

# ZARA SUMODHEE

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## EXPERIENCE | **Since September 2018**

PhD Contract at Aix-Marseille University, Aix-en-Provence, France

Researched in European Union Law

Used of digital resources and databases

Integrated a work team

Developed writing skills

## **Since February 2023**

Legal consultant in the search for and acquisition of European and national public funds for local authorities or services of general interest.

## **June-July 2016 september 2018**

Internship at the law firm Mersaoui-Medjati, Vitrolles, France

Trainee

Conducted legal researches to solve legal issues found in different cases

Was responsible for welcome client at the reception

Attended audiences and hearing

Participated in file archiving

Observed the progress of an appointment with a client

## **May-June 2014**

Internship at the law firm of Me Anglade

Trainee

Conducted legal researches to solve legal issues found in different cases

Attended audiences and hearings

Learnt to work in a team

Conducted a reasoned legal reasoning using of legal search engines (Dalloz, Lexis Nexis, CURIA) thanks to acquiring knowledge of these websites

## EDUCATION | ❖ **University 2013-2024 : Aix-Marseille University, France**

- PhD student in European Union Law, thesis expected in 2025
- Master's degree of the European Union law : two-year postgraduate degree : obtained with honours
- Bachelor's degree of Law : Three-year undergraduate degree (2016) : obtained with honours and an award in Political Economy Courses
  - Conducted legal reasoning using knowledge
  - Wrote legal solutions using precedent cases and texts of law
  - Worked in group to make a report both in French and in

- English
  - Specialized in European Union law by studying the internal market, community litigation and institutional law
- ❖ **Pre-engineering undergraduate studies 2012-2013 : Tiers College, Marseille, France**
  - Acquired a general culture in social sciences (sociology, economics, history...)
- ❖ **Secondary school 2009-2012 : Jean-Monnet High school, Vitrolles, France**
  - Baccalauréat : A-levels : Scientific section : obtained with honors

**LANGUAGES** | **French** - native speaker  
**English** - Advanced  
**Spanish** - Intermediate

**ADDITIONAL SKILLS** | **Voluntary work:** participation in the drafting of legislative proposals or collective legal actions concerning the inclusion of people with disabilities in public policies

**Broadcasting:** preparing and presenting a programme on a local radio station on the democratisation and popularisation of research in the social sciences, and especially in law

**Professional activities:** management of pay slips, employment contracts and team

**INTERESTS** | **Theatre** - Member of a theatre troupe performing on stage  
**Music and Singing** - Writing songs and interpretations on compositions