Qualifications

- Advocate and Member of Karnataka State Bar Council, Bangalore, 2017
- ➤ B.A., LL.B. CMR Law School, Bangalore (2016)
- ➤ Indian School Certificate Clarence High School, Bangalore (2011)
- ➤ Indian Certificate of Secondary Education Clarence High School, Bangalore (2009)

Internship Experience

➤ **AM Abacus Group** (*July, 2016 – August, 2016*)

- Drafted and reviewed Master Service Agreements.
- Conducted research on:
 - i. the legitimacy of shell companies;
 - ii. procedure for incorporation of a company in Seychelles under the International Business Companies Act, 1994;
 - iii. objectives of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development; the role of Common Reporting Standards and Competent Authority Agreements in the automatic exchange of financial information between jurisdictions.

▶ BMR Legal (*July*, 2015 – August, 2015)

- Drafted Joint Venture Agreement, Development Rights Agreement and assisted in conducting due diligence for a client in the technology industry and prepared the due diligence report.
- Conducted research on:
 - i. share transfer restrictions of public companies under Section 58 of the Companies Act, 2013;
 - ii. requirements for issuing shares for consideration other than cash under Section 62 of Companies Act, 2013;
 - iii. provision of loans to wholly owned subsidiaries under Sections 186 and 188 of Companies Act, 2013;
 - iv. capital gains tax under the Indo-Singapore Double Taxation Avoidance Agreement, Comprehensive Economic Cooperation Agreement; exemptions from capital gains tax under Sections 54, 54F and 54EC of the Income Tax Act, 1961.

➤ Advocate Satish L. Maneshinde (July, 2014)

- Drafted applications for bail.
- Conducted research on circumstances under which accounts can be de-frozen under Section 102 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973; cases pertaining to curable irregularities under Section 460 of the Code Criminal Procedure, 1973 and domestic violence under Section 498a of the Indian Penal Code.

➤ Holla & Holla Advocates (July, 2013)

- Conducted research on:
 - i. the finality and enforcement of arbitral awards under Section 35 and 36 of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996;
 - ii. Sections 463, 471, 475 and 476 of the Indian Penal Code relating to forgery;
 - iii. conditions under which an agent can enforce a contract on behalf of the principal under Section 230 of the Indian Contract Act, 1872;
 - iv. declaratory decrees under Section 34 of the Specific Relief Act, 1963.

> Trilegal (April, 2013)

- Conducted research on
 - i. recovery of deposit of a leased property according to the provisions of the Transfer of Property Act, 1882;

- ii. uncapped indemnity under Indian Contract Act, 1872 and specific performance under Specific Relief Act, 1963;
- iii. corporate criminal liability and provisions relating to liaison offices under Companies Act, 1956:
- iv. forms to be submitted by employer for registration and closure under the Karnataka Shops and Establishments Act, 1961 and forms to be submitted by employees under State Insurance (Central) Rules, 1950;
- v. circumstances under which a Memorandum of Settlement can be challenged under the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947;
- vi. procedure for resolution of arbitration disputes under the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996;
- vii. objectives required to float a voluntary retirement scheme under Section 2BA of Income Tax Rules and the requirement of employees to furnish details of income earned from the previous employer under Rule 26A of the Income Tax Act, 1961;
- viii. lands falling under the Karnataka Scheduled Caste and Scheduled tribes Act, 1978;
- ix. provisions concerning 'total loss' in a private car package policy under the Insurance Development and regulatory Authority Act, 1999.
- ➤ South Indian Cell for Human Rights Education and Monitoring (January, 2013 February, 2013)
 - Conducted research on:
 - i. domestic violence under Sections 324, 326 and 498A of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 after attending a meeting between the victim and the lawyer;
 - ii. provisions to be added in the Criminal Law (Amendment) Bill, 2013 with reference to the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 and Indian Evidence Act, 1972;
 - iii. object of the Juvenile Justice Act, 2000 and violations of Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009;
 - Drafted complaint letters to the National Human Rights Commission regarding the rise in rape cases and violation of the rights of women.

➤ **Dua Associates** (August, 2012)

- Conducted research on:
 - i. the World Intellectual Property Organisation, International Trademark Association and the International Corporation for Assigned Names and Members;
 - ii. retrenchment of employees under the Industrial Dispute Act, 1947;
 - iii. exemption of taxes and duties under the Special Economic Zones Act, 2005;
 - iv. cruelty under Sections 13 (a) and (b) of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955;
 - v. Corporate criminal liability under the Companies Act, 1956.

Co-curricular activities

- ► **Runner-up** at the 5th SLCU National Moot Court Competition, (September, 2014) http://mcsslcu.weebly.com/slcu-national-moot-court-competition-2014;
 - Quarter finalists at the *First International Moot Court Competition in International Law*, Karnataka State Law University, Hubli, (November, 2013).
 - **Semi finalists** at the 13th Henry Dunant Memorial Moot Court Competition, (September, 2013).
- Elected as **Student Manager** for the CMR 5th National Moot Court Competition, 2016; the CMR 4th National Moot Court Competition, 2014; CMR International Arbitration Seminar, 2013 and the CMR 3rd National Moot Court Competition, 2012.
- ▶ **Participated** in the B.M Sreenivasaiah Memorial 2nd National Moot Court Competition, (March, 2016); the 17th D.M Harish Memorial Government Law College International Moot Court Competition, 2016; the XVIII All India Moot Court Competition, 2014; the Oxford University of

India Moot Court Competition on Constitutional Law, 2013-2014; 6th Pro Bono Enviro' National Moot Court Competition, 2012;

Languages known

- Working proficiency in written and spoken English, Hindi and Kannada. Fluent in spoken Tamil.