DHRUV KHURANA

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Adequate experience in handling Corporate Transactions and structuring, Indirect Tax Advisory and Litigation, Pro bono Criminal matters, Due Diligence, Secretarial Compliances and Shareholder Agreements. Keen to apply my hitherto limited experience and enhance my knowledge by developing and delving further into the field of Corporate and International Law including but not limited to Mergers and Acquisition, Dispute Resolution, International Trade Law and its pragmatic application.

EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Examination	Institution/University	Year of passing	Grade	Remarks
Master of Laws in International and European Business Law (LL.M.) *	University of Dublin, Trinity College Dublin	Expected: 2020	Expected: 1.1	Modules: Intl' Business Tax Law, Commercial Arbitration, Financial Services, M&A, IDR, Intl' Trade Law
Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.)	University of Delhi, Faculty of Law	2018	2.1	61.3% (Equivalent to second-class honours)
Company Secretary	Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI)	2017	Passed all examination in 1st attempt	Equivalent to degree offered by ICSA
Bachelor of Commerce B.com. (Hons.)	University of Delhi, Delhi College of Arts and Commerce	2015	1 st	76% (Equivalent to first- class honours)
HSC (12 th Standard)	CBSE Board, Bal Bharati Public School	2012	1 st	92.2% (Equivalent to first- class honours)
SSC (10 th Standard)	CBSE Board, Bal Bharati Public School	2010	1 st	CGPA 9 (Equivalent to first-class honours)

^{*}I will appear for Final Examinations (FEs) in Spring 2020.

AWARDS AND HONOURS

- **2018: "Best Presenter"** of 286th Batch of Management Skill Orientation Programme (MSOP) conducted by Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI);
- **2018: "Best Participant"** of 286th Batch of MSOP conducted by ICSI; *(only few people have been awarded with both the honours in the history of ICSI)
- 2018: "Second Runners' Up" and "Best Ramp Walk" in a modelling competition i.e. India's Next Top Model organized by Pg3 Entertainment;
- 2018: "Winner" of World Bank Impact Challenge at HPAIR Conference for drafting and presenting a draft Monetary Policy for Malaysia;
- 2018: Featured in a short film filmed by "Tencent" for HPAIR Conference;
- 2015: Accorded with "Mr. Fashionista" for the batch of 2012-2015;
- **2014: "Winner"** of a dance competition at "Oasis" organised by BITS Pilani; *(one of the most prestigious and largest cultural festivals of India)
- Represented my school in cricket tournaments & athletic meets along with being a front runner of my school choir and dance group.

CAREER HISTORY

Associate Trainee at Economic Laws Practice (ELP), New Delhi (December, 2018 to August, 2019)

ELP is one of India's top tier full-service law firm with more than 200 qualified professionals. Worked as an *Associate Trainee* in Indirect Tax Advisory & Litigation and team for Corporate Law, where I:

- Drafted, filed and appeared for 10-15 Special Leave Petitions filed before Supreme Court of India, 20-25 petitions filed before High Court of different jurisdictions and 30-35 matters pending before various Tribunals related to Anti-dumping, taxation and money laundering;
- Participated in interpretation and reporting of Union Budget of India' 2019;
- Drafting of 10-15 opinions related to Indirect tax and Inter-company loans requiring analyses of structuring modules to achieve the objective of minimum tax pay-out;
- Worked along with clients on 4 pro-bono criminal and commercial matters achieving 100% success rate.

Legal Associate & Company Secretary at India Juris, New Delhi (July, 2018 to December, 2018)

India Juris is a full-service international law firm with several branches pan India. Worked as a *Legal Associate* and *Company Secretary*, where I:

- Handled the Secretarial Department with a team of two associates:
- Concluded foreign direct investments amounting to ₹100 million along with its compliances;
- Conducted 10-15 corporate due-diligence and its reporting by analysing its effect on the investor;
- Drafted 20-25 Shareholder Agreements and time sheets;
- Sponsored to attend and represent the firm at The Harvard Project for Asian and International Relations (HPAIR), 2018.

INTERNSHIPS

Organisation	Position	Practice Area	Period
Mr. Lekh Raj Bajaj	CS Trainee	Corporate Law	November, 2017 to April, 2018
R & D Company	CS Trainee	Corporate Law	March, 2017 to October, 2017
Secretaries			
LexOrbis	Intern	Intellectual Property Rights	January, 2017 to March, 2017
Associated Law Advisors	Intern	Corporate/ Secretarial	July, 2016 to August, 2016
Office of Mr. Vikram	Intern	Criminal Law	January, 2016 to March, 2016
Singh Panwar			

CERTIFICATIONS

- 2019: Certificate Course in "Cyber Law" from Indian Law Institute;
- 2016: World Intellectual Property Organisation: General Course on Intellectual Property, IP Panorama;
- 2014: Certified Broker in Mutual Funds by National Institute of Securities Markets (NISM).

CONFERENCES ATTENDED

- 2018: Global Market and Economy Panel Delegate at Harvard Project For Asian And International Relations (HPAIR);
- 2018: Delegate at 2nd Permanent Court of Arbitration-India Conference.

POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

- 2019: Organizing meditation camp in collaboration with "Osho Meditation";
- **2017:** Organizing Committee Member, "Hult Prize" at University of Delhi (World's largest Entrepreneurship Competition);
- 2013-2014: Member of the Dance Society at University of Delhi, Delhi College of Arts and Commerce;
- 2013-2014: Organizing Committee Member, DCAC Model United Nations;
- 2011-2012: School Sports Captain and House Captain.

SKILLS

- Excellent inter-personal and communication skills with team management experience;
- Good knowledge of working on Microsoft Excel and Word;
- Influential and effective presentation and public speaking skills;
- Driven to learn and apply new ideas and skills, while holding proven ability to work against stringent deadlines:
- Ability to adapt quickly to challenging and dynamic environments.

PERSONAL INTERESTS

- Philanthropic services; served and contributed towards development of Arya Kanya Vidyalaya, Arya Mahila Ashram (old age home); Sanjay Gandhi Animal Hospital;
- Reading and writing;
- Yoga and meditation:
- Learning and **exploring** varied cultures, adventures and sports.

REFERENCES

Available on request.