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## **PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY**

PhD Candidate in Law at Australian Catholic University with strong expertise in administrative law, intellectual property and international trade. Experienced in advising on IP law and collaboration with WIPO and providing legal research and drafting for both government and private clients. Skilled in case law research, preparing legal briefs, and supporting litigation and advisory work.

## **EDUCATION**

**PhD in Law (11/2025 - current)** – Australian Catholic University, Melbourne, Australia

**Postgraduate in International & European Trade and Investment Law (with honours)** – University of Szeged, Hungary (09/2023 – 01/2025)

During this study program,

Thesis: Copyright Harmonisation in Nordic Countries in the context of TRIPS Agreement | GPA: 4.9/5

**Bachelor's degree** – Silk Road International University of Tourism, Uzbekistan (10/2019 – 07/2023)

## **LEGAL & PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**Lead Legal Advisor – Intellectual Center under Ministry of Justice of Uzbekistan**

*04/2025 – 10/2025*

- Advised government agencies and private clients on trademarks, patents, and copyright matters.
- Drafted licensing agreements, compliance reports, and legal strategies.
- Represented the IP Center in consultations with international organisations.
- Collaboration with WIPO and attending in harmonizing International agreements into national law.
- Assisted in drafting national IP policy

**Research Assistant – University of Szeged, Faculty of Law**

*06/2024 – 10/2024*

- Conducted case law research in EU trade and IP law.
- Assisted in drafting academic papers and commentaries on cross-border IP enforcement.
- Supported teaching in international law and arbitration courses.

**Consultant – International & IP Law Projects (Hungary, Uzbekistan)**

*09/2023 – 06/2024*

- Prepared legal opinions on intellectual property, data protection, and arbitration.
- Drafted position papers and memoranda for international partners.
- Assisted with due diligence and legal compliance assessments.

### **Remote Legal Intern – High School of Economics (HSE) Moscow**

*02/2024-03/024*

- Conducted research on legal implications of climate change for global economy and legal issues of the Belt and Road Initiative (BRI)

### **Policy Researcher – Youth Parliament, Uzbekistan**

*10/2020 – 01/2023*

- Assisted in legislative drafting and policy reviews.
- Researched case precedents and comparative law practices.
- Drafted reports and prepared supporting documents for committee discussions.

### **Selected Publications & Contributions**

- Co-authored articles on IP law, EU trade law, and taxation.
- Presented research on copyright harmonisation and IP compliance at international conferences.

### **Skills**

- Legal Drafting: contracts, compliance reports, memoranda
- Case Law & Statutory Research (IP, trade, administrative law)
- Intellectual Property (trademarks, patents, copyright)
- International Arbitration & Cross-border Law
- Client Advisory & Legal Compliance
- Languages: English (fluent), Russian (fluent), Uzbek (native)

### **Professional Development & Awards**

- Scholarship holder of ACU Tuition Fee Waiver for PhD program in Law (Australia)
- Stipendium Hungaricum Scholarship for Postgraduate degree (Hungary)
- Erasmus+ Programs (Poland, Romania)
- UNDP Grants for short-term start-up