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EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Master of Laws (L.L.M.), Georgetown Law Centre (Washington DC). 2010-2011;
Master of Laws (L.L.M.), McGill University (Montreal), Course concentration: International Business Law, 1998-1999;
Bachelor of Laws, Damascus University (Damascus), 1993-1997;
Practice Diploma in Intellectual Property Law; Granted by the International Bar Association & College of Law (London), 2006;
Practice Diploma in International Business Organizations, Granted by the International Bar Association & College of Law (London), 2004.

LANGUAGES

English, Arabic, French, Armenian

German (intermediate).

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PRESENT POSITION

Partner, Al Owais Advocates & Legal Consultants, 2016.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE BEFORE PRESENT POSITION

Partner, Eversheds LLP, Dubai, September 2011- September 2015;

Legal Consultant/Partner, Khasawneh & Associates Legal Consultants, Dubai, October 2004- August 2010;

Regional Intellectual Property Adviser, Nestle Middle East FZE, Dubai, January 2003-September 2004;

Legal Counsel, Nestle Middle East FZE, Dubai, January 2002-January 2003;

Associate Lawyer, Sabbagh & Associates Law Office, Damascus, August 2000- August 2001;

Trainee Lawyer, El-Hakim Law Office, Damascus, July 1997- July 1998.

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Intellectual Property Law; Commercial Law, Arbitration.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

Syrian Bar (1997);

New York State Bar (2012).

EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Head, Intellectual Property Department at Khasawneh and Associates Legal Consultants.

Regional Intellectual Property Advisor at Nestle Group 2003-2004.

EXPERIENCE WITH RESPECT TO DOMAIN NAMES

Domain name panelist, WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Center.

PUBLICATIONS

Copyright Protection in Computer Software (Arabic), Published in Arab Legal Women Network Newsletter, September 2007;

Syria's Trademark Law Amended, Published in the Brief, May 2007;

Published in the Arab Regional Forum News, September 2007;

GCC Countries Unify their Trademark Law, Published in Asian Counsel, September 2007;

Recent Amendments to the Commercial Agencies Law of the United Arab Emirates Published in the Business Law Review (Kluwer), January 2007;

Copyright Protection in Computer Software - The Experience of the United Arab Emirates Published in the Arab Regional Forum E-Bulletin, July 2006;

A Comparative Study of Specific Performance Provisions in the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the International Sale of Goods, Published in the Pace Review of the Convention on

Contracts for the International Sale of Goods, Kluwer (1999-2000) 3-78. Posted on

<http://www.cisg.law.pace.edu/cisg/biblio/boghossian.html>
