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# **EDUCATION**

**Ph.D. in Law**: King's College London, United Kingdom (1 January 2013); [Ph.D. Supervisors – Dr. Federico Ortino and D.r Rachael Walsh, King's College London]; [Viva Committee: Professor Asif Qureshi, University of Manchester and Professor Jansen Calamita, British Institute of International and Comparative Law and University of Birmingham]. Thesis title: 'India's International Investment Agreements and India's Regulatory Power as a Host Nation'.

**LLM** (with Distinction): University of London – Jointly at School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS) and University College London (UCL) as part of intercollegiate London University LLM programme (Specialization – International Business Law), 2007 (Top 5 percent of the Class); [LLM Dissertation Supervisor: Professor Peter Muchlinski, SOAS].

**LLB:** University of Delhi - Campus Law Centre, Faculty of Law, India, 2003 (Top 5 percent of the Class).

**BA** (Hons) Economics: University of Delhi - Ramjas College, India, (Top 10 percent of the Class).

# **EMPLOYMENT**

- 1) **Associate Professor** South Asian University, Faculty of Legal Studies, New Delhi, India: 20 February 2020 till date.
- 2) **Professor and Vice Dean (Continuing Education**) Jindal Global Law School, O P Jindal Global University, Sonipat, Delhi-NCR, India: 1 September 2021 31 May 2023 [ON LEAVE FROM SOUTH ASIAN UNIVERSITY].
- 3) Assistant Professor (Senior Grade) South Asian University, Faculty of Legal Studies, New Delhi, India: 18 October 2016 19 February 2020.
- 4) **Assistant Professor** South Asian University, Faculty of Legal Studies, New Delhi, India: 17 October 2013 17 October 2016.
- 5) **Associate Professor** National Law University, Jodhpur, India: 14 June 2012 11 October 2013.
- 6) **Assistant Professor** WB National University of Juridical Sciences (NUJS), Kolkata, India: 1 November 2007 4 June 2012 (On study leave from 1 November 2009 to 4 June 2012).
- 7) Research Assistant (Part Time) University College London (UCL), London, UK: November 2006 July 2007. Provided research assistance to Professor Valentine Korah, Emeritus Professor of Competition Law at UCL for her book on EC Competition Law (Part Time) Valentine Korah (2007) 'An Introductory Guide to EC Competition Law and Practice' (9th edition: Hart Publishing: Oxford).

- 8) Consultant to Oxfam Great Britain (GB) in India as Research Officer Centre for Trade and Development (Centad), New Delhi, India: 15 December 2004 10 September 2006.
- 9) **Legal Researcher** CUTS International, Jaipur, India: 26 May 2003 30 November 2004.

# ACADEMIC HONOURS/ SCHOLARSHIPS

# Awards/Fellowships/Major Scholarships/Academic Achievements

- Annual Reviewer Award, Asian Journal of International Law: 2021/22 and 2020/21.
- Honourable Mention for the paper 'Indian Courts and Bilateral Investment Treaty Arbitration' (with Pushkar Anand), Indian Law Review: 2020
- Visiting Scholar, Brookings India: 1 August 2017 to 30 April 2018.
- Transnational Summer Law Institute (TLSI) Fellow, Transnational Law Institute, Dickson Poon School of Law, King's College London: June 2016
- Visiting Fellow, Lauterpacht Research Centre for International Law, Faculty of Law, University of Cambridge: May-July 2015.
- King's College London School of Law Doctoral Scholarship (full tuition and subsistence): 2009-2012;
- President's Graduate Fellowship, National University of Singapore: 2009 (declined);
- Visiting Scholar, Faculty of Law, University of Sydney: 2010;
- Awarded Distinction in LL.M: 2007 (Distinction in all courses);
- British Chevening Scholarship (full tuition and subsistence): 2006-2007.

