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Arbitration

International Law

Banking Law

Constitutional Law

Civil and Commercial Litigation

Labour Law

Criminal Litigation

Human Rights Litigation

Public Interest Litigation

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Profile

Sana Azhar is an LL.M. graduate in International Commercial Law from Cardiff University. She has prior work experience from various law firms in Karachi. She regularly appears and represents public and private sector clients including leading multinational corporations before various fora including Civil & Criminal Courts and Labour & Environmental Tribunals at Lahore. She has assisted Senior Partners in several high profile cases before the Supreme Court. Her sphere of work includes Civil and Commercial Litigation, Arbitration, Human

Rights, Constitutional and Public Interest Litigation. She is also skilled at legal research and legal opinion writing.

Professional Experience

02/2021- 03/2021 Hanif, Adnan & Faisal, Associate

- Research & legal opinion writing for banks, corporate and private clients.
- Reviewed various documents relating to land title, banking agreements etc.
- Drafted mortgage related legal documents.
- Drafted corporate agreements and civil suits.

09/2020 – Punjab Bar Council, Advocate

12/2018 – 5/2019 Irfan & Irfan Associates, Associate

02/2015 – 04/2015 Haidermota & Bnr Associates, Associate

09/2013 – 07/2014 Faruqi & Irfan Litigation Firm, Associate

06/2012 - 02/2013 Zia G Sheikh Litigation Firm, Intern

07/2013 Jamil & Jamil Advocates, Intern

07/2011– 8/2011 Saiduddin & Co. Advocates Law Firm, Intern

- Assisted senior counsel in High Court and Supreme Court cases.
- Conducted legal research on workplace harassment law; defamation law; food law; land disputes. employment law; banking law; trust law; family law; succession law etc.
- Drafted constitutional petitions; suits; applications.
- Interacted with clients via email and in person meetings; business networking;

10/2011 – 02/2013 "The Counsel" (Law magazine), Intern

06/2011 – 07/2011 Liaqat Merchant Associates, Intern

- Reviewed and edited various legal documents including Modaraba contract; Memorandum and Articles of Association; Letter of Hypothecation etc.
- Studied Market Making Agreements; areas of Companies Ordinance 1984; Mortgage and Security requirements; Security and Confidentiality in outsourcing agreements; Post execution agreements; Stamp Act; Law of Agency; Rules of Business; JVA guidelines; SBP guidelines on Exports.

Education

2015– 2016 Cardiff University, Wales, UK, **LL.M. - International Commercial Law**

Modules:

- International Banking Law
- International Sales Law
- International Humanitarian Law
- International Law of Human Rights

2010– 2013 University of London, **LL.B. Honours**

Languages

English	Urdu – Native
Spoken: Fluent	Spoken: Fluent
Article Writing: Literature	Letter Writing: Reading

Reference(s)

Can be provided upon request