Fai Sultan Al Abdulaziz

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Summary

Saudi-qualified lawyer with experience in litigation, corporate advisory, and regulatory compliance. Skilled in contract drafting, employment law, and dispute resolution before judicial and quasi-judicial bodies. Holds an LL.M from the University of Leeds.

Education

LL.M. in Criminal Justice and Criminal Law — **Oct 2024 – Nov 2025**
University of Leeds | Grade: Merit — Leeds, United Kingdom

Pre-sessional Course in Academic and Legal English — **Jul 2024 – Oct 2024**
University of Leeds — Leeds, United Kingdom

Bachelor of Laws (LLB) — **Sep 2016– May 2021**
King Saud University | GPA: 4.77 / 5.0 – First Class Honours — Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Professional Experience

Associate — **Jul 2023 – Jun 2024**
Simmons & Simmons Al Amr — Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
(formerly Amer Al Amr & Partners Law Firm)

- Represented corporate and individual clients before judicial and quasi-judicial bodies, including insurance committees, medical negligence panels, and the General, Commercial, Criminal, Employment, Administrative, and Enforcement Courts. Acted across all litigation levels from first instance to the Supreme Court.
- Advised a range of clients, including a leading hospital, a listed company, and a charitable foundation.
- Drafted and negotiated construction, employment, lease, and real estate sale-and-purchase contracts.
- Handled and oversaw employment investigations.
- Prepared internal employment regulations in line with Ministry of Human Resources and Social Development requirements.
- Amended and prepared articles of association (company constitutional documents) for various company types. Produced legal documentation for convening both Ordinary and Extraordinary General Assemblies.
- Prepared legal documents and liaised with official bodies in relation to estate distribution and inheritance procedures.

Trainee Associate — **Jun 2021 – Jul 2023**
Simmons & Simmons Al Amr — Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
(formerly Amer Al Amr & Partners Law Firm)

Legal intern — **Jan 2021 - Jun 2021**
Saudi Tourism Authority (STA) — Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

- Contributed during the Authority's establishment phase by supporting legal structuring and policy development. Participated in drafting and reviewing the Delegation of Authority Matrix.
- Assisted in the registration process of national trademarks.
- Provided general legal support including legal research and document review.

Professional Qualification

Law Practice Licence **Since: Jul 2023**

Issued by the Saudi Ministry of Justice upon completion of the Lawyer Qualification Programme at the Judicial Training Centre.

Key Achievements

- Achieved a favourable judgment for a well-known hospital before the Administrative Court in claims exceeding SAR 800,000.
- Achieved favourable outcomes for corporate clients in employment disputes with claims exceeding SAR 4 million.
- Achieved favourable judgments for clients in real estate and lease disputes, including property ownership and tenancy enforcement.
- Achieved a favourable judgment in a high-value commercial case involving negotiable instruments, securing more than SAR 5 million.

Certifications

Certificate in Advanced Professional Skills
University of Leeds

Member of Academic Advising Committee
King Saud University

Contract Formulation Methodology
King Saud University

Introduction to a Legal Career and Intellectual Property Law
King Saud University

Selected Modules

- Financial Crime | **Research: money laundering, including analysis of a landmark UK case.**
- Globalisation and Crime | **Research: Cybercrime and Situational Crime Prevention: How Digital Security Measures Reduce Online Fraud.**
- Central Issues in Criminal Law.
- Postgraduate Legal Research Skills.
- Cybercrime.
- Dissertation | **Title: The Lawyer's Responsibility to Report Money Laundering: A Conflict Between Legal Obligation and Client–Lawyer Confidentiality.**