# RESEARCH PROJECTS/RESEARCH GRANTS/CONSULTANCY WORK (SELECT)

- 1) Consultant, Centre for WTO Studies, IIFT, to assist the Ministry of Commerce in the discussions and negotiations on WTO's DSU reforms (INR 12,00000): 2023;
- 2) Consultant, Trade Impact BV, Netherlands for a Project commissioned by DG Trade, European Commission (Euros 2000): 2023;
- 3) Project on Investment Chapters in India's Free Trade Agreements Funded by the University of Pennsylvania Institute for the Advanced Study of India (UPIASI) (INR 3,15,000): 2022;
- 4) Consultant to Linklaters, an international law firm, for advising on an issue pertaining to Indian law (GBP 8000): 2022;
- 5) Project on comparing and contrasting Indian and European Union approaches on investment protection Funded by the Centre for WTO Studies, Indian Institute of Foreign Trade (IIFT) (INR 3,50,000): 2022;
- 6) Project on Indian Supreme Court and International Law Funded by Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) (INR 2,00,000): 2021;
- 7) Project on Comparative Analysis of Provisions on Investment in US FTAs and India's BITs Funded by Centre for WTO Studies, IIFT (INR 1,20,000): 2015;
- 8) Project on Comparing Bilateral Investment Treaties of BRICS by CUTS International Funded by United Nations Conference on Trade and Development (UNCTAD), Geneva (US\$ 2000): 2014;
- 9) Project on Multilateral Agreement on Investment and India Funded by UN-Economic and Social Commission for Asia and Pacific (UN-ESCAP), Bangkok (US\$ 5000): 2014;

- 10) Project on comparing Investment chapters in Indian and ASEAN FTAs Funded by the Centre for WTO Studies, Indian Institute of Foreign Trade (IIFT), Ministry of Commerce (INR 1,50,000 INR): 2012 [Sole Researcher];
- 11) Project on understanding the Bilateral Investment Treaties of Six Asian Countries Funded by United Nations Development Programme, Regional Centre in Colombo (US\$ 10,000): 2008-2009 [Sole Researcher];
- 12) Project aimed at Understanding the Implications of the SAARC and ASEAN Bilateral Investment Agreements on the policy space of these countries Funded by United Nations Development Programme, Regional Centre in Colombo (US\$ 3000): 2007 [One of Three Researchers];
- 13) Project on studying the position of South Asian Countries in the on-going negotiations on the Anti-Dumping Agreement as part of the WTO Funded by Oxfam GB in India (US\$ 2000) (equivalent in Indian rupees): 2006 [Sole Researcher].

# **PUBLICATIONS**

# **Books**

- 1) Marc Bungenberg, Manjiao Chi, Sufian Jusoh, Prabhash Ranjan, Islambek Rustambekov (Eds) Asian Yearbook of International Economic Law (Springer: 2023) (Forthcoming).
- 2) Prabhash Ranjan, India and Bilateral Investment Treaties: Refusal, Acceptance, Backlash, Oxford University Press: 2019 (378 + xxix pages).

[The book has been reviewed in the European Yearbook of International Economic Law (Springer), American Review of International Arbitration, ICSID Review, Asian Journal of International Law, Indian Law Review (Routledge), and Manchester Journal of International Economic Law].

# **Peer Reviewed Journals**

- 3) Prabhash Ranjan, 'India and International Investment Law: Preserving, Delegating, and Reclaiming Sovereignty', 22 **India Review**, 2023 (forthcoming).
- 4) Prabhash Ranjan, 'International Investment Law Regionalism in Asia: The Tale of South Asia' 31 **Asia Pacific Law Review**, 2023 (forthcoming).
- 5) Prabhash Ranjan, 'India-UK Investment Relations and Global Britain' 34(1) **King's Law Journal**, 2023, 120-144.
- 6) Prabhash Ranjan and Praharsh Gour, 'The TRIPS Waiver Decision at the World Trade Organization: Too Little Too Late!' 13(1) **Asian Journal of International Law**, 2023, 10-21.
- 7) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Russia-Ukraine War and WTO's National Security Exception', 58(2) Foreign Trade Review, 2023, 246-258.
- 8) Prabhash Ranjan, Investor-State Dispute Settlement and Tax Matters: Limitations on State's Sovereign Right to Tax, 31(1) **Asia Pacific Law Review**, 2023, 219-234.

