



COMPANY PROFILE



ABOUT US

THE WHOLE IS GREATER THAN THE SUM OF ITS PARTS

This observation is the ethos behind the formation of TKC Partners. In 2019 our founders came together with a desire to create a team where individuals collaborate and unify to create something larger than themselves – a desire to build a holistic, multi dimensional set-up that aims to help our Clients compete and excel in ever-expanding and evolving markets.

Our Partners, with a collective experience of more than 6 decades, bring together the benefit of both professional and academic rigor and knowledge, having worked at some of the top Law Firms and Multinationals in India, and having attended the most renowned Universities in the world such as Harvard, Oxford, and the University of London.

Our teams support a rich clientele of national and multinational corporations, public sector undertakings, start-ups, and individuals. With a "We" approach, and Pan-India tie-ups, TKC focuses on encouraging a collaborative working culture, geared at growth and success through teamwork, aiming to create a culture of shared excellence, and providing creative solutions to Clients irrespective of individual areas of practice.

We believe that it is not what we can accomplish alone, but what we can create as a collective, that defines us!



CORE PRACTICE AREAS



**Mergers-
Acquisitions
and Joint Ventures**



**Intellectual
Property**



**Criminal Trial
& Defense**



**Corporate Law &
Advisory**



Real Estate



**Compliance &
Investigation /
White-Collar Crimes**



Gaming



**Bankruptcy &
Insolvency**



**Litigation &
Alternate Dispute
Resolution**



Telecommunications



**Private Client
Practice**



**E-commerce &
Retail**

Sam Vikramaditya Talwar

Founding/Senior Partner

Samer Vikramaditya Talwar graduated from NALSAR University of Law, Hyderabad and enrolled with the Bar in 2010. He went on to work with some of the most eminent law firms of India including AZB and Partners and Agarwal Law Associates, before co-founding TKC Partners LLP.

Samer specializes in mergers & acquisitions, venture capital and private equity funding, real estate, corporate advisory, and anti-trust & competition law, and has advised and represented several Fortune 500 companies, Start-ups, and MSMEs.

With over a decade of experience Samer has assisted private equity and hedge funds on their investment strategies and on foreign direct investment (FDI) and fund formation. He has also advised several entities on their India-entry strategy and subsequent investment strategies and transaction structures. Samer has advised and assisted several clients, domestic as well as multinational, in Education (including Ed. Tech.), Oil & Natural Gas, Media and Publications, Information Technology, the Automotive industry, Defense, Infrastructure, Healthcare, Pharmaceuticals, Aeronautics, Aviation, Telecom, Domestic and International Banking, and Non Banking Financial sectors. Samer also advises several companies in the areas of Gaming, Blockchain, and Cryptography.

Samer has also represented and advised clients across sectors and industries before various fora, including the Supreme Court of India, various High Courts, government departments and regulatory committees, Competition Appellate Tribunal, Telecom Dispute Settlement and Appellate Tribunal (TDSAT), Competition Commission of India (CCI), Authority of Advance Ruling for International Taxation, Appellate Tribunal for Electricity (APTEL), Securities Appellate Tribunal, National Companies Appellate Tribunal (NCLAT) and Airports Economic Regulatory Authority (AERA). He has also represented clients in high stakes arbitrations.

Samer combines his keen attention to detail with his assiduous desire to ensure the very best for his clients, which makes him a invaluable asset to his Clients, and the Firm.



Amit Singh Chauhan

Founding/Senior Partner



Amit is a Senior Partner and Co-founder of the Firm. He read for his LL.B. at the University of Delhi before pursuing his LL.M. at Harvard Law School and PGDIPR from National Law School of India University, Bangalore. In addition, Amit has pursued Diplomas from London School of Economics in Corporate Law and IPR. He is dual qualified attorney with license to practice law in India and the State of New York, U.S.A.

Amit began his career as an associate in the Chambers of the Solicitor General of India wherein he was closely involved in advising and representing the Government of India, various State Governments and major public sector undertakings.

Amit has played a vital role in drafting/advising on certain significant legislations including the Arbitration Amendment Act, 2015 and the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013.

