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### **Education**

#### **SNG Law College, Akola**

B.A. LL.B. (5 years DC) - July 2013 – June 2018

- Qualified Jurisdiction – Maharashtra & Goa (States); India (Country)
- Percentage – 62%
- Division – I

#### **The Hague Academy of International Law, The Hague**

Summer Course – Public International Law – July 2017

#### **Hong Kong International Arbitration Centre Training, Hong Kong**

HKIIAC Tribunal Secretary Training Programme – June 2018

### **Experience**

#### **International Case Counsel**

**Asian International Arbitration Centre (AIAC), Kuala Lumpur - July 2018 – Present**

- Administering international and domestic arbitration matters
- Drafting legal opinions on matters relating to rules, procedures on arbitration
- Liaising with external parties as well as other operating functions and service of the centre
- Presenting in seminars and training sessions on recent developments in arbitration

#### **International Arbitration Trainee**

**Asian International Arbitration Centre (AIAC), Kuala Lumpur - January 2018 – June 2018**

- Assisted international case counsels on international arbitration and adjudication matters
- Part of team working on revision of arbitration, fast track arbitration, i-arbitration rules
- Part of organizing committee behind 2<sup>nd</sup> AIAC-ICC Vis Pre Moot which was the largest Vis Pre-Moot in the world
- Prepared case briefs and conduct legal research

## **Editor-in-Chief**

### **Law Web (www.lawweb.in), Mumbai - July 2013 – Present**

- Blog on various legal topics including Arbitration law
- Manage social media with more than 60,000 followers
- Designed unique legal search engine for the blog

## **Legal Intern**

### **District Court (District Arbitral Tribunal), Akola - August 2016 – March 2017**

- Researched arbitration law
- Worked on bank arbitrations and arbitrations between local companies

## **Summer Legal Intern**

### **Bombay High Court (Nagpur Bench), Nagpur - June 2016 – July 2016**

- Part of research team working on IP Law and arbitration
- Researched several case laws and treaties regarding arbitration in intellectual property disputes

## **Legal Intern**

### **Office of Public Prosecutor (ADR Division), Akola - July 2015 – March 2016**

- Attended and summarized depositions
- Part of research team working on criminal ADR and prosecution of corporate crimes like antitrust violation, misappropriation of funds, embezzlement, etc.

## **Legal Intern**

### **Sessions Court, Akola - February 2014 – April 2014**

- Attended guidance session for interns by Hon'ble Presiding Officer
- Daily duties included legal research, attending client meetings, assisting the mentor and maintaining daily work diary

## **Legal Intern**

### **Akola District Court (Civil Jurisdiction), Akola - August 2013 – October 2013**

- Worked with Civil Lawyer for period of 3 months at District Court, Akola
- Attended court proceedings and maintained diary of daily legal work

## **Skills**

### **Legal**

- Proficient in legal research and well conversant with legal databases like Westlaw, LexisNexis, HeinOnline, Manupatra and SCC Online

### **Language**

- Professional working proficiency – English, Hindi, Marathi
- Elementary proficiency – French, Spanish

## **Other Skills**

- Proficient – MS office, HTML coding, Content Management Systems (CMS)
- Typing speed – 43 wpm and 92% accuracy

## **Co-curricular and Extra-Curricular**

- **Leiden Law School (MOOC)** – International Law in Action: the Arbitration of International Disputes – April 2018 – June 2018
- **Presented paper** – “Concept of Arbitrability in India” at First Asian Conference for Students and Young Practitioners by AIAC YPG – March 2018
- **Participated and served as member of organizing committee** – Workshop on Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 – February 2017
- **Head of organizing committee** – Seminar on Juvenile Justice Law In India – September 2015
- **Student Member** – Chartered Institute of Arbitrators; Dutch Arbitration Association; AIAC YPG; Young ICCA; ICC YAF; DIS 40

## **Awards and Honors**

- **Scholarship** – Columbia Law School – Chartered Institute of Arbitrators Comprehensive Course on International Arbitration 2018 (Declined)
- **Scholarship** – University of Vienna Summer School and Austrian Arbitration Academy 2018 (Declined)
- **Scholarship** – IASC GoArb Madrid 2018 – Investment Arbitration (Declined)
- **Stood 3rd in National PPT Competition** – M. P. Law College, Aurangabad – Feb 2017
- **Winner** – Twice, Intra-College Legal Essay Writing Competition – 2016, 2018