- 9) Prabhash Ranjan and Aman Kumar, 'Nomination of Candidates to International Judicial and Legal bodies: A Critical Examination of Indian Practice' 11(2) **Cambridge International Law Journal**, 2022, 268-292.
- 10) Prabhash Ranjan, 'The Supreme Court of India and International Law: A Topsy Turvy Journey from Dualism to Monism', 43(3) **Liverpool Law Review**, 2022, 571-595.
- 11) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Emerging Trends in Investor-State Dispute Settlement in New Free Trade Agreements', 17 (7/8) **Global Trade and Customs Journal**, 2022, 332-337
- 12) Prabhash Ranjan, 'The Future of India's Investment Treaty Practice: An Important Parliamentary Intervention', 19 **Manchester Journal of International Economic Law** (2022), 112-125.
- 13) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Retroactive Taxation, Investor-State Dispute Settlement, and India: Life Comes a Full Circle', 50 **Intertax** 2022 (Kluwer), 824-835.
- 14) Prabhash Ranjan, "Investor-State Dispute Settlement (ISDS) Cases and India: Affronting Regulatory Autonomy or Indicting Capricious State Behaviour?" 21 (1) **Journal of International Trade Law and Policy**, 2022 (Emerald) 42-64.
- 15) Prabhash Ranjan, 'India-Afghanistan Trade and International Law', 17(1) **Global Trade and Customs Journal**, 2022 (Kluwer), 2-9.
- 16) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights Waiver at the World Trade Organization: A BIT of a Challenge', 56 **Journal of World Trade**, 2022 (Kluwer), 523-546.
- 17) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Cairn Energy v India: Continuity in the Use of ILC Articles on State Responsibility', 37(1) ICSID Review Foreign Investment Law Journal 2022 (Oxford University Press), 543-551.
- 18) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Compulsory Licenses and ISDS in Corona Times: Relevance of the New Indian Investment Treaty Practice', 16(7) **Journal of Intellectual Property Law and Practice** (2021) (Oxford University Press), 748-759.
- 19) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Necessary' in Non-Precluded Measures Provisions in Bilateral Investment Treaties: The Indian Contribution, 67(3) **Netherlands International Law Review** (2020) (Springer), 473-501.
- 20) Prabhash Ranjan and Pushkar Anand, 'Covid-19, India, and Investor-State Dispute Settlement: Will India be Able to Defend its Public Health Measures?, 28(1) **Asia Pacific Law Review** (2020) (Routledge), 225-247.
- 21) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Covid-19, India and Indirect Expropriation: Is the Police Powers Doctrine a Reliable Defence?', 13(1) **Contemporary Asia Arbitration Journal** (2020), 205-228.

