

ISLAM ABDALMAJED

LEGAL CONSULTANT | TEAM LEADER | DISPUTE RESOLUTION

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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Legal Consultant and Team Leader with nearly a decade of legal experience across Sudan and the United Arab Emirates. Experienced in leading case teams and managing civil, commercial, criminal, real estate, labour, medical liability, enforcement and arbitration matters across Dubai, Abu Dhabi and Sharjah. Skilled in litigation strategy, legal drafting, evidence analysis, expert proceedings, settlement negotiations and contract review, with a strong commitment to accuracy, confidentiality and commercially practical advice.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

Litigation & Dispute Resolution	Civil & Commercial Matters	Real Estate & RDC Disputes
Criminal & Labour Matters	Medical Liability	Execution & Enforcement
Arbitration Support	Expert Proceedings	Contracts & Settlements

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Legal Consultant & Team Leader

Araa Group Advocates & Legal Consultancy

Dubai, United Arab Emirates | March 2026 - Present

- Lead and supervise legal casework across civil, commercial, criminal, real estate, labour, medical liability, enforcement and arbitration matters.
- Develop case strategies, allocate work and review pleadings, memoranda, appeals, cassation submissions, evidence and client communications before release or filing.
- Coordinate complex disputes across Dubai, Abu Dhabi and Sharjah with UAE-licensed advocates, court-appointed experts, translators and specialist advisers.
- Advise clients on legal risk, procedural options, settlement strategy and negotiation, while safeguarding confidentiality and the firm's professional position.
- Maintain case controls, deadlines and quality standards, and provide structured reporting to firm leadership on active matters and team performance.

Legal Consultant

Kaden Boriss - NYK Law Firm | International Legal & Advisory Firm

Dubai, United Arab Emirates | October 2022 - March 2026

- Managed complex civil, commercial, real estate, labour and enforcement matters through the principal stages of UAE litigation.
- Led a team of six legal consultants, allocating assignments, reviewing work product and monitoring court and expert deadlines.
- Drafted and reviewed legal memoranda, appellate and cassation submissions, legal notices, settlement agreements and commercial contracts.
- Coordinated court-appointed expert proceedings, attended expert meetings, analysed reports and prepared focused legal and evidentiary responses.
- Contributed to high-value disputes and commercial negotiations, aligning legal strategy with clients' operational and risk-management priorities.

EARLIER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Legal Associate
Araa Group Advocates & Legal Consultancy
Dubai, United Arab Emirates | July 2022 - October 2022

- Supported commercial and litigation matters through legal research, document review, evidence organisation and case preparation.
- Drafted pleadings, legal notices, settlement documentation and appellate and cassation memoranda for senior review.
- Assisted with commercial agreements and client communications, ensuring accuracy and alignment with UAE legal requirements.

External Legal Consultant
Arkel Hotel
Sudan | 2017 - 2022

- Provided external legal consultancy to management on contractual, employment and operational legal matters.
- Reviewed agreements and supported the management of legal risk and disputes affecting hotel operations.

Lawyer
Al-Istisam Law Firm Consulting Group
Sudan | June 2021 - August 2022

- Conducted legal research and supported senior lawyers with case preparation, document analysis and procedural follow-up.
- Drafted legal documents and correspondence, including employment contracts, while supporting civil, commercial and labour matters.

EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Higher Diploma in Legal Translation - University of Bahri, Khartoum, Sudan | 2021-2022
Sudanese Bar Examination - Legal Profession (Organization) Council, Sudan | 2021
Bachelor of Laws (LL.B. Honours) - University of Khartoum, Sudan | 2013-2017

SELECTED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

UAE Federal Decree-Law No. 38 of 2022 - Criminal Procedure - Dubai Judicial Institute | February 2023
UAE Federal Decree-Law No. 30 of 2021 - Narcotics and Psychotropic Substances - Dubai Judicial Institute | November 2022
Official Arbitrator Certificate - Sudanese Center for Conciliation and Arbitration | August 2020
Psychology of Legal Agency and Dealing with Opponents - Kuala Lumpur International Training Center, Sudan | August 2021

CORE COMPETENCIES

Team Leadership & Supervision	Legal Strategy & Case Analysis	Legal Drafting & Research
Contract Drafting & Review	Negotiation & Settlement	Client & Stakeholder Management
Arabic-English Legal Translation	Deadline & Case Management	Professional Confidentiality

LANGUAGES

Arabic - Native | English - Advanced