

## SHARONJEEV BENNING-PRINCE

### CAREER HISTORY

April 2008 – Present

Consultant–Sophia Consulting Limited

- Led and acted on the share acquisition of UK Facilities Limited and Fenchurch Insurance Risk Management Limited by Insurance Holdings Limited and general counsel to **Insurance Holdings Limited**
- Commercial consultant for **Associated British Foods plc** drafting and reviewing of commercial agreements and liaising with business teams
- Acting as commercial/corporate support for pharmaceutical company, **Summit Corporation plc** and led on the asset sale of **Summit Wales Limited**
- Drafted and negotiated distribution agreement for MySkincare Ltd
- Acted for franchisee in respect of Headmasters Salon franchise and assisting on business decisions in the set up of salon

January 2007 – April 2008

Bristows, London

*Associate - Commercial and Pharmaceutical Regulatory Departments*

- Drafting and advising on legal representative/agency agreements, providing specific advice in relation to the responsibility assumed and protection required for legal representatives in clinical trials
- Drafting internal policies for compliance with UK data protection
- Intellectual Property support for corporate transactions
- Advising on a number of agency/distribution agreements

April 2002 – October 2006

Hogan Lovells, London

*Associate*

#### Corporate

- Assisting associate on acquisition transaction by client of several **Sheraton Hotels** globally
- Lead associate on overall due diligence matters and transaction support of asset acquisition by **S1 Corporation**
- Lead Associate in respect of acquisition of assets by **Ace\*Comm Corporation**
- Lead Associate on overall due diligence matters and intellectual property support of asset acquisition of **LDV Group**
- Formation and establishment of business presences in the UK on behalf of overseas clients and assistance in drafting of internal policies and on-going business assistance
- Advising on the structuring and corporate assistance of a number of private equity groups

#### Commercial/Information Technology

- Commercial and business support for Advertising.com – review of all terms and conditions with suppliers, drafting of internal data protection policies and audit of all global third party agreements
- Draft of software licences in respect of the Postillion software for S1 Corporation
- Review and drafting of third party agreements for Mosaic Software Limited
- Information technology/ intellectual property due diligence and draft of software licence in respect of acquisition by Napatech A.S. of software assets of Xyratex Technology Limited
- Review and assistance of formation of websites for several clients including review of standard terms and conditions and privacy policies
- Advising on on-going data protection matters for several clients and drafting internal policies

## Life Sciences and General

- Advising on data protection issues and dissemination of information outside the European Union
- Drafting of standard operating policies to be used at EMEA level in respect of marketing and advertising practices
- On-site compliance audit of several pharmaceutical companies in respect of marketing and advertising practices

**September 1998 - April 2002**

**Dewey & LeBoeuf, London**  
*Trainee/Associate*

- Secondment as sole counsel to Entergy LLC assisting on contract reviews, business decision making, intellectual property matters and managing external counsel
- Traineeships in Corporate, Insurance and Litigation department

## **PUBLICATIONS/PRESENTATIONS**

- "Clinical Agreements and Informed Consent", chairing and presenting at the IBC Medical Devices and Clinical Evaluations Conference, Belgium (1<sup>st</sup> June 2006)
- "Pharmaceutical Marketing Practices in the United Kingdom: The ABPI's revised Code of Practice effective 1 January 2006" Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology Update (22<sup>nd</sup> December 2005)
- "Coming Soon! Register For Your .eu Domain Name" IP Update, Hogan & Hartson LLP (29<sup>th</sup> November 2005)
- Trafficking in the United Kingdom, Women in Law (July 2010)
- Alumni speaker at UCL Law Graduation 2010

## **EDUCATION**

1978 - 1992

**Atherley School for Girls, Southampton**  
10 GCSEs

1992 - 1995

**Richard Taunton College, Southampton**  
3 A Levels in English, Biology and Maths

1995 - 1996

**Queen Mary, London**  
LLB (Honours) Law (2:1)

1996 - 1997

**College of Law, York**  
LPC (Distinction)

1997 - 1998

**University College London**  
LLM Intellectual Property Law, Technology and Media

Memberships:

Member of the Law Society  
Member of the Dynamic Asian Women Network  
Women in Law

Languages:

Intermediate Punjabi and basic Hindi and French speaking

Other Information:

Mentor for law students at the University College London  
Raising awareness of female and child trafficking in the UK with the Human Rights Institute at University College London and Women in Law