- 22) Prabhash Ranjan and Pushkar Anand, 'Indian Courts and Bilateral Investment Treaty Arbitration', 4(2) **Indian Law Review** 2020 (Routledge), 199-220.
- 23) Prabhash Ranjan, 'National Security Exception in the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) and India-Pakistan Trade', 54(4) **Journal of World Trade** 2020 (Kluwer), 643-665.
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- 25) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Police Powers, Indirect Expropriation in International Investment Law and Article 31(3)(c) of the VCLT: A Critique of Philip Morris v Uruguay, 9(1) **Asian Journal of International Law** (2019) (Cambridge University Press), 98-124.
- 26) Prabhash Ranjan and Pushkar Anand, 'How 'Healthy' are Investment Treaties of South Asian Countries: An Empirical Study of Public Health Provisions in South Asian Countries' BITs and FTA Investment Chapters' 33 (2) **ICSID Review Foreign Investment Law Journal** (2018) (Oxford University Press), 406-432.
- 27) Prabhash Ranjan, 'ISDS Transparency Provisions in the Indian BIT: A Half-Hearted Attempt? 15 **Transnational Dispute Management** (2018).
- 28) Prabhash Ranjan and Pushkar Anand, 'The 2016 Indian Model Bilateral Investment Treaty: A Critical Deconstruction', 38 (1) **Northwestern Journal of International Law and Business** (2017), (Northwestern University), 1-54
- 29) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Comparing Investment Provisions in India's FTAs with India's Stand-Alone BITs: Contributing to the Evolution of New Indian BIT Practice', 16 **Journal of World Investment and Trade** (2015), (Brill/Nijhoff), 899-930
- 30) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Most Favoured Nation Principle in Indian Bilateral Investment Treaties: A Case for Reform', 55(1) **Indian Journal of International Law** (2015), (Springer) 39-64.
- 31) Prabhash Ranjan and Deepak Raju, 'Bilateral Investment Treaties and Indian Judiciary', 46 (4) **George Washington International Law Review** (2014), (George Washington University) 809-847.
- 32) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Using Public Law Concept of Proportionality to Balance Investment Protection with Regulation in International Investment Law A Critical Appraisal', 3(3) **Cambridge International Law Journal** (2014), (Cambridge University and Edward Elgar), 853-883.
- 33) Prabhash Ranjan, 'India and Bilateral Investment Treaties A Changing Landscape', 29 (2) **ICSID Review Foreign Investment Law Journal** (2014), (Oxford University Press) 419-450.
- 34) Prabhash Ranjan, 'FDI in Multi-Brand Retail Trading and India's Bilateral Investment Treaties', 5(1) **Trade, Law and Development** (2013), 198-208.

- 35) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Non-Precluded Measures in Indian International Investment Agreements and India's Regulatory Power as a Host Nation', 2 (1) **Asian Journal of International Law** (2012), (Cambridge University Press) 21-58.
- 36) Prabhash Ranjan and Deepak Raju, 'The Enigma of Enforceability of Investment Treaty Arbitration awards in India', 6 (1) **Asian Journal of Comparative Law** (2011), (Cambridge University Press), 113-144.
- 37) Prabhash Ranjan, Indian Investment Treaty Programme in Light of Global Experiences', 45 (7) **Economic and Political Weekly** (2010), 68-73.
- 38) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Treaties on Trade and Investment and the Indian Legal Regime', 11 (1) **Australian Journal of Asian Law** (2009), (Melbourne University) 56-81.
- 39) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Recent Developments in India's Plant Variety Protection, Seed Regulation and linkages with UPOV's Proposed Membership', 12 (3) **Journal of World Intellectual Property** (2009), (Wiley) 219- 243.
- 40) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Definition of Investment in Bilateral Investment Treaties of South Asian Countries and Regulatory Discretion', 26 (2) **Journal of International Arbitration** (2009), (Kluwer) 217-235.
- 41) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Applicable Law in the Disputes of the World Trade Organization', 44 (15) **Economic and Political Weekly** (2009), 23-27.
- 42) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Industrial Tariff Reduction: Why the best might still turn out to be the worst?' 42 (5) **Journal of World Trade** (2008), (Kluwer) 953-966.
- 43) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Medical Patents and Expropriation in International Investment Law With Special Reference to India' 5 (3) **Manchester Journal of International Economic Law** (2008), 72-104.
- 44) Prabhash Ranjan, 'International Investment Agreements and Regulatory Discretion: Case Study of India', 9 (2) **Journal of World Investment and Trade** (2008), (Brill Nijhoff) 209-243.
- 45) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Understanding the Conflicts between the TRIPS Agreement and the Human Right to Health', 9 (6) **Journal of World Investment and Trade** (2008), (Brill Nijhoff) 551-570
- 46) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Bilateralism, MFN and TRIPS: Exploring the Possibilities of Alternative Interpretation', 13 (4) **International Trade Law and Regulation** (2007), (Sweet & Maxwell) 67-78.
- 47) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Choosing the Appropriate Tariff Reduction Formula in NAMA', 41 (6), **Economic and Political Weekly** (2006), 1507-1511.
- 48) Prabhash Ranjan, 'International Predation and Anti-Dumping', 39 (45), **Economic and Political Weekly** (2004), 4880-4884.

