

Siraj Shaik Aziz CLAS Fellow Law Society Pro Bono Services

Siraj Shaik Aziz is a CLAS (Criminal Legal Aid Scheme) Fellow. He works full-time in the Law Society Pro Bono Services Office acting exclusively for CLAS applicants who have qualified for legal aid at both the State Courts and Supreme Court. Siraj handles a wide range of cases involving offences under the Penal Code and other statutes. He has also been actively involved in the consultation process for proposed legislative changes to the criminal justice framework.



Anand Nalachandran Director TSMP Law Corporation

Anand has developed a specialised criminal litigation practice since being admitted to the Bar in 2000. In addition, he is a Fellow of the Singapore Institute of Arbitrators and an Associate Mediator with the Singapore Mediation Centre. He is an adjunct Associate Professor with the NUS Faculty of Law and a member of the Programme Advisory Committee at the SUSS School of Law as well as a Teaching Fellow of the SILE. He supports pro bono initiatives with LASCO and CLAS as well as MINDEF. He has been a member of the Council of the Law Society of Singapore since 2004 and volunteers in the community and charity sectors.



Sunil Sudheesan Director, Head Criminal Department Quahe Woo & Palmer LLC

Criminal lawyer Sunil Sudheesan is the Head of Quahe Woo & Palmer LLC's Criminal Department. He graduated in 2004 with an Honours degree in Law from the National University of Singapore. Sunil was called to the Singapore Bar on 28 May 2005 and has cultivated deep experience in criminal law ever since.

Sunil handles the entire gamut of criminal law cases including capital cases (murder and serious drug offences), all forms of cases involving hurt (culpable homicide, voluntarily causing hurt and hurt by rash or negligent acts), corporate crime, cheating offences, corruption offences, sexual offences, immigration offences, traffic offences and offences under the Remote Gaming Act.

Sunil has had the privilege of being mentored by the storied Subhas Anandan for more than 10 years since 2004. Consequently, Sunil has been involved in close to 1,000 criminal cases since starting practice.

Sunil's passion is criminal law. He is currently the President of the Association of Criminal Lawyers of Singapore ("ACLS"). Sunil is actively involved in pro bono work and attends regularly at various legal clinics. He is also a volunteer lawyer with the Criminal Legal Aid Scheme ("CLAS"), a non-profit initiative by the Law Society of Singapore to provide legal assistance to needy defendants in criminal cases. For his efforts, Sunil was awarded one of the two Subordinate Courts' Volunteer of the Year (Advocate and Solicitor category) awards in 2010. Currently, Sunil is one of 3 criminal lawyers assisting in the Enhanced Guidance for Plea Scheme in the State Courts ("EGPS"). Colleague and fellow criminal lawyer Diana Ngiam assists the EGPS together with Sunil.