

## ARCHANA VISWANATH

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**QUEEN MARY UNIVERSITY OF LONDON**, London, England

**Merit**

Intellectual Property Law L.L.M (2022-2023)

**JINDAL GLOBAL LAW SCHOOL**, Sonipat, Haryana

**6.4/8.0 GPA**

B.A., LL.B. (*Hons.*) (2017-2022)

**GOOD SHEPHERD INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL**, Ootacamund, Tamil Nadu

**90.3%**

I.C.S.E Class XII (March 2017)

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### WORK EXPERIENCE

**Brysa Limited-** London, United Kingdom

**March 2024- Sept 2024**

In House Legal Intern

#### Drafting:

- Drafted a business partnership agreement between **a media company and a food and beverage company** focusing on Digital Out of Home (DOOH) advertising.
- Reviewed, drafted, and assisted in negotiations of various master service agreements, service level agreements, subcontractor agreements, and statement of work contracts with key vendors and customers of the company.
- Drafted standard contracts for the company, including non-disclosure agreements, employment agreements, termination clauses.

#### Due Diligence and Compliance:

- Conducted due diligence and revision of company policies.
- Drafted a comprehensive privacy and cookie policy for the company website, ensuring compliance with European Union's General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and UK's Data Privacy Act (DPA), with special focus on "adequacy" decisions for non-EU countries.
- Created and implemented a GDPR compliance framework for the company.

### INTERNSHIPS

**qLegal, QMUL-** London, United Kingdom

**Oct 2022- July 2023**

Student Legal Advisor

#### Startup 1:

- Provided pro bono legal advice to startups, delivering support in corporate law, IP, data protection, and employment regulations, and collaborated with Solicitors from leading law firms in London to deliver legal services, related to advisory and dispute resolution.
- Advised and assisted on the establishment of a Community Interest Company in compliance with English and Welsh law.

## **Startup 2:**

- Advised a **smart platform service provider** in the healthcare sector in relation to issuance of shares to an angel investor.
- Drafted and reviewed the letter of intent and shareholders' agreement for the primary issuance of shares, facilitating a minority stake acquisition in the company.
- Delivered a presentation on drafting letter of intent, shareholder agreements, focusing on the rights of investors, including pre-emption rights, board representation rights, reserved matters, right of first offer / refusal, tag along / drag along rights, and call / put options.
- Advised regarding the collection and processing of “special category personal data” as per GDPR and DPA compliance measures.

**ADV. VIVEK NARAYAN SHARMA-** Supreme Court of India, India

**Dec 2020- Jan 2021**

## **Research Team**

- Conducted research on Constitutional law principles and legislation concerning women's rights within the Indian legal framework.
- Specialised in the study of the Evidence Act and IPC acquiring in-depth understanding and proficiency in their application and implications.
- Conducted a comparative analysis of the POSH Act across various jurisdictions, identifying legal ambiguities and proposing effective solutions to address them.

**ADV. J SRIRAM,** Tirupur District Court, Tamil Nadu

**Dec 2021- Feb 2022**

## **Civil and Family Litigation**

## **RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS**

- “Music in the Metaverse: Are Current Laws Sufficient?”, Indian Journal of Law and Legal Research- (Volume VI, Issue III).
- “Comparative Analysis of Gene Editing and Patenting Laws: India vs. EU”, International Journal of Legal Science and Innovation- (Volume 6, Issue 4).
- “Scope of Neuroscience Beyond Determining Responsibility: Legality of Brain Implants”, International Journal for Legal Research and Analysis- (Volume II, Issue 7).

## **CO- SCHOLASTIC CREDENTIALS**

- Member of the Jindal Moot Court Society, O.P. Jindal University (2020). Ranked 26/100.
- Highest scoring memo team in the MAIMS National Moot Court Competition (2020).
- Member of Student Chapter for Corporate Law and Practice, O.P. Jindal University (2021-2022).
- Editor of the Global Business Law Review, O.P. Jindal University (2021-2022).