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- 50) Prabhash Ranjan, 'The Impact of Investment Treaties on the Rule of Law in India' in Jansen Calamita and Ayelet Berman (Eds) Investment Treaties and the Rule of Law Promise: The Asian Experience (Cambridge University Press: 2022), 38-66.
- 51) Prabhash Ranjan, ISDS Transparency Provisions in the Indian Model BIT: A Half-Hearted Attempt? in Leila Choukroune and Rahul Donde (Eds) Adjudicating Global Business In and With India (Routledge: 2022), 75-91.
- 52) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Investor Obligations in India's New Bilateral Investment Treaties: Emergence of New Treaty Practice' in Manjiao Chi, Marc Bungenberg & Andrea K. Bjorklund (Eds) Asian Yearbook of International Economic Law (Springer: 2022), 89-108.
- 53) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Investor's Obligation in Investment Treaties: Missing Text Or A Matter of Application' in Jean Ho and Mavluda Sattarova (Eds) Investor's International Law (Hart/Bloomsbury: 2021), 125-150.
- 54) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Essential Security Interests in International Investment Law: A Tale of two ISDS Claims Against India' in Julien Chaisse et al (Eds) Handbook of International Investment Law and Policy (Springer: 2021) 579-601.
- 55) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Pharmaceutical Patents and Expropriation in Indian Bilateral Investment Treaties' in Mahdev Mohan and Chester Brown (Eds) The Asian Turn in Foreign Investment (Cambridge University Press: 2021), 29-47.
- 56) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Free-zone Company, Investment standards and the Arab Spring: A case study of Ampal-American and Others v Egypt' in Julien Chaisse et al (Eds) International Economic Law and the Challenges of the Free Zones: Global Regulatory Issues and Trends (Wolters Kluwer: 2019) 347-358.
- 57) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Issuance of Compulsory Patent Licenses and Expropriation in Asian BITs and FTA Investment Chapters: A Study of India, China, Malaysia and Thailand' in Liu Kung-Chung et al (Eds) The Future of Asian Trade Deals and IP (Hart/Bloomsbury: 2019), 133-155.
- 58) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Capital Flows into India Role of Monetary Transfer Provisions in India's International Investment Agreements' in Mahendra Pal Singh, Wolfram Cremer et al (Eds) Open Markets, Free Trade and Sustainable Development' (Springer: 2019), 263-288.

- 59) Prabhash Ranjan, 'India and Bilateral Investment Treaties: From Rejection to Embracement to Hesitance?' in R Babu and S Burra (Eds) "Locating India" in the Contemporary International Legal Order (Springer: 2018), 101-126
- 60) Prabhash Ranjan and Pushkar Anand, 'Investor State Dispute Settlement in the 2016 Indian Model Bilateral Investment Treaty: Does it Go Too Far?' in Luke Nottage et al (Eds) International Investment Treaties and Arbitration Across Asia (Brill/Nijhoff: 2018), 579-611
- 61) Prabhash Ranjan, Investment Protection and Host State's Right to Regulate in Indian Model Bilateral Investment Treaty 2016: Lessons for Asian countries in Julien Chaisse et al (Eds) International Law of Foreign Investment in Asia: Sustainability, Regionalisation and Arbitration (Springer: 2017) 47-65.
- 62) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Capital Flow Management Measures and International Investment Law Never the Twain Shall Meet?' in R Hofmann, Christian Tams, Stephan Schill et al (Eds) International Investment Law and the Global Financial Architecture (Edward Elgar: 2017), 257-280
- 63) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Determination of Indirect Expropriation and Doctrine of Police Power in International Investment Law: A Critical Appraisal' (with Pushkar Anand as the second author) in Leila Choukroune (Ed) Judging the State in International Trade and Investment Law (Springer: 2016), 127-151
- 64) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Protecting Security Interests in International Investment Law' in Mary Footer, Julia Schmidt and Nigel D White (Eds) Security and International Law (Hart/Bloomsbury: 2016), 273-299
- 65) Prabhash Ranjan, 'National Contestation of International Investment Law and International Rule of Law' in M Kanetake and A Nollkaemper (Eds) Rule of Law at National and International Levels: Contestations and Deference (Hart/Bloomsbury: 2016), 115-142.
- 66) Prabhash Ranjan, 'India's Bilateral Investment Treaty Programme: Past, Present and Future' in Kavaljit Singh and Burghard Ilge (eds) Rethinking Bilateral Investment Treaties (Madhyam, Both Ends and Somo: 2016), 101-112.
- 67) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Bilateral Investment Treaties and Right to Health: Comparing Chinese and Indian BITs' in S Deva (eds) Socio Economic Rights in Emerging Free Markets Comparative Perspectives from India and China (Routledge: 2015), 236-261
- 68) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Object and Purpose' of Indian International Investment Agreements: Failing to Balance Investment Protection and Regulatory Power in V Bath and L Nottage (Eds) Foreign Investment and Dispute Resolution: Law and Practice in Asia (Routledge: 2011), 192-211
- 69) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Anti-Dumping and South Asia', in BS Chimni, BL Das, Mustafizur Rahman and Saman Kelegama (Eds) South Asian Yearbook of Trade and Development (Wiley-India: 2006), 329-356.

