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ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

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| • All India Bar Exam [AIBE-18] | : PASSED | [March 2024] |
| • Cumulative Percentage | : 72% | [2017-2022] |
| • Class XII (CBSE Board, Humanities) | : 68% | [2017] |
| • Class X (CBSE Board) | : 80% | [2015] |

WORK EXPERIENCE

- **Associate Advocate at Chambers of Sr. Adv Gopal Ghosh at Calcutta High Court**
Kolkata | 2022- present
 - Drafted and prepared legal documents including affidavits of service, writ petitions, affidavits in opposition, applications for stay, substitution, condonation of delay under Section 5 of the Limitation Act, and exceptions to reports.
 - Conducted in-depth legal research on precedents relevant to ongoing cases, including high-stakes real estate matters and property disputes.
 - Performed due diligence and proofread legal documents to ensure accuracy and compliance with legal standards.
 - Appeared in court and assisted senior counsel, Mr. Ghosh, in case proceedings, including mentioning urgent matters before the Hon'ble High Court.
 - Participated in client conferences, providing legal insights and strategies to address case-specific challenges.
 - Assisted in drafting briefs, and legal arguments of a wide range of civil and commercial disputes.
- **Kshetry and Associates Law Offices**
Kolkata | February 2022
 - Retrieved CNR numbers, case statuses, and cause lists for ongoing matters using eCourt Services.
 - Drafted written statements for various legal cases.
 - Observed court proceedings and familiarized myself with the functioning of lower courts.
- **Sinha and Company, Advocates**
Kolkata | February 2020
 - Attended the Calcutta High Court to observe miscellaneous cases involving civil and criminal disputes.

- Analyzed case briefs and prepared chronological lists of dates for matters including applications under Sections 397/401 with Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.
 - Conducted case analysis for a writ petition involving a company limited by shares and incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956.
 - Researched and summarized the *ratio decidendi* of judgments related to a tax dispute.
 - Explored various aspects of contractual matters and contributed to legal research.
- **Legal Intern at the Chambers of Mr. Kallol Basu**
Calcutta High Court – Advocate | May 2019 – March 2020 (11 Months)
 - Drafted affidavits in opposition and other legal applications.
 - Conducted extensive research on the Indian Stamp Act, 1889, the Right to Education Act (RTE), 2009, custodial deaths, and the Citizenship Act, 1955.
 - Compiled a comprehensive list of relevant judgments on *Lex Soli*.
 - Prepared case comments on landmark judgments, including the *Sabarimala* and *Ayodhya* verdicts.
 - Analyzed the case of *Assam Sanmilita Mahasangha & Ors vs Union of India & Ors*.
 - Researched topics including the Indian Contract Act, 1872, maintenance laws, mediation, alternative dispute resolution (ADR), and Lok Adalat.
 - Explored constitutional matters under Article 326 and conflicts between the Citizenship Amendment Act and Articles 5-9 of the Indian Constitution.
 - Conducted research on the Foreigners Act, 1946, and the Passport (Entry into India) Act, 1920.
 - **Judicial Intern at the Chambers of Hon'ble Justice Protik Prokash Banerjee**
Calcutta High Court | April 2019 – May 2019
 - Assisted in researching and analyzing judgments for various miscellaneous cases.
 - Supported the Hon'ble Justice in judgment writing.
 - Analyzed cases involving service matters, writ appeals, accident claims, buyer-seller disputes, and child care leave for West Bengal government employees.
 - Observed court proceedings and documented key insights, including cases related to the appointment and service conditions of para-teachers, writ petitions, and delayed retirement benefit payments.
 - Gained foundational knowledge of drafting principles and legal writing techniques.

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- **CERTIFICATE COURSE: Introduction to Legal Drafting: Contracts, Petitions, Opinions and Articles.- [Lawsikho]**
 - Drafted and reviewed key clauses of contracts, ensuring clarity, precision, and compliance with legal standards.

- Prepared and finalized Non-Disclosure Agreements (NDAs) and Memorandums of Understanding (MOUs).
- Drafted specialized contracts, including Material Supply Agreements and Annual Maintenance Contracts.
- Conducted thorough reviews, proofreading, and finalization of legal documents to ensure accuracy and adherence to legal requirements.
- Prepared detailed chronological lists of dates and events for case management.
- Drafted complaints and affidavits, ensuring proper legal formatting and alignment with case objectives.

LANGUAGES KNOWN

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| • English | [Full Proficiency] |
| • Bengali | [Full Proficiency] |
| • Hindi | [Full Proficiency] |