Working extensively under one of the leading criminal defense counsels and Senior Advocates in the Delhi High Court, Amit was involved in several high-profile cases, including matters regarding allocation of coal blocks, a corruption case involving the Managing Partner of a major phone manufacturer, and a murder case against a sitting Member of Parliament.

Amit then went on to work for one of the prominent law firms of India where he worked on cases involving the enforcement of foreign Arbitral Awards, money laundering, payment of bribes and breach of Forex regulations to acquire DTH and radio licenses in India, and recovery proceedings for one of the biggest digital storage, multimedia and industrial products companies.

Amit has a long-standing reputation of service through his experience as Standing Counsel for several institutions, including the North DMC, SDMC, Supreme Court Monitoring Committee, DDA, the Central Pollution Control Board, as well as a pro bono counsel for the Delhi High Court Legal Aid Service Cell.

With his vast and diverse experience, Amit brings a working expertise in diverse areas of law and regulatory frameworks in multiple jurisdictions, including India and the US. He manages a large and diverse client base, dealing with several corporate, civil, and commercial disputes, while maneuvering around situational realities to ensure the best possible outcomes for the firm's clients. Most recently Amit successfully represented a client in arbitral proceedings involving a claim upwards of 200 million USD.



Zafar Khurshid

Founding/Senior Partner

Zafar is a Senior Partner and Co-Founder of TKC, specializing in Intellectual Property Law. Having started off his career under Senior Counsel in the Supreme Court of India, Zafar also has a firm background in Constitutional Law, Competition, Public Interest Litigation, and Commercial Arbitration.

Under the tutelage of various Senior Advocates, followed by years of independent practice, Zafar is armed with significant experience before the Hon'ble High Court and various Tribunals, focusing on Intellectual Property Law, Civil and Commercial Litigation and Consumer Protection.

Zafar also maintains a growing Arbitration Practice and sits on the Organizing Committee of the Annual PCA India Arbitration Conference.

Zafar's practical experience is also enriched by his years of dedicated academia. He pursued his LLM in Intellectual Property Law from Queen Mary, University of London. Zafar also read for the BCL and M.Phil in Law from the University of Oxford, where he co-authored a Chapter for a publication by the Office for the Harmonisation of the Internal Market (OHIM) (now the EUIPO). As head of the Firm's IP Team Zafar regularly advises Clients on IP transactions and monetisation, as well as IP Enforcement. He also takes a hands-on approach to assisting Start-Ups, MSME and private Clients on IP development and protection, including Clients in the field of Education/Ed.Tech, Gaming, Crypto/Blockchain, Real Estate, and Consumer Goods, to name a few.

His prolific background and varied exposure make him a key member of the TKC team, with an ability to approach legal problems comprehensively, across jurisdictions and fields of law. His passion for his Clients, and his keen analytical skills are a driving force behind the Firm's ability to offer a harmonized, full-service approach.

Zafar has advised many high-profile Clients in areas of commercial litigation and arbitration, and IP strategy and enforcement, including the Delhi World Foundation, Comic Con India, Hero Gaming, Raheja Developers, as well as several start-ups such as Oxford Systematic Reviews (OXSRev), Blockshards Technologies, and Winwire Ventures.

Adarsh Priyadarshi

Partner

Adarsh is a Partner and part of the senior leadership at TKC. He brings a rich experience of over 16 years in criminal litigation and has worked extensively on white collar crime and private client practice.

With a law degree from ILS Law College, Adarsh has rich legal consulting experience with various public and private bodies, including the National Human Rights Commission, the Union of India and multi-national companies such as Tata Steel Ltd and Vedanta Ltd. Having served as a Partner (Litigation) at O.P. Khaitan and Co., Adarsh proficiently handled cases in numerous courts and judicial forums across the country.

His wide arena of exposure includes representing clients in criminal proceedings for offences under Indian Penal Code, under special statutes: Prevention of Corruption Act ("PC" Act), Prevention of Money Laundry Act ("PMLA"), Narcotics Drugs and Psychotropic Substances Act ("NDPS"), Protection of Children from Sexual Offence Act, 2012 ("POSCO"), Black Money Act, Domestic Violence Act, Negotiable Instruments Act, Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act and on matters investigated by special Agencies like Economic Offences Wing ("EOW"), Enforcement Directorate ("ED"), Directorate of Revenue Intelligence ("DRI") and Central Bureau of Investigation ("CBI").

