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ACADEMICS

▪ **B.A. LL.B.**

- Fifth year (Semester IX) student at Symbiosis Law School, NOIDA.

▪ **Secondary and Senior Secondary**

- XII (CBSE): 86.6 % (O.P. Jindal School, Angul, Odisha)
- X (CBSE): 10 CGPA (Little Hearts Toddlers Academy, Angul, Odisha)

INTERSHIPS

▪ **Inttl Advocare, Noida, Uttar Pradesh**

(July 2024)

- Worked on Trade Marks Opposition and Litigation matters
- Assisted in drafting Notice of Oppositions, Contempt Petitions
- Assisted in drafting various application that are filed in a Trade Marks Suit:
 - o Application seeking interim injunction
 - o Application for filing additional documents
 - o Application seeking time to file original copies of documents and clear copies of dim/ illegible documents
 - o Application seeking exemption from institution of a pre- mediation suit
 - o Application seeking exemption from advance service
- Researched on various propositions, including:
 - o Reverse Passing Off and Reverse Confusion
 - o Whether sporadic/ intermittent use of a Trade Mark is sufficient to claim the defense of prior use in a suit for passing off
- Worked on docketing of hearing documents and evidences that were to be filed in the suit

▪ **Trayambak Overseas Private Limited, Noida, Uttar Pradesh**

(June 2024)

- Worked on trademark prosecution cases
- Did word and device searches and prepared search reports for various marks
- Did class searches and made report on class details of marks
- Did Journal watches
- Worked on trademark consultation
- Drafted Cease and Desist Notice, Counter Statements, Notice of Oppositions, Evidences under Rule 45 & Rule 46
- Docketed documents for hearing
- Assessed user details for different marks

▪ **Boudhik IP Firm, Noida, Uttar Pradesh**

(March- April 2024)

- Worked on trademark prosecution cases
 - Did trademark searches for various trademarks followed by preparation of the clearance reports
 - Drafted e- mails to the clients on the clearance reports
 - Drafted Notice of Oppositions (NoPs), Counter- Statements; and Replies to Examination Reports, Objections and other NoPs in trademark cases
 - Assisted in drafting Evidences under Rules 45 and 46 of the Trademark Rules, 2017
 - Learnt filing of Trademark and Design Applications, Replies, Counter- Statements through the IPINDIA website
 - Prepared Hearing Notes and also attended hearing scheduled before the Trademark Registry
 - Researched and prepared summaries of various case laws relating to recent developments in the area of Trademark Law
 - Learnt docketing of trademarks and of documents required during Hearing before the Trademark Registry
 - Worked on international trademark matters
- **Chambers of Adv. Gopal Singh, New Delhi** (December 2022)
- Worked on criminal matters including POCSO Act, 2012 and Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881.
 - Handled various arbitration matters pertaining to contractual disputes wherein we represented the State of Haryana.
 - Assisted in drafting and filing of Statement of Claim, Statement of Defense, Counter Claim, Applications in arbitration matters.
- **Chambers of Adv. Sudhir Agarwal, Raipur, Chhattisgarh** (July- August 2022)
- Worked on civil matters; particularly divorces, maintenance and property disputes and check bouncing related matters.
 - Assisted in filing of petitions, replies and applications in the civil matters.
- **Law Office of Rahul Dev, New Delhi** (July 2021- August 2021)
- Worked as legal trainee and learnt about IPR tools including trademark, copyright, patent and design.
 - Researched on IPR Laws and legal aspect of AI and blockchain.
 - Learnt drafting of IPR clauses and agreements.
- **Chambers of Adv. Ehtesham Hashmi, New Delhi** (August 2021)
- Assisted in drafting Special Leave Petitions (SLPs), Bail Application and PIL at the High Court of Madhya Pradesh and at the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.
 - Researched extensively on various public law issues including degraded quality of grains supplied via ration card in the state of Madhya Pradesh.
- **International Centre for Culture and Education, Palghar** (March 2021- April 2021)
- Worked as Youth Ambassador for Social Law Youth Initiative Program- a social law program supported by Bar Association of India
 - Engaged in teaching about basics of Indian Judicial System, the Constitution of India, rights and responsibilities of an Indian citizen

CO-CURRICULAR & ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- Participated as Researcher in the **10th RGNUL National Moot Court Competition, Patiala, Punjab, 2022** and was ranked 5th.
- Participated as speaker in the **3rd Wildlife Protection Government Law College National Online Moot Court Competition, Mumbai, Maharashtra, 2021**
- Selected as member of College **Moot Court Society** for 2021-2022.
- Certificate of Merit in the Online Dispute Resolution Course by **SAMA** in 2021
- Certificate of Merit in the Basics of Litigation Course by **LawOctopus Law School** in 2021
- Part of PR Team of **Aparajit Sports Fest** of College for 2024
- Selected as the member of the **Badminton Contingent of Sports Committee** of College for 2022-2023
- Member of the **Rotaract Club of Noida Youth** for 2021-2022