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Kasvi Thakkar is a Foreign Associate at Manner Disputes. She is registered with the Bar Council of Maharashtra and Goa and took the All-India Bar Examination in 2024.

### Professional Background and Experience

Prior to joining Manner Disputes, Kasvi Thakkar worked as an Associate in the Banking & Finance and Debt Capital Markets practice of Khaitan & Co, one of India's oldest and largest full-service law firms. She regularly advised clients on a broad range of high-value, cross-border and structured finance transactions, including project finance, acquisition finance, private credit, private placement and public issue of non-convertible debentures as well as international bond issuances. Through her internships in India, Kasvi Thakkar gained hands-on experience in commercial litigation, arbitration and pre-dispute advisory cases before the Supreme Court of India, Bombay High Court, the Debt Recovery Tribunal and the National Company Law Tribunal. She broadened her exposure to international dispute resolution through an internship at Manner Spangenberg in Germany.

### Education

Kasvi Thakkar obtained her B.A. LL.B. (Hons.) degree from the National Law School of India University (NLSIU), Bangalore, India, in 2023 and studied international comparative business law at Bucerius Law School in Hamburg in 2022. She achieved an All India Rank 8 in the Common Law Admission Test and was one of 15 law students nationally to be awarded the Aditya Birla Scholarship in 2018. At NLSIU, she served as an Editor of the National Law School of India Review and a Senior Member of the Alternate Dispute Resolution Board. She received commendations at the John H. Jackson Moot on international trade law and won the Best Paper Presentation at the International Conference on

Internet of Things and Law 2021. In 2024, Kasvi Thakkar was awarded the Global South scholarship to attend the 5<sup>th</sup> Global Co-Chairs' Conference by Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer and DIS40.

### Other

Kasvi Thakkar is a member of the Bombay Bar Association and DIS40. Her working languages are English, Hindi, Marathi and Gujarati.