



Rafca El Hawa

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Motivated and detail-oriented law graduate with a strong interest in commercial, corporate, and contract law, as well as civil liability. Passionate about research, analyzing complex legal issues and delivering practical, business-oriented solutions.

Education

Holy Spirit university of Kaslik and Université de Poitiers 09/2024- 05/2026

Dual degree masters in Business Law.

Emphasis on corporate law, competition law, criminal business law and international contract law.

Holy Spirit university of Kaslik 09/2020- 06/2024

Bachelor in Law, comparing between the French and Lebanese legal systems, with emphasis on international law, public law, civil law and commercial law, with a minor in Political Sciences, Middle Eastern Studies.

GPA: 89.37, graduating top of my class.

Central College of the Lebanese Monks- Jounieh, Lebanon 09/2005- 06/2020

French Baccalaureate in Science- 16/20.

Experience

Legal Assistant at the Lebanese Maronite Order 07/2024-03/2026

Prepared contracts for the various monasteries of the Order, along with all necessary documents for the notaries and nuncio files to be sent to the Apostolic Nuncio for special authorizations.

Legal Intern at Cabinet Apollinaire in Caen France 06/2025- 07/2025

Worked on cases regarding commercial disputes, franchise contracts and intellectual property rights.

Research Assistant 09/2024- 06/2025

Worked in the field of research and article writing on a variety of topics with the USEK's faculty of law and political sciences.

Student job at the Student Affairs Office at USEK 02/2023- 05/2024

Learned how to benchmark and prepare projects on a large scale.

Notable awards

Paris Bar Association

Financial prize.

Caen Bar Association

Internship opportunity.

Holy Spirit University of Kaslik

Honor's awards and a 100% scholarship on my Master's program.

LIFE Lebanon scholarship

Scholarship covering 50% of my tuition fees.

Volunteering experiences

USEK legal clinic

Head of the Apostolic Marial Movement

Certificates and Workshops

Emotional intelligence- USEK

Child protection- Apostolic Marial Movement

Le rôle du juge des mineurs- Legal Talk Academy

Droit de l'eau douce- Université de Genève

AI and Law- Lund University