70) Prabhash Ranjan, 'International Trade and Human Rights: Conflicting Obligations?', in Thomas Cottier, Joost Pauwelyn and Elisabeth Bürgi (Eds) Human Rights and International Trade (Oxford University Press: 2005), 311-321.

# **Book Review**

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# Working Papers/Discussion Papers/Issue Briefs

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- 2) Prabhash Ranjan, The Case for Waiving Intellectual Property Protection for Covid-19 Vaccines, Issue Brief No. 456, Observer Research Foundation, 2021 <a href="https://www.orfonline.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/ORF\_IssueBrief\_456\_TripsWaiver.pdf">https://www.orfonline.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/ORF\_IssueBrief\_456\_TripsWaiver.pdf</a>
- 3) Prabhash Ranjan, Harsha Vardhana Singh, Kevin James, and Ramandeep Singh, India's model bilateral investment treaty: Are we too risk averse?, Brookings India: Impact Series, 2018 <a href="https://www.brookings.edu/research/indias-model-bilateral-investment-treaty-are-we-too-risk-averse/">https://www.brookings.edu/research/indias-model-bilateral-investment-treaty-are-we-too-risk-averse/</a>
- 4) Pradeep S Mehta and Prabhash Ranjan, Comparative Study of the Origin, Evolution and Current State of Play of Bilateral Investment Treaties (BITs) of BRICS Countries, Discussion Paper, CUTS International, 2015 <a href="http://www.cuts-ccier.org/pdf/Comparative\_Study\_of\_the\_Origin-BITs\_of\_BRICS\_Countries.pdf">http://www.cuts-ccier.org/pdf/Comparative\_Study\_of\_the\_Origin-BITs\_of\_BRICS\_Countries.pdf</a>
- 5) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Medical Patents and Expropriation in International Investment Law With Special Reference to India', Working Paper 2008/15, Young Scholar's Workshop of the Asian Society of International Law, 2008.
- 6) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Agriculture and NAMA Negotiations: Searching for the Landing Zone', Working Paper 4, Centad, an Oxfam GB initiative, April 2006.
- 7) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Tariff Negotiations in NAMA and South Asia: July Agreement and Beyond', Working Paper 3, Centad, an Oxfam GB initiative, April 2005.
- 8) Prabhash Ranjan, 'Pre Hong-Kong Ministerial Consultation: GATS Negotiations', Rapporteur's Report (with UNCTAD India), organised by UNCTAD, Government of India and DFID, August 8-9, 2005.
- 9) Prabhash Ranjan, 'How Long Can the G20 hold itself together: A Power Analysis', Working Paper -1, Centad, an Oxfam GB initiative, February 2005.

