# **CURRICULUM VITAE OF Melisa Thompson**

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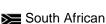
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English & Afrikaans



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None

# QUALIFICATIONS

2013-date LLB University of the Free State

#### **Academic Achievements:**

Recipient of the Werkmans Attorneys' Top Student Bursary (2014)

Member of the Golden Key Honours Society (2014)

2012 Grade 12 St. Marys (Kensington)

## **WORK EXPERIENCE & SKILLS**

2015(Jan- Dec)

Practice in Second Circuit Courts Practice in South Africa District

Court of Appeals Region ABC

Courts

Region ABC Bar Association Practice before Courts of Appeal Region ABC South Africa

#### **Key Duties:**

- Plaintiff's litigation in civil and administration cases and Defendant's counsel in criminal cases.
- Conducted contracts negotiations, will and trusts; and bankruptcy litigation.
- Trial and appellate work included cases dealing with product liability, personal liability and all varieties of causality, life, health and disability claims.

2014(Jun-Jul)

Vocational work Assistant

Werksmans Attorneys

#### **Key Duties:**

- Assist Attorney with local civil cases (preparing necessary documentation)
- File documentation
- Attend Local civil cases.

## **Key Duties:**

- Prepare divorce papers
- Shadow Attorney

# **LEGAL AREA OF EXPERTISE**

- Labour Standards Acts
- Trade Unions Act
- Human Rights Code
- Income Tax Act
- Corporate Law
- Tax Law

# **ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Achieved numerous credits in all facets of corporate litigation in courts
- Successfully completed depositions and trials in a number of corporate cases
- Represented South Africa for swimming at the World Championships (2011, 2012 & 2013)

# **REFERENCES**

#### Mr. N Pretorius

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### Mr. P Maree

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