

Hakan B ŞONYA (LLB)

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Education

2005 – 2006 Middlesex University of London

MA in International Relations & International Law, (Merit)

2000 – 2005 Eastern Mediterranean University

Law (LL.B) (Merit)

Employment

2013 – Present Hakan B. Şonya Legal Office & Counselling

Principal Lawyer

Specialized in immovable property sector.

Dealing with Immovable Property Commission (IPC) proceedings.

Managing a portfolio of existing high level clients.

Ensuring customer satisfaction with a preemptive manner by taking responsibility to effectively meet the needs of customers.

Providing legal and administrative expertise, insight and feasibility for prospective clients.

Forging a short-term routine information service and database for the clientele.

Forming and retaining solid relationships with clients and other colleagues.

Management of internal process and general administrative duties.

2010-2013 M.A. Law Firm

Senior Lawyer

Managing a portfolio of existing high level foreign and local clients.

Providing ideas and solutions to clients' enquiries.

Identifying and establishing various opportunities in line with the clients' portfolios.

Research Interests:

Legal Areas of Expertise
Local immovable property regulations.
Immovable Property Commission
proceedings. Foreign individual and
corporate entrepreneurs. Contract Law.
Legal banking services.

Managing a team of 5 junior lawyers and internees in order to maintain and develop strong relationships

with clients and the practical law team.

Enabling effective communication of clients' needs to the office personnel.

Providing training to and contributing to the knowledge of junior lawyers in civil and administrative cases.

Dealing with various clients enquires and providing practical solutions to challenges that are faced.

Offering in depth information and knowledge to the clients in regards to unique client base cases.

Carrying out general administrative duties of the firm.

2008 – 2009 Tahir Seroydaş Law Firm

Internee Lawyer

Helping senior members of legal staff in client cases.

Carrying out administrative duties.

Shadowing senior members of staff in court and office.

Attending to the lawsuits in court.

Languages

Turkish (Native)

English (Native)

French (Elementary Working Proficiency)

IT Skills

Microsoft Office

SPSS

Interests and Personal Achievements

Host- TV Program Bayrak Radio and Television Corporation (2013 – Rock Kazanı).

The Tobacco House Whisky & Cigar Gentleman's Club moderator and senior membership.

Bass guitarist/Vocalist in a rock band.

Founding member of Turkish Cypriot Cyclist Association.