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- 2. Member, Editorial Board, Asia Pacific Law Journal (Routledge) (May 2022 till date).
- 3. External Member, Research Advisory Committee, Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Patiala, Punjab: 2022 till date
- 4. Expert Witness, Parliamentary Committee on External Affairs, January 2021.
- 5. Member, Editorial Board, Asian Journal of International Law (Cambridge University Press) (July 2020 till date)
- 6. Book Review Editor of Indian Journal of International Law (Springer) (May 2015-May 2018)
- 7. Member, Committee Constituted by the 17th Law Commission of India to prepare the 260th Report of the Law Commission of India on the Draft Indian Model BIT: April-July 2015.
- 8. Member, Editorial Board of Journal of International Trade Law and Policy: 2014 -
- 9. Invited as an expert by Ministry of Finance, Government of India, to be part of India's official team for Bilateral Investment Promotion Agreement negotiations with the United States of America (January 2009 and August 2009).

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- Full travel and accommodation funding by National University of Singapore to present a paper at a conference organised by the Centre for International Law, NUS: 2017 (selected through open call for papers).
- Full travel and accommodation funding by University of Sydney to present a paper at a conference organised by University of Sydney: 2017
- Full travel and accommodation funding by the Korean Commercial Arbitration Board to present a paper at a conference organised by the Seoul National University, SNU: 2016
- Full travel and accommodation funding by the Singapore Management University (SMU) to present a paper at a workshop organised by the Centre for Cross-Border Commercial Laws, SMU: 2016
- Travel Funding of \$490 by the Society of International Economic Law (SIEL) to present a paper at the SIEL biennial conference at Johannesburg: 2016.

- Full travel and accommodation funding (to present a paper) by the Korean Commercial Arbitration Board, Investor-State Dispute Settlement Conference, Seoul: 2015.
- Full funding (to present a paper), International Law Association (Nepal) and Brussels University, South Asian Regional Conference on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights Justiciability and Accessibility Issues in South-Asia Towards ICESCR and domestic legal framework effectiveness for state accountability: 2014 (selected through open call for papers).
- Full funding (to present a paper), Goethe University, Frankfurt, The Frankfurt Investment Law Workshop: 2014 International Investment Law and the Global Financial Architecture: 2014 (selected through open call for papers)
- Full funding (to present a paper), Amsterdam Centre for International Law, University of Amsterdam, International Conference on Interfaces Between International and National Legal Order (selected out of more 100 applicants): 2013
- Full scholarship, Second African International Economic Law Network Conference, Johannesburg, South Africa: 2013 (selected through open call for papers)
- Early Career Researcher Travel Bursary, Faculty of Law, University of Sydney: 2010
- Young Asian Scholar, First Young Asian Scholar's Workshop, Asian Society of International Law, National University of Singapore: 2008; (12 Young Asian scholars selected from more than 300 applicants)
- Grant (travel and subsistence), American Society of International Law (ASIL) through CUTS International, Human Rights and Trade Conference, Georgetown University Law Centre, Washington DC: 2004.

