

Sovanna Dash

Legal Associate

Effective legal associate with a proven track record of success in supporting complex legal matters. Possesses deep expertise in intellectual property procedures and a strong understanding of the legal landscape. Seeks to leverage extensive experience and qualifications to contribute to a dynamic and innovative team environment, fostering mutual growth and achieving exceptional results.



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WORK EXPERIENCE

Legal Associate

Selvam and Selvam

06/2022 - Present

Chennai

Tasks

- Team Lead - EU/MENA/UK/Russia (Trademarks, Designs & Copyright).
- Advised on intellectual property matters across a diverse range of industries.
- Framed advisory notes independently for various client queries, including queries in relation to Trademark, Copyright, Commercial and IP laws.
- Managed a team of professionals handling trademark registrations, design protection, and copyright enforcement in Europe, the Middle East, North Africa, and Russia.
- Possess in-depth knowledge of Indian IP laws and experience handling IP matters in South Asian countries (Pakistan, Bhutan, Maldives, Sri Lanka, Bangladesh, Nepal).
- Handled clients independently while working on IP regulations for multinational organizations operating various verticals.
- Leveraged strong legal drafting and review skills to manage trademark prosecution, including drafting applications, responding to office actions, and preparing opposition arguments.

Trainee

Lex Protector

04/2021 - 05/2022

Bhubaneswar

Tasks

- Worked closely on Copyright and Trademark infringement matters which dealt with various laws like Trademark Act 1999, The Copyright Act 1957, Contracts Act 1872.
- Framed legal drafts with respect to Copyright and Trademark Infringements which includes DMCA and Cease and Desist Notice.

EDUCATION

LLM in Intellectual Property and Technology Law

OP Jindal Global University

03/2023 - 03/2024

BBA LLB (Intellectual Property Rights Honors)

KIIT School Of Law, KIIT University

2017 - 2022

Bhubaneswar

AISSCE (Commerce)

Delhi Public School Kalinga

2017

Cuttack

SKILLS

Effective Team Leader

Detail Oriented

Good time management

Communication Skills

Adaptability

Critical thinking and problem solving

Drafting Familiarity with Court Procedures

PUBLICATIONS

“Liberty For Intermediaries For Infringement Of Copyright And Related Rights” under International Journal of Law Management and Humanities having ISSN 2581-5369.

“Mergers Of Banks and Legal Position Of Banking Employees” under Centre for Study of Contemporary Legal Issues.

INTERNSHIPS

Wadia Ghandy & Co.

Trainee

Future Generali Insurance General Insurance Co. Ltd

Assessment Intern

Puthran and Associates, Chennai

Intern

LANGUAGES

English

Native or Bilingual Proficiency

Hindi

Native or Bilingual Proficiency

Odia

Native or Bilingual Proficiency

LICENSES AND COURSES

Advocate issued by BCI - Bar Council of India

Company Secretary - Foundation Stage Cleared

General Course on Intellectual Property under WIPO