

Aishwarya Zare

Summary		
Accomplished Corporate Lawyer & Company Secretarial Professional with 10 years of experience in Mergers & Acquisitions (M&A), corporate law & secretarial functions and ethics related investigations. Proven track record in managing legal aspects of cross-border transactions. Adept at providing strategic legal counsel, ensuring compliance with relevant laws & regulations, and collaborating with cross-functional teams to achieve business objectives.		

Qualification	Institute	Year
MBA (pursuing)	Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad	2024-2026
L.L.B	Government Law College, Mumbai	2016
B.Com	Mulund College of Commerce, Mumbai	2013
Company Secretary	Institute of Company Secretaries of India	2013
XII, SSC	V.G. Vaze College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Mumbai	2010
X, SSC	Lokmanya Tilak English High School, Mumbai	2008

Work Experience		(129 Months)
Tata Steel Limited, Mumbai		(75 Months)
Senior Area Manager – Corporate Legal		October '19-Present
Roles and Responsibilities - Leading national and overseas M&A transactions, including strategic acquisitions and divestments. - Lead merger of two listed entities - Liaisoning with external counsels and advocates as the case may be - Key Managerial Personnel (Company Secretary) for acquired entities, ensuring compliance with governance frameworks. - Experience in handling ethics and internal investigation assignments.		
Wadia Ghandy & Co., Mumbai		(36 Months)
Associate, General Corporate & M&A		October '16-September '19
Roles and Responsibilities - Lead M&A and private equity transactions - Conducting due diligence as a pre-requisite to the transactions - Providing legal counsel on various laws specializing in Companies Act, 2013, and SEBI regulations.		
L&T Infrastructure Finance Company Limited, Mumbai		(17 Months)
Assistant Manager		March '15-August '16
Roles and Responsibilities - Provided legal opinions on RBI regulations and CERSAI compliance. - Drafted group-level risk policies in coordination with business departments. - Managed meetings of key committees & ensured compliance with all relevant guidelines. - Drafted Board Notes for restructured advances per RBI regulations.		
Tata Motors Limited, Mumbai		(16 Months)
CS Management Trainee		May '13-September '2014
Roles and Responsibilities Completed mandatory training required as per the Institute of Company Secretaries of India		

Additional Certifications	
- Winner – 'Ethics in Action' Case Study Competition, awarded by Mr. N. Chandrasekaran, Group Chairman, Tata Sons Limited - Best Group Presentation – Executive Development Programme (ICSI) - Promoted twice at Tata Steel in 6 years with one level change and one band change	

Additional Certifications		
Management	Completed the Flagship Blue Mint Programme - Leader of the Future at London Business School conducted by Tata Management Training Centre.	2025
German Language	German Language – Completed 3 levels, Max Mueller Bhavan	2011

Interests / Extra-Curriculars	
Instrumental Creativity	Indian Classical Music (Harmonium) – 'Visharad Pratham', Gandharva Mahavidyalaya

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