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- 3. 'Internationalization of Investment Treaties in India', Second Workshop on Investment Treaties and National Governance', Centre for International Law, National University of Singapore, Singapore, 22-23 September 2018
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- 5. 'Issuance of Compulsory Licenses and Expropriation of Investment in BITs and FTAs: A Study of Indian, Chinese and Select ASEAN Countries', Singapore Management University, Singapore, 8 December 2017
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- 7. 'Investor State Dispute Settlement and India', South Asian International Economic Law Inaugural Conference, New Delhi, 29-30 April 2017
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- 11. 'Transparency Provisions in Indian Investment Treaties', Development of Transparency in Investment Arbitration in the Asia Pacific Region in 2016, UNCITRAL Asia-Pacific Regional Center and ISDS Transparency Observatory at Seoul National University School of Law, Seoul, 16 December 2016;
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- 14. 'Intellectual Property Rights and the Indian Model BIT 2015', Workshop and Seminar on Regulation & Investment Disputes: Asian Perspectives, Singapore Management University, Singapore, 4 August 2016;
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- 18. 'India's Model Bilateral Investment Treaty A Critical Analysis', International Conference on Emerging Frontiers of Arbitration Law, Nani Palkhiwala Arbitration Centre, Mumbai, India, 13 February 2016;
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- 25. 'Bilateral Investment Treaties and Public Health: A Study of South Asian BITs', South Asian Regional Conference on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights Justiciability and Accessibility Issues in South- Asia Towards ICESCR and domestic legal framework effectiveness for state accountability, International Law Association (Nepal) and Brussels University at Kathmandu, Nepal, 5-7 September 2014;
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- 40. 'Capital Transfer Provisions in Indian Investment Treaties and Regulatory Discretion', Society of International Economic Law's Second Biennial Conference at University of Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain, July 8-10, 2010;
- 41. 'Non-Precluded Measures in Indian International Investment Agreements and Regulatory Discretion', International Conference on Investment Treaty Arbitration, Sydney Law School, University of Sydney, Sydney, February 19-20, 2010;
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- 45. 'Investment Area in South Asia', First South Asia Economic Summit, Colombo, Sri Lanka, August 28-30, 2008.
- 46. 'IPR and Food Security' at the South Asian Civil Society Forum on Responding to Food Insecurity in South Asia' organised by Oxfam International, Kathmandu, Nepal, October 23-24, 2008.
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- 49. 'WTO Rules', at International Civil Society Forum for Advancing Interests of LDCs in the Sixth WTO Ministerial Meeting, organised by the Centre for Policy Dialogue, Dhaka, Bangladesh, October 3-5, 2005.
- 50. International Trade and Human Rights: Conflicting Obligations', Trade and Human Rights conference, American Society of International law (ASIL), Georgetown University Law Centre, Washington DC, United States of America, April 5-6, 2004.

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# UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION/ACADEMIC LIFE:

- 1) Vice Dean (Continuing Education), Jindal Global Law School, O P Jindal Global University, September 2021 ongoing;
- 2) Member, Board of Studies, Faculty of Legal Studies, South Asian University, October 2019 August 2021;
- 3) External Member, Academic Committee, Department of International Relations, South Asian University, August 2018 August 2021;
- 4) Member, Proctor Committee, South Asian University, New Delhi, May 2019 May 2020.
- 5) Chairperson, Committee constituted by the SAU President to suggest changes in university bylaws pertaining to students, February-March 2019.
- 6) Member Secretary, Gender Sensitization Committee, South Asian University, April 2017-April 2018;
- 7) Member, Scholarship Committee, South Asian University, May 2016 –June 2020;
- 8) Member, Hostel Management Committee, South Asian University, November 2016 May 2019;
- 9) LLM Dissertation Coordinator, Faculty of Legal Studies, South Asian University, 2013-2014; and 2018- 2019.

# **CITATIONS**

As per Google Scholar, I have close to 550 citations to my work in leading academic journals; in books published by leading academic publishers such as OUP, CUP and Routledge; and in government and parliamentary reports.

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# Master of Philosophy (MPhil)

- 1) Mir Abdul Hasib Hashimi (2016) Topic Bilateral Investment Treaties and Standards of Investment Protection: Case Study of Afghanistan. Degree awarded.
- 2) Mohiuddin MD Al Amin (2016) Topic Bilateral Investment Treaties of Bangladesh: A Legal Analysis of Key Provisions. Degree awarded.
- 3) Ashfaquzzaman Chowdhury (2021) Topic Corruption as a Counterclaim in the Investor-State Dispute Settlement: A Critical Examination. Degree Awarded.
- 4) Aditya Roy (2021) Topic Jurisdiction of Indian Courts and BIT Arbitration: Reflections from Indian Law. Degree awarded.

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- 1) Mir Abdul Hasib Hashimi Afghanistan's Investment and Trade Treaties and its Regulatory Power as Host State. Degree Awarded (2020)
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# LANGUAGE SKILLS

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