Adarsh also regularly devotes time to pro bono matters before the Supreme Court of India and works closely with the Radhey Krishna Legal Aid Foundation, an NGO that operates for the aid and benefit of residents of Tihar Jail.





Vaibhav Choudhary

Of Counsel

Vaibhav graduated from the Faculty of Law, University of Delhi in 2010 and has more than a decade's experience working with several eminent and renowned individual practitioners and law firms in Delhi.

Vaibhav has worked extensively in various areas of law including niche areas of practice like Competition law, Environment law, and Electricity law.

As Of Counsel with TKC Partners, Vaibhav regularly advises and leads on Regulatory Compliance matters for domestic and international companies.

Vaibhav is an excellent negotiator, and an expert in Labour law, Compliances & Audits, as well as a key asset for liaisoning with various government agencies on behalf of Clients.

Vaibhav is empanelled with several Public Service undertakings and other institutions, including the BDA, the Govt. Of Uttar Pradesh & Gautam Buddha University (A Govt. of U.P. undertaking) as counsel in the Supreme Court and NCDRF.

OUR ASSOCIATES

Mohit Kochhar, Senior Associate

Mohit Kochhar is a distinguished alumnus of Amity Law School, GGSIPU, where he earned his BA. LLB. Hons. degree. With over seven years of experience, Mohit brings a wealth of multifaceted legal expertise to our Dispute Resolution team, having worked extensively in the areas of Civil and Commercial Litigation, Defamation, Family Laws, Banking Laws, Arbitration, and Labour Laws.

As a valued member of the Delhi High Court Bar Association, Mohit upholds a philosophy rooted in dedication, integrity, and compassion. His legal acumen is reflected in his ability to secure breakthrough orders in complex defamation cases.

Tejaswini Chandrasekhar, Associate

After graduating from Amity Law School, New Delhi (GGSIPU), Tejaswini has worked extensively with various offices on in areas of Arbitration and Conciliation, International Commercial Arbitration, Trademarks, Copyrights, Companies Act, PMLA.

As a part of the Dispute Resolution Team, Tejaswini appears and assists regularly in matters before the Hon'ble Supreme Court, Delhi High Court, District Courts and various Tribunals. Apart from her experience before the Courts, Tejaswini also contributes substantially with her research and drafting skills, and her one-on-one Client interactions.

OUR ASSOCIATES

Syed Hamza Ghayour, Associate

Hamza, a law graduate with Honours from Faculty of Law, Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, serves as part of the Corporate Team and assists the Firm's partners in various matters in the field of corporate contract drafting, negotiations, structuring, and general advisory. Hamza also works extensively with the Dispute Resolution Team where he regularly assists with civil matters related to public authorities and governmental departments, before the Hon'ble Delhi High Court and district courts.

Being a practicing Advocate, he is enrolled with Bar Council of Delhi. With the mantra to succeed, he ensures that he approaches with the right desire to accomplish and bring closures in the right manner to tasks aligned to him.

Abhishek Sharma, Associate

After completing his Bachelors in Economics (H) in 2016, Abhishek received his LLB in 2019 with a Gold Medal. Prior to joining the Firm, Abhishek contributed his knowledge and efforts to actualise India's first ever Digital Lok Adalat for the State Legal Services Authorities of the states of Rajasthan and Maharashtra. In his role as Legal Researcher with the Delhi State Legal Service Authority, Abhishek not only advocated for legal awareness in society, but also explored innovative ideas to support marginalised communities.

As part of the Dispute Resolution team Abhishek makes significant contributions thanks to his finely tuned research skills, his diligent work ethic, and his unending interest in learning and expanding his understanding of the law.

Shreya Yadav, Associate

A graduate of Amity University, Noida, Shreya Yadav is a driven professional with a passion for law. She is a part of the Dispute Resolution Team, with her primary focus on civil and commercial matters, where she utilises her expertise to navigate complex legal issues and find effective solutions for the Firm's clients.

As a professional, Shreya prides herself on being a combination of a smart worker, a hard worker, and a dedicated individual. Her dedication to her work and unwavering commitment to providing the best possible outcomes for the Firm's clients have earned her a reputation for delivering results and building strong relationships with those she works with.

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