 2013 as speaker.

ORGANIZATIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Organised the UPES Oratory Club, Informal discussion Chapter’s first lecture and discussion series featuring Adv. Avani Bansal; B.A. L.L.B (HNLU), BCL (University of Oxford), LL.M (Harvard Law School) on 24th February, 2017 as the **founder and first student convenor** of the UPES Oratory club, Informal Discussions Group.
(The video of the lecture is available on YouTube at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fl_sMUDb5hw).
- Organised the UPES Book Club’s first ‘National Epilogue Writing Competition, 2017’.
- Organised and chaired discussions on various legal and policy issues under the UPES Oratory Club Informal Discussions Chapter, among students as well as with respective knowledgeable personalities of the respective fields.
- Organised the UPES Book Clubs fan fiction writing competition, 2016.
- Organised events in the UPES Oratory club law week celebrations, 2016.
- Organised the UPES Literary and Debating Society Elocution and Extempore Competition, 2015.